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"THE WAYSIDE CROSS."

THIRD OF SERMONS FROM A TEXT SUGGESTED BY A CYCLE TRIP.

Rev. C. E. Herring Tells of the Easiness for a Christian to Take up and Wear the Cross for Christ and Church.

An impressive discourse was delivered by Rev. C. E. Herring at the First Presbyterian Church last evening from the text "The Wayside Cross." It was the third sermon in the series on texts suggested to Mr. Herring while on his wheeling trip through Europe. Mr. Herring spoke as follows:

"About half way up the St. Gotthard pass there stands an old crucifix by the side of the road. It is situated in a desolate and dangerous part of the Alps and because of its loneliness at once arrests the traveller's attention. Many a weary soul has stood before that silent messenger to worship. There was grandeur all about me as I looked up to the magnificent heights of the mountains, but there was something so suggestive in this very humble and solitary crucifix. I thought of Christ leaving the majesty on high and humbling himself to prepare the way for me from earth to heaven. That was not the only cross I had seen in all the journey. I was reminded of it continually all the way from Cologne to the Eternal City—Rome. Never could I forget it, for it was always occuring in different shapes all along the road. I thought of Paul telling repeatedly of his conversion when he first saw the cross. He saw it all along his journey to the eternal city, and said 'God forbid that I should glory save in the cross.' Sometimes I saw these crosses with wreaths over them—evidently the donors meant to give evidence of their glory in the cross.

"In Italy there is a bridge with various crosses representing the Christ of the carpenter, mechanic, farmer, etc., and each laborer, as he crosses the bridge, stops to worship before his individual Christ. The laborers have time to worship in the midst of their business. Women, with baskets on their arms I saw kneeling before shrines at the roadside. Have you no time to stop even in the midst of your business, and lift up a thought to God?

"A beautiful picture is that in Italy where the cross by the roadside is decorated with mallet, hammer, spade, etc. The farmer has been consecrating his labor. Religion is a very practical thing. The prophecy of Christ in the forty second chapter of Isaiah was that He should preach practical righteousness. Sacred and secular is not a Biblical division of things. Everything to a Christian man is sacred.

"Voting next Tuesday is as sacred a labor as attending a consecration service. Put on your Sunday clothes and vote for honesty and law. Your ballot should be as holy as though it contained a verse of Scripture.

"The cross in the Alps seemed to say: 'The cross will stimulate a man when duty seems difficult. Christ conquered, so can I. Prayer can do everything God can.'

"It was an old cross. Jesus Christ is the Son of God in the same sense in which the Christian church throughout the ages have regarded Him. Said Keshub Chunder Sen, 'None but Jesus Christ deserves to have the diadem of India.'

"That cross is the symbol of hope. Because He lives I shall live. Christ said to Martha, 'I Am the Resurrection.' There is no death for the Christian.

"Tonight it is the old cross I bring you. You have not fully appreciated its power. Not a new remedy for the ills of humanity we need, but a more thorough application of the old. The church today is too much like a lifeboat going away from the sinking vessel. We are engaged in keeping ourselves unspotted from the world when we should labor to remove the spots from the sinner's character. A saint of old found a piece of the true cross and touched the dead with it, and life resulted from the touch. We need such a touch here to wake the dead. We need not galvanism, but life, and that is the gift of God. And workers for the Sunday-school and church shall be in abundance. When Christians are cleansed, sinners shall be converted."

A Sad Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley, aged people living in a house on West Fourth street, owned by Mrs. Tobins were dispossessed on Friday last for non-payment of rent and their goods were taken out of the house. The case was referred to Overseer of the Poor Mr. Marx, but he did not seem to have the authority to act. Chief Grant secured a room in Stiger's alley for Mr. and Mrs. Kelley and the case will be investigated. Mr. Kelley is a veteran and served four years and six days in the late war.

THE WORK OF A MISSION.

HOW ONE MAN WAS RESCUED AS RELATED BY HIMSELF.

Frank Lawrence, Once a Drunkard, Was Lifted Out of the Slough of Despond, and Now an Active Worker in the Cause.

Stories of city mission work are allays interesting, and when Frank Lawrence, of the Water Street Mission, New York, entered the lecture room of the Congregational church, last night, where he was to speak to the Y. P. S. C. E., the room was crowded to its utmost capacity.

The opening exercises included a delightful violin solo by Miss Nella B. Whiton, accompanied by Miss Elfieda A. Whiting, and two vocal trios by Miss Morse, Miss Whiting and Stacy R. Reynolds. Rev. Charles Lyman Goodrich read the Scripture lesson, and Harold W. Tomlinson, president of the society, introduced Mr. Lawrence.

Mr. Lawrence was for many years a drunkard, and was converted in 1885 in the Water Street Mission, where he has been almost ever since a very earnest worker. He was, like the majority of those one sees in city missions, from a Christian home, where he had often, when he could not plead a "pressing engagement," read the lesson at the family prayers. But he sank down and down, drifting at last, when nearly as low as man could be, into the mission. The workers grew to consider him a case with whom they could do nothing. They said they could only leave him to God, and one night, through one of his children, God spoke to him, and his heart was touched and broken, and he gave himself to the Saviour, and almost immediately entered upon the work of trying to save others. He had entirely lost the appetite for drink, and never expected to be troubled by it again.

He told some interesting tales of scenes in the Mission, of some apparently hopeless men and women who had been saved, and strange prayers heard in the room where so many souls had been born anew. He emphasized the fact that no man ever expected to become a drunkard when he began to drink, and spoke very earnestly of the danger of the social glass. He told of the great need of rescue work everywhere, and urged all consecrated Christians to engage in it, and win for Christ the souls which all about them were sinking every day lower and lower in sin.

Split His Nose in Half.

Patrolman Fraleigh met with a peculiar and painful accident last evening prior to his going on duty. Some Hallowe'en joker placed a pair of stuffed trousers in the vestibule of the rookery and Chief Grant asked Fraleigh to take them out and throw them away. The officer did as directed and sought a place back of the rookery. It was dark at the time and Fraleigh could not see his way clearly. As a result he stumbled over a large pile of stones and split his nose almost in half. As quickly as possible he went to Moy's drug store and Dr. Simpson was called. The latter was obliged to take three stitches in the lacerated member. Though Fraleigh suffered considerably, he went on duty for the night.

Installation of Elders and Deacons.

Yesterday morning, before the sermon, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., installed Messrs. G. L. VanEmburgh, A. Willett and J. P. Laire, as elders, and H. E Gayle, W. F. Oliver and F. S. Cutter, as deacons, for the term of two years each. A most excellent sermon on the subject of Missions was then delivered by the pastor, and earnest, feeling prayer was offered by Rev. George Luckenbill and Rev. J. E. Todd, of Dunellen, both of whom occupied seats on the pulpit platform during the service, by invitation of Dr. Schenck.

Lucky It Wasn't at Night.

Fire was discovered in Rushmore & Co.'s yard adjoining the planing mill at Watchung avenue and Fourth street, a little before noon on Saturday, and when discovered by an employe named Perrine, the fire was well under way and burning briskly. Fire extinguishers and hose, the private property of the firm, were brought into requisition, and the flames were soon extinguished. The fire was undoubtedly caused by sparks from a passing locomotive.

Tea at the Golf Course.

An informal afternoon tea will be held at the golf club-house on the afternoon of election day from 3 until 5 o'clock. Mrs. Frank D. Warren, of Fanwood, will be in charge and will have other friends to receive with her. A match game of golf will be in progress during the morning and afternoon.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

UNCLE SAM IS RUSHED.

TICKETS FOR TOMORROW'S ELECTION CROWD THE MAILS.

A Bundy Time Register is One of the New Improvements Postmaster Hetfield Has—Makes Overtime Claims Correct.

The Plainfield postoffice is one of the best second-class postoffices in the State; so say the Department officers and everyone else who has visited it. Postmaster Hetfield has just introduced an improvement, which was put in regular use this morning. It is a Bundy time register and is designed to do away with the old system of time-cards and the chances for unfair overtime claims. Each carrier as he goes to work takes a numbered key and registers. There is a clock connected with the time register, which is so arranged that the time is recorded as the key is turned.

Never, except at Christmas time, has the mail been as large as it is today. There seems to be an unusually large amount of outside mail, but three of the political parties have mailed each registered voter a ticket for tomorrow's election and the three sets for the 3,000 odd voters in this city has caused the mail to assume gigantic proportions. In the West End it was worst of all, and Letter Carrier Shea started on his rounds at 8 o'clock instead of 9 this morning, so as to cover his entire route. The other carriers had their hands full and it took them nearly an hour longer to cover their respective routes.

May be Prosecuted for Bigamy.

Albert Manning, colored, of Short Second street, tells a story which, if true, is likely to create trouble for his wife and Matthew Wallace. Manning says that he married Miss Annie Manning fourteen years ago this winter, and that one daughter, now thirteen years of age, has been the result of the union. The couple have been estranged for about six months, and at the request of Mrs. Manning their home was broken up. The daughter is employed with a family on Central avenue. Saturday night Mrs. Manning and Wallace were wedded in Westfield by Rev. M. J. Harkins. Manning says he is now looking about for legal advice with a view of prosecuting his wife for bigamy.

Grateful Appreciation.

Steven Jeroloman, 72 years old, an old veteran of the civil war, a resident of Cottage place, and who last February was sent to the Central branch of the Soldier's Home, at Dayton, Ohio, through the influence of the Organized Aid Association, of Plainfield, has written a long interesting letter to Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, thanking her and the Association for their successful efforts in his behalf and gives a very interesting description of the home and its workings. The old vet seems very happy in his new home and very grateful to the Plainfield people who befriended him by placing him where he is.

May Establish a Branch Here.

W. H. Pearson, of the Bedford Trading Company, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with his wife and family at the residence of his father on West Seventh street, in this city. Mr. Pearson, in talking with a representative of The Daily Press, stated that owing to the excellent facilities of the railroad and express companies, and the fact that Plainfield was generally known as a business centre, the Bedford Trading Company were seriously contemplating the establishment in Plainfield of a branch to their large business.

Caught His Hand in the Machinery.

Fred Heffern, of East Third street, an employe of the stopper factory at Fourth and Washington streets, caught his left hand in the machinery while at work on a polishing wheel, Saturday morning, and lacerated the hand so badly that Dr. Simpson was obliged to sew up the wounds. The patient will be deprived of the use of his hand for some time to come.

Special Trains From New York.

To accommodate those wishing to remain in New York to hear the election returns, the Central Railroad of New Jersey will run special train from New York to Dunellen, stopping at intermediate stations, leaving New York at 2 o'clock a. m., November 4th.

The Case Appealed.

The case of Noel against Lambertson has been appealed from the decision given in Justice Mosher's Court. A. P. Miller and Walter Hetfield represent the plaintiff and H. C. Runyon the defendant.

Fined For Fighting.

William H. Brown was fined $3 in the city court this morning for fighting on Belvidere avenue. The case against Edward Saunders was adjourned until Wednesday.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is an antiseptic, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

WILD RUN OF HORSES.

DRIVER ALMOST DRAGGED TO DEATH IN TRYING TO STOP THEM.

Left Bleeding and Bruised by the Roadside — Collided With Another Wagon, and Ended in a Bad Wreck.

A plunging, rearing team of horses, dragging a plucky driver holding fast to the reins as his prostrate body was thumped over the hard road like a dog shaking the life out of a rat, until he was compelled to loosen his hold from sheer exhaustion and to be left bleeding and bruised by the wayside, the team continuing on its mad plunge and colliding with another vehicle, promiscuously emptying its occupant into the road, cutting a gash in his head and starting his horse on a reckless run without a driver, then rushing on to just graze another wagon with a mother and four little children, and finally one of the animals falling and breaking its leg and ending in a mass of equine flesh, harness and wagon as though a company of artillery had swooped down and wrecked everything in sight, were some of the exciting incidents of a runaway at Warrenville last Saturday afternoon.

Henry A. Voehl, the Somerset street baker, had just served his last customer, Borman's store, at Warrenville, Saturday afternoon, when he started towards his wagon standing near the store. One of the horses attached to the wagon was a nervous animal and for some reason or another became frightened and commenced to rear and plunge. Before he could hardly realize what had happened, Mr. Voehl saw the team start off at a rapid gate. He was very close to them and as quick as a jiffy made a jump for the reins. He caught them, but the team had got two much headway and he was jerked off his feet. He pluckily held on, however. The horses continued on their mad run, gaining speed at every step, while Voehl was dragged and thumped about the hard roadbed. He was cut and bruised at every jump but tenaciously hung to the reins for 250 yards before he was compelled to loosen his hold from sheer exhaustion. He was left bleeding and bruised in the road and the runaway team continued on their reckless course free from the weight of his body which they had been dragging at the end of the reins.

Down the road, Clarkson Murphy, a butcher of Martinsville, was driving along. He saw the runaway team approaching, but was unable to steer clear of the zigzag course of the wagon as it swerved from one side of the road to the other. The vehicles came in collision and Mundy's wagon was overturned by the force of the jar. His horse broke lose and ran for a short distance but was soon stopped.

Voehl's team kept right on, however, and a short distance beyond just escaped running into another wagon driven by a lady, who had four children with her. They continued their wild flight until one of the horses—a bay mare—stumbled and fell, breaking her leg. The crippled condition of the horse brought the team to a standstill.

In the meantime Voehl had picked himself up where he was left by the roadside and hobbled back to the home of Charles Austin, who did what he could to relieve his sufferings. Word was sent to Mr. Voehl's parents and, accompanied by Dr. Fritts, they soon went to his side. The doctor found no bones broken, but the bruises were very painful. He was conveyed to his home on Somerset street, and there rests as comfortable as could be expected after undergoing such a thumping as he received while trying to stop the runaways.

Mr. Mundy's head was also cut by being thrown out of his wagon, and Dr. Fritts dressed his wound. The injury was not serious.

It was found necessary to shoot the mare that broke her leg.

Couldn't Navigate Easily.

A man, giving the name of Rothrock and his residence as Philadelphia, was arrested by Night Watchman Hull on Somerset street early yesterday morning. Rothrock was unable to navigate properly, hence his detention at the lockup. This morning he paid a $5 fine and was released.

City Saloon Closed.

The Rising Sun Brewing Company's saloon is closed today. John Goff, who represents the company in this city, intimated that there was trouble between the former manager, Joseph Wellborn, and the company, but said that the saloon would be opened again in a few days.

Chronic constipation is a painful, disagreeable and life shortening difficulty. It deranges the system, causes sick headache, bad breath, and poisons the blood. It can be rapidly overcome by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These little pills are great regulators. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

THE G. O. P. BOWL WELL.

DIVIDED AMONG THEMSELVES PARK CLUB DEMOCRATS ARE DEFFATED.

G. O. P. Has Its Rooters, But They Were Only Saved From Chagrin by the Wonderful Score of Councilman Peck.

The result of tomorrow's election is the all absorbing topic of interest, at present, and the bowling enthusiasts of the Park Club caught the fever. So it was that Saturday evening, the Republicans and Democrats of the club met in fierce conflict on the Park Club alleys, and the McKinleyites succeeded in snowing under their Democratic friends by 79 pins. The Republicans started in at once to accustom their opponents to defeat and led all the way, though not always by a big margin. The Republicans had most of the rooters with them, for there were lots of visitors present, including many of the ladies of the club, and cheers for McKinley and Hobart were always in order. The Democrats were divided among themselves, some being Bryan men and others supporters of the gold standard. Perhaps this was the reason for their low scores. The Republicans were out for battle. They would have been defeated, however, if it had not been for the phenominal bowling of Borough Councilman J. C. Peck. Everybody knew he could play baseball all right after that fomous game on the July 4th between the Benedicts and Bachelors of the club, but they had not yet discovered his bowling procilivities. Imaganing the pins to be Bryan's adherents, he cleaned the alleys nine times with a single ball and brough out thunderous applause by his calm and deliberate method of sending the ball down the alleys. His score was 253, the highest score for this fall. Charles Dupee and A. Willis West acted as umpires. The individual scores:

DEMOCRATS.		REPUBLICANS.	
Wilson	187	Lenox	144
Sandford	169	Grant	122
Stevens	117	Ball, F. H.	122
Douglass	128	Murray	133
Thiers, William	150	Peck	253
VanDeventer	127	Brown	179
Howell	128	Worth	127
Townsend	141	McGee	149
Lyman	129	Ball, F. O.	134
McCutchen	149	Matthews	140
	1425		1504

THEIR LAST GUN.

Republican Campaign to End With a Big Parade.

Tomorrow is election day and one of the liveliest campaigns this country has ever witnessed will be over. Tonight the campaign will end with a blaze of glory in Plainfield, at least. The Republicans of this city are going to have the last say and they promise that it shall be a rouser. The parade will be held early in the evening and will start from the corner of Front street and Park avenue and covering the following line of march:

The parade will start from the corner of Front street and Park avenue, to Somerset street, to Park place, to Grove street, to Central avenue, to West Seventh street, to Liberty street, to Eighth st., to Central ave., to 7th street, to Crescent avenue, to West Eighth street, to Central avenue, to West Ninth street, to Park avenue, to North avenue, to Watchung avenue, to Rink.

The formation of the divisions was published in Saturday's Daily Press. Then will come the mass meeting at the Jersey Cycle Academy at which one of Plainfield's distinguished citizens. Assemblyman Roswell G. Horr, who has been on the stump all this campaign, will be the orator of the evening.

The Plainfield High School cadets will turn out for the parade. They will be divided into a uniformed and an ununiformed squad.

What Rogues These Mortals Be.

The boys (?) certainly went on the rampage Saturday night, and they did not confine actions to harmless amusement but seemed bent on creating all the mischief they could. One hard-working woman on East Front street locked her doors and went to town shopping on that night, and when she returned she found that a pane of glass had been broken out of the kitchen window and through the opening a bundle of rags and rotten apples had been pushed, dropping on a basket of freshly-ironed laundry. Of course there was nothing left by which the miscreants could be apprehended and identified, but it was a contemptible piece of work, to say the least.

A half dozen or more street urchins dressed up as clowns made themselves obnoxious in the alley about the old bank building where the G. A. R. bazaar is in progress. Patroleman "Mat" Vanderweg stole the march on the boys by coming through the alley from French's mill, and the boys scattered in all directions at the approach of the officer.

The Daily Press will not be issued tomorrow.

GAY TIME HALLOWE'EN.

YOUTHFUL PRANKS AND PARTIES MADE UP THE FESTIVITIES.

While There Were Some Tricks That Were Aggravating to the Staid Citizen, Social Gatherings Marked the Celebration.

Youthful pranks and festivities made gay the night of Hallowe'en. Gates, horse blocks, cabbage and other things not securely fastened to their moorings seemed to take wings of flight and suddenly disappear from their proper place to turn up a few minutes later in sequestered nooks where the owners exploded unpublishable invectives in the endeavor to regain possession of them and juvenile forms slunk off in the darkness of the night to meet companions and laugh over their fun. Much of the festivities, however, were in the form of less aggravating parties, and among them were the following:

Among the pleasant Hallowe'en parties, on Saturday evening, was one given by Miss Florence Hawkins, of LaGrande avenue. The affair was very informal, and games furnished the chief amusement, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Miss Mabel Winton, of Hackensack; Miss Geneiveve R. Hoyt, of Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anthony, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, Miss Elizabeth Dunn, Miss Florence Hawkins, Miss Emma Fish, Miss Jennie Jeffers, Miss Bonnell, Joseph M. Hawkins, Herbert Bonnell, of Plainfield.

There was no end of fun at the celebration of Hallowe'en at the home of Miss Bertha Thorn, of Craig place. The hall and parlors were lighted with jack o'-lanterns and Hallowe'en games kept the guests busy most of the evening. There was bobbing for apples, apple races, and sundry other games which were supposed to reveal the matrimonial prospects of the guests. As the evening advanced they tried the exciting experiment of running around the block with a mouthful of water. While this was being tried, Miss Mary Buckle stepped off the curb and sprained her ankle. She was assisted to Miss Thorn's home and Dr. Tomlinson summoned. When it was ascertained that the injury was slight, the fun was continued. A dainty lunch was served in the dining room and then the party returned to the parlors to tell stories by firelight, where Willard Case, a cousin of the hostess, showed his capabilities as an entertainer.

Hallowe'en was delightfully remembered at the home of Miss Edith L. Burt, of West Seventh street, when a party of her friends gathered and had a very pleasant evening. Games were played, various Hallowe'en tricks tried, and stories told. The party was an informal one and the guests made candy and roasted chestnuts and altogether had a most delightful time. A touch of excitement was added when the bicycles of two of the young men were discovered to be missing. Ghosts and thieves were both suggested, but as the missing wheels were found on top of a hedge some distance away it was decided that either the wheels had become tired of waiting for their owners and started home, or else some Hallowe'en jokers had been around. The wheels had nothing to say. Dainty refreshments were served toward the close of the evening, and at midnight the gay party departed. Among those who were present were the Misses Edith L. Pruden, Florence R. Beal, Louise Egan, Amy Burt, Maude French, Edna French and Carrie West, of Orange; and Charles Randolph, Allan Taylor, Raymond A. McGee, of Yale College; George A. Horne, of Lehigh University, and Everett J. Peck.

The "Seven Wonders" have done many wonderful things, but they eclipsed all previous efforts Saturday night when they held a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Bessie Baldwin, of Willow avenue. The hostess and the charming president of this delightful club received the guests and then followed an evening full of pleasure and fun. The "Seven Wonders," and by the way, there are nine of them, are a delightful set and very pleasant entertainers. Games were played and part of the evening was spent in dancing. Some of the guests preferred a tete-a-tete in some corner with one of the fair members of the entertaining club while others played all sorts of Hallowe'en tricks on each other. Refreshments, as dainty as the entertainers, were served and then the guests gathered in front of the spacious open fireplace in the back parlor and, by the light of the burning coals, told ghost stories. Then they sang, and roasted chestnuts and ate marsh-mellows at

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THE FINAL SPEECHES

Mr. Bryan Off for a Flying Trip in Nebraska.

FOLLOWED BY AN OPPOSITION ORATOR

The Democratic Nominee in the Best of Health, Notwithstanding His Arduous Labors of the Past Few Weeks.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 2.—When Mr. Bryan left Lincoln this morning for his flying trip through his own state he was followed at no great distance by John P. Irish of California, who will strive to undo whatever Mr. Bryan accomplishes. This programme was decided upon by the national democrats of Nebraska when Chairman Hanna vetoed the proposition that ex-congressman William E. Mason should perform that duty for the republicans in Illinois. It is improbable that Mr. Irish will follow Mr. Bryan throughout the day, but arrangements for his reception have been made in most of the larger towns to be visited. Mr. Bryan, with the exception of the fatigue necessarily consequent upon the campaign he has conducted, is in good physical condition, and started on his tour this morning almost as strong as if this were the first, instead of the last, day of his campaign. Mr. Bryan has implicit confidence in the success to-morrow at the polls of the cause which he represents by a large majority. He will return to Lincoln to-night and will probably close his canvass by a speech in his home town. He will remain quietly at home to-morrow and receive the election returns with his guests.

Bryan Issues a Warning.

Mr. Bryan has sent the following dispatch to Chairman Jones at Chicago: "I suggest that you urge all members of silver clubs throughout the United States to give the entire day Tuesday, if possible, to our cause. In states where the bolting democrats have been allowed to use the party name it will be necessary for our people to warn voters of the deception, and at all polling places they will be useful to meet the misrepresentations which may be circulated too late to be arrested by our speakers or through the press. The gold syndicate and trusts are fighting for existence and we must be prepared to meet them at every point.

"W. J. BRYAN."

BICYCLES IN ENGLAND.

Trade for Supplies with the United States Still Declining.

London, Nov. 2.—Consul George F. Parker writes the department of state from Birmingham, Eng., that the trade with the United States in cycle materials continues to decline. The steel tube trade reached its highest development during the December quarter, when tubes to the value of $251,651 were sent to the United States. Many of the contracts made by American cycle makers have expired and others are running out, and Mr. Parker is of the opinion that trade in these contracts will practically cease by the end of 1896. No complete bicycles have been sent to the United States from Birmingham for some time. On the other had a good many American machines have been sold in the Birmingham district. It is not safe to predict how long this demand will continue, but as trade conditions have improved generally during the past year it is likely that a considerable number of machines of good quality may be sold, if offered at prices slightly lower than those ruling for the same kind in Birmingham.

Brutally Beaten and Robbed.

Hackensack, N. J., Nov. 2.—Harry Jordan, an engineer in the plant of the Hackensack Water company at New Milford, was brutally beaten by a highway robber Saturday night about midnight, and he may die of his injuries. After leaving Henry Museman's hotel, Jordan was felled by a blow delivered by a man who was hiding behind a tree. Jordan was then kicked about the head and body. Friends heard the scuffling and probably saved Jordan from instant death. The assailant was recognized as John De Graw, a farm laborer of Oradell. He escaped. Jordan's money had been stolen.

Carriage Run Down by a Train.

Shirley, Mass., Nov. 2.—A carriage containing Julia Scribner and Grace Maynard of Lancaster, Mass., was hit by an express on the Fitchburg railroad at Shirley depot crossing yesterday. The first-named and the horse were killed and Grace Maynard was seriously injured.

Peary Ordered To Duty.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Civil Engineer R. E. Peary, U. S. N., whose leave of absence for Arctic exploration has expired, is ordered to duty at the New York navy yard, where the civil engineering force has been unable to cope with the work in hand

Big Wire Works Starts Up.

Cleveland, Nov. 2.—The American Wire works have started up on double time, more than 1,300 men being employed. "Orders and inquiries are increasing and the prospects of a revival are bright," says President Savage.

Death of Gus Wilson.

Cleveland, Nov. 2.—Gus Wilson, one of the best known drivers and horse trainers in the country, is dead at the state hospital in this city, where he had been under treatment for two years.

Death of Mrs. Amasa Cobb.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 2.—Mrs. Amasa Cobb, wife of Gen. Cobb, ex-congressman from Wisconsin, and ex-chief justice of the Nebraska supreme court, is dead, aged 76 years.

RATTLER ON LASH LEG

A Cowboy's Ride with Snakes Dangling from His Overalls.

"That's a funny looking cover on your saddle; what is it?"

"That's rattlesnakes' skin. Now, you know, I don't go much on them fancy rinctums about a saddle; fact is, it's tenderfeet go in more for such things; fancy spurs, silver on bridle, fur chapps, ivory-handled revolvers and such likes. But that snakes' skin I took off two rattlers that fastened onto me and stayed with me near a mile. There's plenty of rattlers west of the Missouri. Mighty lucky it is they rattle and are generally where there ain't much grass, and you can locate 'em quick. I've often thought how many of us cowboys would catch it if rattlesnakes roamed around nights or lay around in the high bottom grass. I'll give 'em credit—they are square and fair and brave. They won't run, and they'll give you fair warning, so if you want to let them alone you can. 'Long in August they are the maddest—then they are blind and strike out wicked. Take it 'round them prairie dog towns; there's where they are thick; I've seen 100 of 'em in one town, at one sight. How in the nation they get along with their pards, the owls and the prairie dogs, blamed if I know. Some say they eat their pards, swallow 'em and get control of the concern, just as some business men do. It's one of the stock topics of discussion around the campfire whether peace and brotherly love reigns in the dog holes, or incompatibility of tastes makes life a sacrifice to the owls and dogs. If the durned snake don't eat his fellow lodger, blamed if he ain't as self-denying as he is pizenous. Makes a mighty good cover for a saddle, rattlesnake skin. Stretch it over wet, tack it down and then shellac and it looks first rate."

"Tell me the snake story, Hank."

"Well, sir, 'twas last August. One morning I started out to hunt up a stray pony. I rode that old yaller and white gotch-eared horse picketed out there, meaner than he is now; always looking for a chance to dig out. Last month one of our fellows came in leaving the beeves lying down all right. He gits off and hitches that old devil to a ox yoke. Well, sir, off he started. The yoke rattled, and that scart him, and way he went out of sight into the dark, into the herd, that ox yoke rattling at the end of a rope. Why, man alive, we didn't get them steers together for two weeks, and the half of them was lame from running. Much as 20 head we never did get. That old cuss out there, we found him and the ox yoke in a sage brush patch, 15 miles from the starting point. But I started in 'bout my time with them snakes; I was careless; ought to knowed better; 'twas over near Dirty Woman's ranch. My saddle girths was gitting loose, so I stops to fix 'em right in the center of a big dog town. Like a fool I unloosened my lariat, threw it down carelessly and then got off. Wasn't holding the bridle rein. Before you could say scat old Punkins-and-Milk gave a snort and pumped away just as I stepped into a coil of the lariat; and—by cats, before I could realize anything, the rope pulled me down and kinder half hitched under my arms and away we went, that blamed plug dragging me through the town at the rope's end. Gad, how the alkali flew! The prairie dogs barked furiously, the owls screeched and the rattlesnakes rattled. I tell you, there was rapid transit in that town for a minnit. I reckon I was hauled over a dozen dog mounds.

"Fast as I was goin', I knew the danger. Somehow one takes in a good deal in a minnit, sometimes. In a jiff I was in the suburbs and was sort of chuckling to think no snake had give me a dig; still I heard an infernal rattling keeping up right alongside. Punkins was beginning to git a little tired hauling 140 pounds through the sage brush. As he slowed up I got a chance to make a hurried observation. Then I see at a glance how that rattling was a-keeping up. There was a big rattler about four feet long fastened to each of my legs. You see, they had struck at me as I passed by, and their fangs had caught in my loose overalls, and I was going at such a lively rate it kept the snakes stretched out and they couldn't let go. I knew old Punkins would stop pretty soon, and you bet I knew them snakes would likely get loose, and before I could rally would be mighty apt to hit me a lick. Luckily, both my arms were free. With one hand I managed to catch hold of the lariat above my head. Reaching down with the other I unloosened the buttons of my overalls. Just then we struck a bed of cactus. The thorns hurt, but they helped strip off the overalls just the same, snakes and all. The overalls turning wrong side out caught a rattler in each leg. Just as soon as I came to a stop and could straighten up I hurried back and jumped on to them overalls, and never quit stamping them snakes as long as there was a sign of life left. The skins are the ones now on my saddle."—Hartford Times.

The Woman of It.

She read the sign, "Do not speak to the motorman," and she said: "I wonder why not." Then, in winsome voice, she inquired of that functuary: "Why mustn't one talk to the motorman?" He told her it was against the rules. "But why is it against the rules?" "Because it is." "Then you don't like to be talked to?" "Oh, yes; but—thunder! I came within an ace of running down that old gent." "But I should think is would be nice to have somebody to speak to, instead of talking to nobody all day long." "Lady, you are to stop talking, or there's going to be a smash-up on this line, and a big one—see?" "The hateful thing! And I did so want to be sociable like. He's married, I'll bet; he's just like Henry when he's got his paper under his nose."—Boston Transcript.

—The English language is spoken by only about 125,000,000 persons, while the Chinese is spoken by over 400,000,000.

DR. SEWARD WEBB.

His Rise in the Social and Political World Has Been Phenomenal.

The phenomenal success Dr. W. Seward Webb has made of his life has been added to by his recent election to the Vermont legislature. Dr. Webb, though a poor man, married Lila, one of the daughters of the late William Vanderbilt, who dowered her with $15,000,000.

The marriage, of course, laid the foundation of his fortunes. It came about in a romantic way. Dr. Webb was of an old revolutionary family and founded the "Sons of the American Revolution." There were several boys in the Webb family, all well educated, thoroughly aristocratic, but poor. Seward devoted himself to medicine and in his 23d year was a surgeon at the Vanderbilt clinic. One day a little patient was brought in with a broken leg. She was a sweet and attractive child and the young doc-

DR. W. SEWARD WEBB.

tor spent much time with her trying to make existence more bearable for her.

The child kept telling him of a "lovely young lady" who came to see her every day and brought her sweets. He thought nothing much about it and was all unaware that the child was also telling the "lovely young lady" all about the good young doctor. Finally the little girl grew very ill and Dr. Webb stayed with her all day. The young lady called to see the child while he was there and it was over the bedside of a dying charity patient that Dr. Seward Webb and young Lila Vanderbilt first spoke to one another. It turned out to be a case of love at first sight.

After leaving the hospital the doctor changed his mind as to his career and entered Wall street with Daniel Worden. A few years later, when he had accumulated a little money, he married Lila Vanderbilt.

He was made president of the Wagner Palace Car campany and when in New York he and his wife live in a handsome Fifth avenue residence. Their principal home, however, is at Shelburne, Vt., from which district he was sent to the legislature. Dr. Webb has his eye on the United States senate and thinks this is a stepping-stone to his ambition.

He has a weakness for horses and owns a large stock, his particular fad being the breeding of hackneys. He is unsurpassed as a whip. He is a very domestic man and detests balls and receptions, preferring his own home circle. Several years ago the doctor published a book, "California and Alaska," which was the result of his observations during a trip made with his family and a few guests

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4th Tuesday in November

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PARLIAMENT'S PROGRAMME.

Leading Measures That Will Be Brought Up in the Coming Session.

London, Nov. 2.—The cabinet will meet on Nov. 4 and again on Nov. 7, when the ministerialists hope that Lord Salisbury will be able to tell his colleagues of the success of his diplomacy regarding European and American questions. The list of bills to be promoted in parliament is known by the lapsed measures of last season. Chief among those is the education bill. Mr. Chamberlain's old-age pension scheme may be mentioned in the queen's speech, but there is little chance of any bill on this subject being introduced. The Irish education bill has been redrafted. Mr. Chamberlian, since his return to England, has been occupied with his old-age pension scheme, now before a special committee, and inquiring into the claims of witnesses to be heard in the Chartered South Africa company's case. Regarding the latter, there is a host of witnesses offering. Mr. Chamberlain has decided that several Matabele chiefs shall be brought from Rhodesia to be examined regarding their grievances against the Chartered company. The idea is not novel. Mr. Gladstone, in early life, was a member of a select committee before which Hottentots and Kaffir chiefs were examined.

AFFAIRS IN BRAZIL.

Italian Claims To Be Arbitrated—Revolutionary Rumblings.

New York, Nov. 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres says: The Herald's correspondent in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, telegraphs that the Italian claims will be submitted to arbitration of the ministers from the United States and Germany. Some apprehension has been caused by the discovery of dynamite bombs at the Moro station. Besides the bombs, several placards were found bearing revolutionary inscriptions advocating a return to a monarchical form of government. The internal situation in Brazil is complicated by the fact that many thousands of persons are without work, endangering the public peace. The illness of President Moraes is regarded as somewhat serious. The economical situation is growing worse, and one influential newspaper urges the retirement of the minister of finance. The budget commission is making every effort to formulate measures of relief.

CONSUL LEE LEAVES CUBA.

An Adjutant from Weyler Calls at the Steamer To Bid Him Adieu.

Havana, Nov. 2.—Consul-General Lee sailed yesterday for New York on board the Ward line steamer Vigilancia. Capt.-Gen. Weyler sent an adjutant aboard the steamer to bid him adieu. A number of Gen. Lee's personal friends also went on board the steamer to see him off. Gen. Lee was very reserved as to the true motives of his voyage. The only thing he would say was that he would see President Cleveland in Washington. Major Fondevilla reports that his command had an engagement yesterday on the outskirts of Cojimar, near Havana, with 2,500 rebels led by Lacres and Aguirre. The first report placed the rebel loss at twenty-seven killed, but a later one says that fifty-two were killed. The loss of the troops was one captain and fourteen privates wounded.

THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

Programme of National Demonstrations Not Yet Decided Upon.

London, Nov. 2.—The queen's accession jubilee, though its climax is fixed for June next, will be introduced by a series of social fetes beginning in February next. Its influence upon the London season is already distinctly felt. It is understood that there will be no less than five drawing-rooms, and that the queen will be present at three. The court concerts, levees, and other functions, beginning in May, will continue until the middle of July. The programme of national demonstrations is not yet fixed, but the feeling and expectation in court and official circles are that the accession jubilee will be a record of rejoicing exceeding the jubilee fetes of 1887.

Washington Deserted.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Washington is a "Deserted Village" to-day. Every one who has a right to vote in adjacent states, according to appearances, has gone home to exercise that privilege. Maryland and Virginia, out of whose territory the site of the national capital was carved naturally receive most of the electoral accretions.

Satolli at the Vatican.

London, Nov. 2.—A dispatch from Rome to the Central News says that the pope will raise the diocese of Buffalo, N. Y., to a metropolitan see, with jurisdiction over Rochester, Syracuse and Elmira. The pope yesterday received Cardinal Satolli, late delegate to the United States, who recently returned to Rome.

Great Flood in River Seine.

Paris, Nov. 2.—The Seine has been rising for some days and has now reached a point that is causing much alarm. Low-lying structures along its banks have been flooded and much damage has been done above and below the city.

New Bishop of London.

London, Nov. 2.—The Right Rev. Mandell Creighton, D. D., bishop of Peterborough, has been appointed bishop of London, in succession to the Right Hon. and Most Rev. Frederick Temple, D. D., recently appointed archbishop of Canterbury.

Died While Shaving.

New York, Nov. 2.—Second officer C. H. Otter of the British ship Tasmania, in port from Cape Town, in ballast and anchored off Clifton, died of heart disease while shaving in his room yesterday.

CZAR AND KAISER

Rumor of a Conference To Revise the Commercial Treaty.

GERMANY IS WILLING TO YIELD

The Death of Cardinal Hohenlohe Relief for the Vatican and Germany. The Reported Secret Treaty with Russia in 1884.

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Berlin, Nov. 2.—The conference which Chancellor Hohenlohe had with the emperor on Saturday is understood to have had reference to a projected conference with the European powers for the purpose of revising the treaties of Berlin and Paris and also a settlement of the customs dispute which has for some time existed between Russia and Germany. The emperor is favorable to making concessions to Russia which will bring about the speediest possible settlement of the conflicting interpretations of the present commercial treaty, and it is understood that the czar is not averse to yielding many of the points at issue if an amicable and favorable adjustment of the difficulties can be brought about. The Russian official, M. Timirjageff, who conducted the original treaty negotiations, will arrive in Berlin to-morrow for the purpose of assisting in the arrangements necessary for the holding of a conference, but nothing in regard to the matters in question is definitely known, except that it is given out that there may be some delay in the settlement, inasmuch as it is announced that the czar has intimated his desire for a period of absolute home repose before allowing his ministers to enter into any engagements involving the empire.

Cardinal Prince Hohenlohe.

Prince Hohenlohe's interview with the emperor is believed also to have had some reference to the death a few days ago of his brother, Cardinal Gustav Adolf Hohenlohe, the most liberal of the Sarced college, and it may be remarked, the second brother of the chancellor who has died within the year, the other also having been a cardinal. The chancellor was opposed to the promulgation of the dogmas of the immaculate conception and the infallibility of the pope by Pope Pius IX., and held his brother, Cardinal Gustav Adolf, in contempt as being light-headed and shallow-minded. Pope Leo XIII. distrusted Cardinal Hohenlohe as a dangerous intriguer, knowing him to be a personal friend of Prince Bismarck. During the kulturkampf, at the crisis of a quarrel with Pope Leo XIII., Cardinal Hohenlohe left Rome and sought a refuge in Munich with Dr. Doellinger, the leader of the Old Catholics at that time, and menaced the vatican with a schism in the ranks of the German Catholics. The masterful tact of the pope was the only thing which prevented a scandal, and the death of the cardinal relieves the vatican of an enemy and Germany of a doubtful friend. Latterly Cardinal Hohenlohe had a monomania that the Jesuits were conspiring to poison him, and he would eat nothing but eggs, which were boiled in his presence.

The Russo-German Agreement.

Count Herbert Bismarck suddenly and unexpectedly made his appearance in Berlin Saturday and had an interview with Chancellor Hohenlohe after the latter's conference with the kaiser. It is impossible to learn the result of Count Bismarck's interview with the chancellor, except that he disclaims all responsibility for the recent articles in the Hamburger Nachrichten, his father's personal organ, revealing the fact that from 1884 to 1890 Germany maintained an understanding with Russia contrary to the terms of the dreibund treaty. If the government does not take measures to ascertain the exact origin of the disclosures and fix the responsibility therefor before the reichstag meets on November 9 it is the intention of the radical and socialist leaders in the chamber to demand that explanations of the Russo-German agreement be the first matters to come up for debate. Just before the czar started from Darmstadt for St. Petersburg his majesty wired to the admiral of the Russian fleet at Odessa, insisting upon the latter's taking especial precautions to guard the Europeans in Constantinople and also sent a copy of his telegram to the Russian embassy at Constantinople with directions that the full text of his dispatch to the admiral be sent to the sultan.

BLIZZARD IN WISCONSIN.

Heavy Snowfall Reported from Various Sections of That State.

Milwaukee, Nov. 2.—The blizzard which raged throughout the western and central sections of the state Saturday and yesterday was one of the worst that has visited this region so early in the season in several years. Snow fell almost continuously for twenty-four hours. Heavy falls are reported from Watertown, Grand Rapids, Chilton, Horicon and a number of other points.

In Memory of ex-Mayor Webster.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 2.—The flag over the city hall is at half-mast as tribute to the memory of ex-mayor Daniel P. Webster, who died Saturday. It is expected that many of the members of the general assembly of 1895, in which Mr. Webster served as a senator, will attend the funeral, which will take place from the late residence of the deceased at 11 a. m. Wednesday. Interment will be at Thomaston.

Inheritance Tax in Ohio.

Columbus, O. Nov. 2.—The collateral inheritance tax law, on its way to the supreme court, has been sustained in the circuit court.

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NOMINATIONS.

UNION COUNTY.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

Congress, Freeman O. Willey, of Orange. Senator, James P. Powers, of Elizabeth. Sheriff, Jacob W. Sheppard, of Elizabeth. Assembly, Wm. D. Wolfskeil, of Elizabeth; John J. Woodruff, of Elizabeth; Noah Woodruff, of Roselle. Coroner, John M. C. Marsh, of Westfield.

REPUBLICAN PARTY.

Congress, Charles N. Fowler, of Elizabeth. Senator, Foster M. Voorhees, of Elizabeth. Sheriff, Wm. T. Kirk, of Plainfield. Assembly, Henry Clauss, of Elizabeth; J. Martin Roll, of Springfield; Wm. R. Codington, of Plainfield. Coroner, Robert B. Sinclair, of Westfield.

PROHIBITION PARTY (by petition.)

Congress, Samuel Wilson, of Rahway. Senator, Alden B. Bigelow, of Cranford. Sheriff, J. Malcolm Brookfield, of Rahway. Assembly, Benj. L. Wilcox, of Roselle; Neil McLeod, of Elizabeth; Edward L. Massett, of Elizabeth. Coroner, Frederick W. Myles, of Elizabeth.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY (by petition.)

Congress, Alex. D. Noyes, of Montclair. Senator, Gustave Pollak, of Summit. Sheriff, Miller F. Moore, of Roselle. Assembly, Aaron W. Rand, of Plainfield; Howard C. Tracy, of Plainfield; Louis B. Bonnett, of Elizabeth. Coroner, David J. Burke, of Westfield.

SOCIALIST-LABOR PARTY.

Congress, Wm. J. Campbell, of Elizabeth. Senator, Otto Hufnagel, of Elizabeth. Sheriff, Wm. Scott, of Plainfield. Assembly, Charles Dahmen, of Elizabeth; John P. Weigel, of Elizabeth; Wm. J. James, of Plainfield. Coroner, Wm. E. VanNorden, of Plainfield.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

REPUBLICAN.

Congress, Benjamin F. Howell, of Middlesex. For Senator, Charles A. Reed, of North Plainfield. Assembly, P. V. Van Doren, of Millstone.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATS.

Congress, William S. Jones, of Monmouth. For State Senator, George V. Vanderveer, of Bridgewater. Assembly, Charles A. Moran, of Franklin.

DEMOCRAT.

Congressmen, Rev. J. W. Wells, Somerset. Senator, George Cramer, of Branchburgh. Assembly, W. J. Logan, of Bridgewater.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Tuesday; Slightly Warmer Tuesday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 68 Degrees.

FACTS AND QUESTIONS.

Editor Frank W. Runyon professes to be a loyal and consistent member of the Republican party.

The Republican party's aims, as enunciated by their National platform, is to maintain prosperity for the people of the United States—that is, to so govern the country as to permit every citizen to be amply and reasonably compensated for their labor in earning a livelihood.

Of Mr. Runyon's loyalty to the advocacy of these tenets there is no question.

But of the consistency of his public advice as reflected by his private practice there is a wide chasm.

Does Mr. Runyon believe that the payment of $2.50 per week for typesetters is the conception of fair wages as intended by the Republican platform?

Does Mr. Runyon believe that a typesetter receiving $2.50 per week should be "docked" at the rate of $12 a week for lost time?

Does Mr. Runyon believe that an era of prosperity and good wages can come to the laboring masses of this country when girls are compelled to work in newspaper composing rooms for one month without pay, and then are compensated at the rate of seventy-five cents per week?

These are simple questions. If Editor Runyon can answer them with truthfulness and consistency The Press and an inquisitive public will be highly gratified.

END OF THE CAMPAIGN.

Tonight ends the most important political campaign ever waged in the United States. The isues relative to the circulating currency of the country have knocked down party lines, and on one side has been arrayed those who believe that the present system of finance in Goverment should be continued until such a time as other nations with whom we deal largely in a commercial way shall join in bimetalism, and on the other side are those who believe that this country shall adopt bimetalism, embodying the 16 to 1 ratio between silver and gold, without awaiting the action of foreign nations, whom, it is argued, will soon fall into line and adopt the same plan as soon as it is seen that this country is to operate its monetary system upon this principle. As a whole, the campaign has been conducted on education lines, each side endeavoring to win support with reasoning arguments. Every means for instruction in the ideas, practicability and justness on both sides has been utilized, and there is reason to believe that the voters will go to the polls tomorrow and deposit their ballots with a greater degree of intelligence and responsibility towards the Government under which they live than has ever been the case before.

Beyond the interest in the National election, Plainfield is more concerned than usual over the county officers to be elected, for on all the tickets are the names of her citizens, and the complimentary vote they will receive from friends and neighbors will cut quite a figure.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Latourette, of Monticello, N. Y., is visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Bloomer, of New York, is the guest of Miss Lillian Glen, of Craig place.

Samuel Boss, of Central avenue, has returned from a business trip south.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Sr., of Craig place, are guests of Westfield friends.

Sergeant Kiely is confined to his home with a severe attack of throat trouble.

Mrs. T. M Warde sang a pretty solo at the First Baptist church yesterday morning.

Miss Ida Randolph, of Brooklyn, is visiting the Misses Smalley, of Somerset street.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, has returned from Lehigh University, for a few days.

Miss Lucy Boss, of Central avenue, is visiting relatives at Phillipsburg for a few weeks.

Dr. I. R. Glen, of Craig place, has been entertaining his nephew, Mr. Clark, of Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stelle, of Central avenue, entertained friends from Hoboken yesterday.

J. L. Wiseman, of Richmond street, went to Trenton, Saturday, to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Nettie Young, of the borough, will entertain a few friends at her home tomorrow evening.

S. A. Wallace, of Grove street, has returned home after an absence of three weeks in Baltimore.

George Bedford, who has been in Texas for the Scott's Press Works, is expected home this week.

Miss Jennie Burr, of Newark, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. George Dunham, of East Second street.

Robert Green, of Newtown, L. I., has been visiting his friend, Thomas U. Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

F. L. C. Martin, of Park avenue, went to Princeton Saturday to witness the Princeton-Cornell game of football.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, is home from Yale College for a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Hodge and son, Raymond Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, spent yesterday with Somerville relatives.

John Jansen who has been stopping at Long Branch for sometime has returned to his home 63 Westervelt avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotton and Miss Edith Cotton, of Brooklyn, are visiting at the home of Frank Baldwin, of Willow avenue.

Henry Eggerding, of Arlington avenue, returned this afternoon from Rutger's College to spend election day at home.

Frank Dodge, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Bayonne, spent Saturday and Sunday in Plainfield with relatives.

Mr. Emerson and family, of the borough, leave Saturday for the South, where they will remain during the winter.

Louis Darling and Wm. L. McClure rode over to Princeton Saturday to witness the Princeton-Cornell game of football.

Harry Yarnell, who has been stopping in the city for some time, returned to his home in Philadelphia, on Saturday.

J. Augustus Compton, of Scott's Press Works, has just returned from Mexico where he has been erecting presses for the above works.

Frank Baldwin, of Willow avenue, is spending several days on the preserve of a Long Island country club, where he is enjoying first-class shooting.

D. H. Rogers, of Fourth street and Madison avenue, has gone to Alfred, N. Y., to vote. Mr. Rogers originally came from Alfred and he will be gone until early next week.

Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Jenkins left Chicago this morning for Plainfield, and are scheduled to arrive at the Grand Central station, New York, at 1:20 tomorrow afternoon.

A letter has just been received from Mark Dowd, formerly of the borough, who is now living in Des Moines. He says he likes the country very much and expects to remain there.

Miss Linda Butler, daughter of William C. Butler, of East Front street, and Miss Marie Bourgeois, have returned from Spring Lake, where they have been spend the past month.

Miss Osborn and Miss Norton, of New York city, spent Sunday at the Mountain Farm in Washington Valley, and this morning they returned home, accompanied by Miss Bessie Taylor, who will remain there for a week.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

ALIS TEAM THE WINNERS.

Rosell Couldn't Even Beat the Youngsters at Football.

There were twenty-two very much surprised young men on the Martine field Saturday afternoon when the Alis Football team defeated the Rosell eleven by a score of 18 to 0. The Rosellians had strengthened their team in weight until they averaged nearly fifteen pounds more than their Plainfield opponents and they expected to walk away with the Alis boys. The latter, when they saw the men they had to play against, were almost in despair but Captain Phillips rallied his forces and gave the Roselles the biggest kind of a surprise party.

The Alis team had the kickoff and a Roselle player caught the ball. The Roselles could not advance it anyhow and lost it on four downs about sixty five yards from their goal. Cuming, protected by splendid interference, rounded the right end on the first play and raced down the field for a touchdown in less than three minutes of play. Cuming and Phillips each scored another touchdown in the first half but all the goals were missed leaving the score 12 to 0 in favor of the Alis boys. Peddle, of the Roselle's, sprained his ankle and Brown took his place. Dwight scored the only touchdown in the second half and Finch kicked the goal.

The team play on the part of the Alis boys was all that saved them and it certainly was excellent. The interference was worthy of one of the large college teams, for every man seemed to know exactly where he belonged and what to do. The ends did some great work at breaking up Roselle's interference and downing the runner. Several tricks were used by the Plainfield team and in almost every instance resulted in large games.

The two teams lined up as follows:

ALIS.		ROSELLE.
Wooston	right end	DeForest, (capt)
Finch	right tackle	Mulford
Stewart	right guard	Jones
Tyler	centre	Chilvis
Long	left guard	Pierson
Woltman	left tackle	Green
Waring	left end	Shangle
Dwight	quarter back	Russell
Rittenhouse	right half back	Herrick
Cuming	left half back	Peddle, Brown
Phillips	full back	Cook

Touchdowns—Cuming, 2, Phillips, 1, Dwight, 1. Goals—Finch, 1. Referee—Chrles B. Morse, of Plainfield. Umpire—Edgar I. Serrell, of Plainfield. Linesmen, Carroll L. Runyon and Morris Dumont, of Plainfield. Halves, twenty minutes.

SERVICE FOR VETS AND THEIR SONS.

Rev. C. L. Goodrich Says a G. A. R. Parade is Inspiring.

The G. A. R. services held yesterday afternoon in the W. C. T. U. rooms was largely attended and interesting. Prominet members of the Union, together with Rev. C. L. Goodrich, occupied seats on the platform. There was special music by a trio consisting of Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Honeyman and Miss Jomini. The latter rendered an impressive soprano solo, while Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Honeyman sang a pretty duet. Miss Peck presided at piano and Mrs. James D. Anderson assisted on the cornet. Mrs. M. C. Dobbins introduced Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, County Superintendant, who welcomed the G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans in the name of the Union, after which Rev. C. L. Goodrich made an address. A portion of his remarks were as follows:

"Plainfield has had a great many parades, but there is no parade so impressive as that of the Grand Army. The Knights Templar were here and marched with steady tread and they had more gold on their uniforms than you have, but there is nothing like the blue uniform and the corded hat. I never get tired of hearing the soldiers tell of their experiences. It is essential that you should be prayerful and loyal. Both qualities are becoming a true soldier, and you should let all know that you are on the Lord's side."

Mr. Goodrich coupled his remarks by relating several interesting war stories which stirred the hearts of all. The Veterans and others gave brief talks after Mr. Goodrich concluded his remarks. The service closed with the singing of a hymn and a prayer.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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GAY TIME HALLOWE'EN.

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the same time and, at last, bid goodnight to their hostess and by the light of the bright stars overhead, went homeward to dream of the "Seven Wonders" and their Hallowe'en party.

Among those present were the "Seven Wonders," who are the Misses Evelyn M. Lewis, Bessie Baldwin, Mary E. Collier, Bessy Fitz Randolph, Eva Benton, Mabelle Smith, Clara Long, Lillian T. Glen and Katherine Nevius, and Miss Elsie Smith, Miss Eleanor Williams, Miss Bloomer, of New York; Miss Edith Colton, of Brooklyn; Miss Margaret Cave and Messrs. Nathan Lewis, McCrayer, William W. Coriell, Brereton Platt, Fred Bonny, George Snediker, Guernsey Nevius, Charles Hazeltine, Lindley Hillman, Walter H. Serrell, George Proctor Smith, Wilbur F. Cornwell, Robert Green, of Newton, L. I.; Eaton's, of Elizabeth, and Clark, of Brooklyn.

There was a great congregation of young folks at Percy Western's house in Washington Park on Saturday evening to celebrate Hallowe'en and a great time time they had, too, with games, dances and "snap dragon. Juna Tolles, Blanche Heideloff, Clara Buckle, Inez Tolles, Jennie DeCamp, Jessie Stikes, Carrie Pangborn, Willie Hepburn, Irving Yerkes, Fred Martin, George Conover and Ed. Suffern were there, and so was the ice cream, cake, candy and all the other accessories to such occasions. It was near 11 o'clock when the gay party faced the dangers of the "flour dusters" and "bean throwers" and departed for their homes.

A few friends gathered at the home of Miss Cora Richardson, of East Sixth street, Saturday and participated in the festivities of Hallowe'en. All of the latest games were played and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the event. Those present were the Misses Richardson, Messerschmith, Force, Hayes, Randolph, Lunger and Giles, and Messrs. Ernest Mallard, William DeMeza, John DeMeza, Charles Hayes, Fred Phillips, Fred Batson, William Moore, John Steiner and Bert Steiner, of Plainfield, and Miss Freeman, of Jersey City.

Bryan G. Harman, of West Eight street, entertained a number of his friends on Saturday evening. They went to see Krieger, the magacian, who gave an entertainment at the Crescent Avenue Church, and then returned to the house to spend most of the evening in dancing.

THEATRICAL.

The theatre-goers of Plainfield don't want to forget that Emmett Corrigan and his company of players will open a three-nights engagement in high-class comedy dramas. Tonight they will produce the great sensational comedy, entitled "The Mountebank." The piece is elaborately costumed, and is a decided success, under the personal direction of Mr. Corrigan, in which he plays the part of the Mountebank. Singing of popular songs by Gus Thomas will be a special feature of the entertainment. Tomorrow evening election returns will be given from the stage.

Miss Mabel Winton, daughter of ex-Senator Winton, of Hackensack, spent Sunday with Miss Florence Hawkins, of LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. Shoemakor, of East Third street, who is visiting relatives in Pennsylvania, is very ill and slight hopes of her recovery are entertained. She is an aunt of Mrs. Howell, of East Third street.

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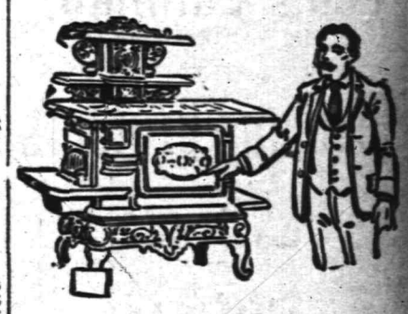

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Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Jacob Huff, of Somerville, is visiting among friends and relatives.

A special train of empty cars was run to Jersey City Saturday to accommodate commuters and others along the line who remained over in New York to witness the business men's parade.

Arthur Giles is putting in the furnace which is to heat the new municipal building so that everything will be comfortable for receiving the election returns tomorrow night.

The Plainfield News says Joseph Maier found a handsome pearl handled pocketknife a day or two ago. "Joe" says it is false as he hasn't ever found as much as a husking peg.

Miss Lena Maier, while carving bread for supper on Saturday evening nearly cut off the thumb of her left hand. Blood flowed profusely from the wound, and the young lady fainted through fear and excitement.

Charles A. Beekman, of Front street, who was compelled to give up his position at Dealaman's several weeks ago owing to ill health, is now being treated by a Paterson specialist, and his condition is somewhat improved.

The Emoryside station at the street car terminus was closed Saturday, and passengers perched under the trees while waiting for the cars. As Mr. Emory is a Seventh-day man he devotes that day to rest and church going.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at the M. E. church yesterday morning, and in the evening the pastor, Rev. S. F. Custard, preached a most forcible and beneficial sermon to a large congregation.

"Billy" Brokaw, who has been looking after W. H. Carman's meat business while the latter was hunting in Pennsylvania, has become qute an expert with the knife and cleaver, so that now he can dissect a steer with ease and rapidity.

Two well known citizens have entered into an election bet on the general result, and the provisions are that the loser shall straddle a mule and ride backwards from the Park Hotel to Nelson's Hotel in New Market. Articles of agreement were signed on Saturday, and as the men are prominent in both business and politics, much fun is expected.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Thousands of crows are seen each morning flying over to the Passaic Valley in search of food, and at night they fly back to what is known as "the big woods," near Rahway.

Jack Bly, a former bartender in Plainfield and this place, who pleaded non vult to the charge of atrocious assault on a liveryman at Westfield, in the Union County Court at Elizabeth on Saturday, was sentenced to five months in the county jail.

A signboard, pointing out the way to Plainfield, is needed at the intersection of Front street and Park avenue. People driving down from the mountains, especially those not acquainted with the roads, invariably drive on toward Fanwood before noticing their mistake.

Much speculation is made and a little money changing hands on the result of a five-mile bicycle race tomorrow between Benjamin Wainwright and Joseph Neil, both Scott Press Works employes. The course is from the works at 2 p. m., via South avenue, to Fanwood, Scotch Plains, and return. The two riders raced over the same course two years ago, when Mr. Wainwright won in 17½ minutes.

Justice G. J. Lauzer and John Everitt and son, of Rahway, rode over to Scotch Plains on their wheels yesterday afternoon in anticipation of meeting Councilman Fred Lufbury, Nicholas Phillips and John Moore, who had preceded them on a trip to the "Deserted Village," near Feltville. Judge Lauzer had never been to the "Deserted Village," and was quite surprised when told that there was nothing there to desert except the land, and that some people are now deserting that.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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—Peck's store will be closed tomorrow.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight.

—The postoffice will be open tomorrow morning from 7 to 10 o'clock.

—Queen Esther Band of Grace M. E. church will give an entertainment early in December.

—The Plainfield Board of Education will hold its regular meeting for November this evening.

—A phonograph entertainment will be given in the Mt. Olive Baptist church next Thursday evening.

—Many of the employes at the Scott Printing Press Works laid off until after election, but it was not compulsory.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The Garwood Land Improvement Company is to start the erection of fourteen new houses within the next ten days.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will meet in regular session this evening for the transaction of routine business.

—A harvest home will be held this week at the Baptist Home for the Aged in Newark. A number from this city will attend.

—This was another busy morning for Ticket Agent Nelson at the North Avenue station, it being the day for commutation tickets.

—The golf match for the Chapman championship cup will be started tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock on the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club.

—A large number of the boys living in the vicinity of East Fifth street and Washington street had a Republican parade Saturday evening. A few drums were used to enliven the occasion.

—The members of the First Church of Christ have decided to hold their Christian Endeavor services at the home of Miss VanMiddlesworth, on Liberty street, and the communion services at the home of Mr. Shultice, on Manning avenue.

—The cup presented by J. W. Reinhart, for the winner of the handicap tournament, has been received at the clubhouse and is thoroughly admired by all. A photograph of the Lenox championship cup has just been received and given a prominent position.

—Some of the out-of-town bicyclists and especially those from Elizabeth and Newark, seem to have a propensity for swearing on the streets. Yesterday about noon a dozen or more riders came to town and their conversation was most obnoxious, to say the least.

—The Scandia Junior Dancing Society, which held sessions Saturday nights all last season in Red Men's hall, has opened again for this season. The society has changed its quarters and now meets in the hall over Republican headquarters on East Front street.

—As a dentifrice, Allen's Royal tooth powder is a very superior article, and together with his Royal talcum, the "mothers' friend," make two of the best powders on the market. They are like the baking powder, absolutely pure. They are both sold everywhere, in all drug and dry goods stores, and can be purchased at the low price of ten cents each.

Frank Stites, the carpenter who fell from a scaffold a few days ago, has recovered from the effects of the fall.

Miss Julia G. Shims, a graduate of the Woman's Training School at Phiadelpnia, has been secured by the First Baptist church to assist in Sunday-school and church missionary work. She will enter upon her duties at once.

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ATTEMPTED HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

Westfield Woman Seized by a Man Who Demanded Her Pocketbook.

An attempt at highway robbery was made at Westfield, Saturday night, upon Mrs. William Kelly, a young woman employed as a domestic by a family living on Elm street. It seems that Mrs. Kelly went down town in the evening to make some purchases and was returning home alone about ten o'clock. When passing a lonely place known as Henry's Park, she was confronted by a man who seized her by the arm and demanded her pocketbook. Some of the people living near heard her screams and came out of their houses, and the fellow took to his heels.

A number of bruises upon the woman's arm bore witness to the truth of her story. She had a sum of money in her pocketbook, amounting to about $12, and it is thought that the highwayman happened to be about some of the places where she did her buying, and saw the money in her possession. She says that she can identify the man if brought face to face with him.

FINALS NOT FINISHED.

Golf Contest for Reinhart Cup Will be Ended Next Saturday.

The handicap match play for the Reinhart cup came off Saturday afternoon on the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club links. It was only possible, however, to play one round, and the winners will play off the match next Saturday afternoon at the usual hour. The playing on Saturday was good and much interest was manifested. J. H. P. Wharton captured the honors of a best play by covering the eighteen holes in eighty-five strokes J. S. Anthony, scratch, beat Carl Walz 5 up; Dr. Ard, handicap 25, beat J. H. P. Wharton 4 up, while Lee Ashley Grace, handicap 17, beat F. D. Warren 6 up. The match between Thomas Van Boskerck and George Van Boskerck was postponed until next Saturday. Tea was served at the club house in the afternoon, and Mrs. Joshiah Brown poured tea assisted by Mrs. W. L. C. Glenney, Mrs. E. E. Cady and Miss Maude Middledith. The attendance was quite large and the event was thoroughly pleasing in every respect.

Prayer For the Country's Safety.

A prayer meeting for the welfare and safety of the country at the coming election followed the regular evening service at the Crescent Avenue church yesterday and it was largely attended. In his evening sermon, Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., referred to the question of tomorrow's election and spoke of the necessity of all citizens voting to preserve the welfare and safety of the United States.

Sentenced to the County Jail.

Henry VanNest, the young lad who stole the gun from Charles Lister at the time he removed his stock from his old location on North avenue, to the Jersey cycle and sportings goods store, was sentenced, Saturday, in the county court, to three months in the county jail.

Broke Her Arm.

The young daughter of Harry G. Runkle, of West Seventh street, fell from her wheel Saturday and broke her arm.

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Tomorrow you will be called upon to decide as an American citizen whether wealth and plutocracy shall rule Democratic America or the sturdy masses of the people. Stripped of all gloss and display, this contest is but a fight of the people on the side of Wm. J. Bryan, and on the other a fight of combined wealth under McKinley and Palmer.

The Democratic party have no money in this contest. We appeal to your manhood and integrity as patriots to be active and earnest on election day. We plead with you to cast your ballot for **Bryan and Sewall.** These candidates stand for broad American principles, to wit, Gold and Silver. Nations have decayed from plutocracy, but never from too much good money. May Heaven speed the cause of humanity.

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President Democratic Ass'n.

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On sale tomorrow, two cases of fine Amoskeag Outing Flannel, 7c. yd.
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Tomorrow, 1,000 pairs of fine Black Stockings for ladies, our regular 25c. hose, tomorrow 18c.; 3 pairs for 50c.

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Tomorrow, 1,000 pairs of Children's Fine Ribbed Hose, the usual 15c. quality, 8c. the pair.

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½ gal pitchers	19c
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Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:

Wash basins	10c
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Cullenders	19c
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Forecasts of the Result of the Election Greatly at Variance.

BOTH SIDES MAKING BIG CLAIMS

The Close of the Campaign in the East. New York's Monster Parades—Outlook as Foreshadowed in Several States.

New York, Nov. 2.—The campaign closed in this state Saturday night. It has been a series of hurrahs for the flag, appeals to patriotism and arguments for conservatism in financial and governmental affairs. The gold men's naval parade a week ago and the monster parade Saturday mark the campaign as one of the most enthusiastic ever conducted in the Empire state. The democratic managers have conducted an unostentious but somewhat vigorous canvass. With Senator Hill silent, William C. Whitney an avowed McKinley man, and ex-Gov. Roswell P. Flower and other leaders stumping for Palmer and Buckner, it has been a quiet campaign, but hard work has been done among the labor men and the working classes, and the campaign of education will be kept up until the polls open to-morrow morning. Mr. Bryan has twice visited the state and this city. Throughout the state speakers have set forth at length the claims of the different parties, and tons of literature have been distributed by both sides. The national democrats have conducted a somewhat spirited campaign for Palmer and Buckner. They do not expect to carry a single county, but are confident of making a showing at the polls which will justify them in continuing their organization for future work. The prohibition and socialist labor parties have made their usual quiet campaigns. The people's party, after failure to obtain recognition on the democratic electoral ticket, endorsed the Bryan and Sewall electors and took down their state ticket with the exception of their nominee for judge of the court of appeals

Estimates Greatly Differ.

At republican headquarters this morning the following statement was given out: "The republicans expect to carry the state for McKinley by from 200,000 upwards. They expect to elect Frank S. Black governor and to capture the congressional delegation of thirty-four, with possibly two exceptions. They count upon electing 100 out of the 150 members of the state legislature, thus insuring the election of a republican to succeed David B. Hill in the United States senate. Some democrats who will vote for McKinley are expected to cast their ballot for Griffin, the national democratic nominee for governor, and his vote is expected by some to equal that cast for Porter, the regular democrat for governor. The division of the democratic vote between Porter and Griffin makes it an easy race for Black, the republican nominee." Chairman Danforth of the democratic state committee says he is confident of carrying the state for Bryan by 40,000. He looks for a democratic plurality in this city of 30,000.

Democrats Claim Texas.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 2.—J. W. Blake, chairman of the state democratic executive committee, says that Bryan and Sewall will carry Texas by at least 30,000 majority. Furthermore, he says every democratic nominee for congress will receive a very large plurality. The republican committee, however, is inclined to doubt these claims as to majorities, and say that there will be a surprise for the democracy when the ballots are counted. McKinley, it is believed, will hardly receive 200,000 votes out of a possible total of 475,000. It looks as though Culberson, democrat for governor, will be defeated by Kearby, populist, due to the republican and gold democratic vote going to him. The gold men claim they will elect three congressmen.

The Outlook in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 2.—The campaign in Iowa closed last night. It has been the most active and absorbing the state ever knew. Both sides conducted vigorous and well organized campaigns. Republicans claim the state by 75,000, and the democrats say they will carry it by 15,000 to 25,000. The republicans claim every one of the eleven congressmen; the democrats claim they have good chances to carry five. Indications are that the republicans are practically sure of nine, and that the democrats have a fighting chance for two.

Predicts a Republican Landslide.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Vice-Chairman Apsley of the republican congressional committee left Washington yesterday for his home at Hudson, Mass., to cast his vote for McKinley and Hobart. "You may say for me," said Mr. Apsley, on taking the train, "that I stand by my former prediction that the republican ticket will be triumphant by more than 325 votes in the electoral college, that, in fact, McKinley's election will be marked by a landslide; and that I have not modified my estimate of the election of 224 sound money republicans to the house."

Close Vote Expected in Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 2.—While the silver sentiment is strong in this state and the chances are in favor of a victory for the fusion ticket, the majority will not probably be more than 1,000. Republicans declare that they have a thorough organization, and that their polls show a majority for McKinley.

Fell Dead in a Political Parade.

Cincinnati, Nov. 2.—During the republican parade here Saturday afternoon Henry Lowenstein, a prominent capitalist and director of the Cincinnati Abattoir company, fell dead while marching with his employes.

AMERICANS ARE LAW-ABIDING.

Cardinal Gibbons Touches on the Election in His Sermon Yesterday.

Baltimore, Nov. 2.—Cardinal Gibbons touched upon the political situation in his sermon at the cathedral yesterday. "I hold that the American people," he said, "are fundamentally a religious people and possess in an eminent degree the natural virtues which are the basis of a supernatural life. They are endowed with a high order of intelligence. They are brave, generous and courageous. They have a sense of justice and fair play and have generally the courage of their convictions. Above all they are law-abiding. We are on the eve of a presidential election, both great parties contending for the mastery. They are leaving no stone unturned in order to be successful. A foreigner looking on and witnessing the violent denunciation that one party is uttering against another and the terrible predictions in regard to the future of the country if the other party were to win would think that we were on the verge of a dreadful revolution. On next Wednesday morning he would find that it was but a bloodless revolution, one effected not by bullets, but by ballots. A man is to be chosen to the highest position in the gift of his fellows and important issues are at stake. Yet on next Wednesday morning the minority will bow gracefully to the will of the majority, the country will survive and the nation will flourish and be perpetuated. Is this not good evidence that we are subject to the law? And the people that bow so to civil law are not the kind to reject divine law."

MID-AIR PHOTOGRAPHS.

Views of the Great New York Parade Taken by Cameras Suspended by Kites.

Bayonne, N. J., Nov. 2.—Fifteen of the mid-air knite photographs of the parade Saturday, taken by William A. Eddy and Henry L. Allen, have been developed and are partly successful. Owing to the great height of many of the buildings lining Broadway some of the perspective views failed to include the pavement. The experiment demonstrated that masses of men forming an army could be seen at a great distance in a city, because of the light shade of the pavement and the dark lines of the marchers. The film in range of the lens at the time the camera fell about 400 feet to the roof of an adjoining building, caused by the knite's breaking away, was obliterated, evidently caused by the jar opening the camera shutter when the camera struck the roof. Mr. Eddy thinks that the camera would have been dragged to pieces had the main line parted below it. The camera fell with a pendulum motion caused by the relaxing broken cord, held at the roof. Several views with the camera above the centre of Broadway shows the straight dark lines of the paraders in spite of the deep shadows cast by the buildings. In several views Broadway seems to extend to the top of the photograph, revealing light banners and dark rectangular masses of men extending far to the northward.

Political Row Ends in Death.

Providence, Nov. 2.—The political argument and fracas on a Prairie avenue trolley car late Saturday night caused the death of motorman Joseph Starr. It is reported that his skull was fractured in a scuffle with Edward Moseley a young colored man. Mosely kept annoying a young man who held different views until conductor Clarence H. Ryan threatened to eject him. Later on Motorman Starr seized Moseley and they left the car and fought on the sidewalk. Starr walked home after the fight, but became unconscious early in the morning and died yesterday afternoon. Moseley was arrested.

Political Riots in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Bryan and McKinley forces met in West Madison street Saturday night. Four men were injured and three arrested, two of the latter being liberated when it appeared to the police that they were neither instigators of the riots nor active participants. The trouble necessitated the calling out of extra squads of officere until a whole company was detailed within two blocks. The headquarters of the Eighteenth ward silver democrats and republicans are nearly opposite each other, and the crowds which hang out at both places came together three times before midnight.

Bogus Tickets in North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 1.—Information has been received at democratic headquarters here that 100,000 tickets have been printed and circulated in different parts of the state bearing the device "Straight Populist Ticket," and containing only names of populist electors and leaving off the names of democratic and silver republican electors. One of these bogus tickets has been received here.

Marchers Go Down with a Bridge.

Uhrichsville, O., Nov. 2.—While the republican parade was crossing the Logan street bridge in Dennison Saturday afternoon the bridge collapsed, carrying twenty-five horsemen with it. All were injured, but none fatally. One horse was killed outright. A German woman whose name is not known is the most seriously injured.

Estimate of Popular Vote.

Canton, O., Nov. 2.—Hon. Joseph P. Smith, one of Major McKinley's secretaries during the campaign, has compiled a table of estimated pluralities of the popular vote for president. These estimates are from prominent republicans in each state. The totals show 1,445,000 for McKinley and 480,000 for Bryan.

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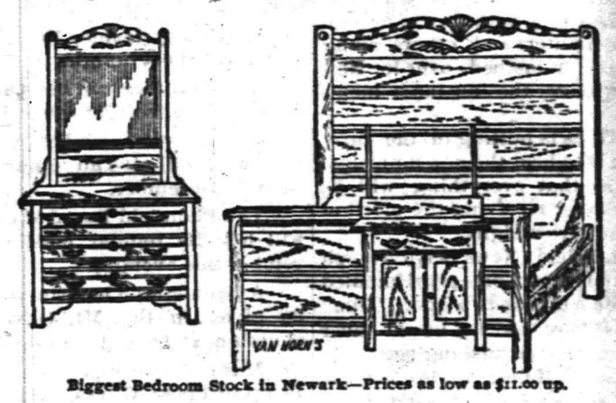

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 05, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 01, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 32, 8 48, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 3c, 9 03, 10 05, 11 25, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 4o, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 20 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 18, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 36, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 59, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43 5 14, 6 28, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 20, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 48, 8 19 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 2 18, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a.m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 8 03, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 32, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 40, 7 30 p. m.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

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8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 30 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

9 01 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Boynton Beach 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m., 1 15, 2 30, p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 48, a. m. 12 48, 2 17, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 3 25, 4 55, 5 14*, 6 35*, p. m. 1 17 night.

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No Fixed Programme for To-day---Many Messages of Assurance from Different States---Mrs. McKinley Now Able To Sit Up.

Canton, O., Nov. 2.—Maj. McKinley has no fixed programme for to-day, outside of a speech which he is to deliver to-night. He will remain at home and receive any visitors who may chance to call. He is in the best of spirits this morning, except as to anxiety over the illness of Mrs. McKinley, who for the past five days has been confined to her bed with a severe cold. She is much improved and was able to sit up for a time this morning. Major McKinley said he could scarcely realize that the fight was over and that he had made nearly 250 speeches. He expects to make the last speech of the campaign to his fellow-townsmen to-night. It has been his practice for many years to speak in Canton the night before election. The people of Canton will call in a body this evening and Major McKinley will address them from the stand in his front yard. A great volume of cheering news has been pouring in upon Major McKinley all this morning. He has received final and reassuring reports from West Virginia, Maryland, Kentucky, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas, North Dakota, South Dakota, California, Colorado, Oregon, Washington and Missouri. The news from all these states was thoroughly satisfactory, with the exception of two. There is some doubt expressed about Kansas and Missouri, but in the event of a general landslide Major McKinley's friends here say he will carry both of them. Major McKinley has been requested to press the button which will set in motion the machinery of the Tonawanda Iron and Steel works on Thursday next and will probably do so.

SOUTH DAKOTA'S FIERCE STORM

Snow Fifteen Inches Deep and Badly Drifted---Heavy Loss on Cattle.

Huron, S. D., Nov. 2.—The wind and snow storm which has prevailed at intervals for the past three days in this state has caused heavy losses to ranchmen by the destruction of cattle. Snow is reported from twelve to fifteen inches deep and badly drifted. No telegraphic communication is yet possible from here west to Pierre, and it is feared that stock in the foothills and on the Sioux reservation has suffered severely.

Dangerous Weather for Ocean Navigation.

Washington, Nov. 2.—November on the north Atlantic ocean promises to be dangerous for navigation. According to the official forecast for the current month, issued by the naval hydrographic office, frequent gales will be encountered between the New England coast and the British isles and as far south as the 40th parallel. Fog on the Grand banks, but at intervals only; also east of New England to the 60th meridian. Some icebergs in the vicinity of Belle Isle.

Brutal Prize Fight.

Shelbyville, Ind., Nov. 2.—A brutal prize fight was pulled off early yesterday morning at the fair grounds here. Ed Dismore of this city and Charles Smith of Marion, O., were the principals. Smith was knocked senseless in the sixth round and was carried from the ring bleeding from the ears, nose and mouth. His condition is serious.

Coal Discovered in Ontario.

Toronto, Nov. 1.—Coal has been discovered near Sudbury, in the Algoma district, which is believed to be identical with the anthracite found in the region of the Lehigh valley, Pa., except that it contains no sulphur. Samples have been brought to this city and pronounced by experts to be of very good quality.

Prevented a Big Fire.

Leominster, Mass., Nov. 2.—The Leominster hotel block, Monoosnock bowling alley and a tenement house, all wooden buildings, were badly damaged by fire yesterday. The firemen had a hard struggle to prevent an extensive conflagration. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin. Loss, about $18,000.

A Desperado Commits Suicide.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 2.—"Oklahoma Bill," alias William Payne, alias Pratt, committed suicide here by shooting. He is said to have been a member of the famous Dalton gang of outlaws, and was out on bond on a charge of highway robbery, committed in Oklahoma. Sickness and worry over his trial caused him to take his life.

French Mayors Invited to London.

London, Nov. 2.—The lord mayor has invited thirty of the mayors of the leading cities of France to attend a banquet at the Mansion house in December. The object of the lord mayor is to hold a conference with a view of establishing a complete commercial understanding.

Ocean Passenger Rates.

London, Nov. 2.—A dispatch from Hamburg says that it is the intention of the conference of the Atlantic steamship companies, held a few days since in London, to form a pool and advance cabin passenger rates by $25.

Baseball Fielding Record.

Washington, Nov. 2.—President Young has just given out the fielding record of the National league players for the season of 1896. First Baseman Lajoie of Philadelphia leads with a per centage of 992.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:32 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:55 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:55 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

Judging from the small score by which they were defeated, Saturday, by the Orange Athletic Club the Orange Y. M. C. A. eleven is a rattling good one. The score of the game was 6 to 0. The Plainfield boys will have to hustle next Saturday to defeat these Orange boys.

The New Jersey Athletic Club will play Stevens Institute Tuesday afternoon at Bergen Point. Trains on the Jersey Central Railroad will make a special stop at Avenue A for the benefit of those who wish to attend the game. Saturday, the Elizabeth Athletic Club defeated the Stevens eleven 52 to 0.

The Y. M. C. A. team will be considerably weakened tomorrow by the loss of Waring, Milne, and Smith. There is enough left, however, to make the Rutgers boys work if they wish to win. The substitutes for the Y. M. C. A. team will be Nathan Lewis, centre of the Stevens "Prep" school eleven, William Lawrence, an old Plainfield player, formerly a back on the High School team, and Fred Pope, formerly tackle for the Prudentials' and now regular substitute for end or tackle.

Tomorrow morning, for the first time this season, the eleven of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. will meet a team of college boys. They come from Rutgers College and are what is known as the "Scrubs." They hold their own with the "varsity" team, however and a victory against them will raise the reputation of the Plainfield team several degrees. Already, the Plainfield boys are known as football players that know how to play and the Rutgers boys have been making special preparations for a big fight. The Rahway players have wonderful stories to tell of the prowess of the Plainfield eleven but probably the most talked of man on the team is the giant guard, Alex Milne. The Rahway boys say that no body can stop him and as to going through him that is impossible. Not even a 'varsity man from Rutgers can stop him they say for didn't he throw Wyckoff all around the field? So the Scrubs are coming in fear and trembling of Milne, but unluckily for Plainfield, "Shorty" as he is called, will not be seen on the grid iron in this contest. McClure, one of the takles, is the heaviest available man for the place as Harry Rand will not be able to play after all. The game is to be played on the Martine field on Park avenue, just beyond Ninth street and will begin at ten o'clock. Admission will be 25 cents and the ladies will be admitted free. The two teams will probably line up as follows:

PLAINFIELD Y. M. C. A.		RUTGERS "SCRUBS"
Serrell	right end	Diehl
William	right tackle	Heath
Brown	right guard	Haines
Cuming	centre	Smith
McClure	left guard	Ludlum
Lovell	left tackle	Colyer
Peck	left end	Thompson (capt)
Freeman (capt)	quarter back	Henry
Dupee	right half back	Corbin
Catheart	left half back	Case
Darling	full back	Guthrie

In the second half, Schoonmaker will go behind the line as right half and Dupee' will take Williams' place at right tackle.

The football eleven of the Dunellen Athletic Club went to Bound Brook Saturday afternoon and returned with the scalp of the Bound Brook's, dangling at their belt. The Dunellen's won by 12 to 0. They scored in five minutes but, owing to the fact that the home team did not have time to raise the goal posts, no goals were kicked.

The Scotch Plains football team defeated the Dunellen football team by a score of 20 to 0 at Scotch Plains, Saturday.

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BASKET BALL.

The regulars defeated the business men's basket ball team Saturday evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium by a score of 19 to 7. The business men were ahead at the end of the first half, 6 to 4, but the regular team finally won. Physical Director Haywood was the referee and he seemed inclined to favor the latter team, of which he is the manager.

Will Vote for Mr. Ackerman.

The Palmer and Buckner Democrats of this city have issued a circular advocating all Democrats believing as they do, to vote for Ernest R. Ackerman, the Republican candidate for Presidential Elector in the Eighth district. In a letter issued they say: "We shall see that Mr. Ackerman's name is upon our ballot, and believe if you would do the same it would be paying a deserved compliment to our young townsman, who is worthy of your suffrage and who would appreciate this expression of confidence and esteem.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—James E. Martine is billed to speak at Bordentown tonight.

—Today is All Souls Day, and is fittingly observed in all the Catholic churches throughout the world.

—Bishop Wigger will be at St. Mary's church, Tuesday, November 10th, to administer the rite of confirmation.

—There will be a special business meeting of the Congregational Society in the church parlors at 8:30 Wednesday evening.

—The charge against Charles Barry, which was adjourned for one week, was not for quarreling and fighting, but for violating the hack ordinance.

—Councilman S. A. Ginna has a rare and exceedingly beautiful display of flowers at his conservatory, and he cordially invites all lovers of flowers to call and see them.

—A most beautiful selection entitled "Jesu Me" was rendered yesterday in St. Mary's church by a trio of voices composed of Miss May Flanagan as soprano, M. J. Cashin, bass, and P. H. O'Brien, tenor.

—The delivery department of the Free Public Library will be closed on Election Day. The reading room will be open from 9 to 12 a. m., from 2 to 6 and from 7 to 10 p. m. The art gallery will be open from 10 to 12 a. m., and from 2 to 4 p. m.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Cortland Adams and Daniel Clark, of this city, the former employed on The Daily Press, spent yesterday in New York.

Mrs. I. Cavalier, of New Brunswick, who has been spending a week with her sister, Mrs. I. P. Allen, of Jackson avenue, returned home yesterday.

H. J. Martin sang in the Trinity Reformed church choir last evening, in the place of F. S. Cutter, who went to Rahway in the afternoon to see his grandmother, who is very ill.

John O'Brien, formerly at the Hotel Grenada, today entered into the employ of Manager Hopkins at the Palmer House, New Brunswick, where he will be pleased to see his Plainfield friends.

The all Hallow E'en sociable and dance given under the auspices of the Scandia Society in Red Men's Hall, Saturday evening, was a most enjoyable affair. Fully thirty couples were present and they kept up the festivities until midnight.

Paul, the Student.

The topic of the lesson to be studied at Mr. Murray's Bible class tomorrow evening at the Y. M. C. A. building will be "Paul, the Student."

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WHY NOT WEDDED.

Two Curious Reasons for Breaking Off an Engagement Compact.

Many marriages are sometimes declared off for peculiar reasons, generally insignificant, and quite as often on account of the eccentricity of the man as the woman. Only last month, says the Detroit Free Press, a marriage in New York high life arranged to take place was canceled for a very peculiar reason. The intended bride was a young and handsome woman, noted among her acquaintances for her dressy proclivities. The bridegroom, on the other hand, had by no means a strong reputation for being well groomed.

At an important function to which he escorted the young lady the tie which he was wearing persisted in climbing up over his collar. His fair companion, after several times calling his attention to the fact, left him and went home in despair at witnessing the amusing smiles of the other guests. Subsequently she wrote breaking off the match. She could never live happily with a slovenly husband, she explained.

A Chicago man of musical tastes backed out of the matrimonial bargain when he discovered at an evening party given to celebrate the betrothal that the voice of his future bride was of such a pitch as precluded the possibility of their ever singing duets together.

LIFE IN GREAT CITIES.

It Is Less Enervating Than That in Isolated Communities.

And as to the tendency of the growth of great cities to enervate nations, there is no proof of it at all, unless we identify the life of great cities with the passion for idleness and pleasure and self-indulgence which sometimes, but by no means universally, accompanies their growth, says the London Spectator. When you get a large proletariat, living, as that of ancient Rome and possibly of Nineveh and Babylon did, on the alms of the rich and powerful, then no doubt you have the conditions of a thoroughly unnatural and unhealthy life, and no one can wonder at the rapid decay of such cities and of the nations which gloried in them. But where the honest working class far outnumber the proletariat, where the middle classes of distributors and manufacturers and professional men are laborious and energetic, and even the class that lives on its accumulated wealth contains a considerable sprinkling of serious and disinterested workers, we do not believe that there is the smallest evidence of any greater danger in the life of the agricultural village or the pastoral tribe. Indeed, we should regard Olive Schreiner's picture of the life of the modern Boers as indicating a condition of things more prolific of morbid elements, with its almost complete absence of any stirring or active intelligence, than any kind of modern life that is honestly laborious at all. The Boer life is too sleepy, too destitute of stirring thought or effort, to be altogether natural. It needs at least the old element of danger and necessary vigilance to render it even bracing.

THE FUNNEL TRICK.

An Interesting Problem Devised by Sportive Californians.

Jerry Lynch has finally learned the funnel trick. He took it in two doses—one on one evening and the other the next. The senator sauntered up to the Bohemian club the other day and saw two or three of the younger members attempting a new feat, and he watched them with interest. One of them, says the San Francisco News Letter, stuck a funnel in the top of his trousers, threw his head back, placed a 50-cent piece on his forehead and tried to drop it in the funnel by slowly lowering his head. After all had failed Jerry insisted on trying it, though all had tried to dissuade him from attempting a feat too difficult for them. The funnel was placed in the waistband of his trousers and he threw back his head to receive the coin on his expansive brow. At that juncture a pitcher of ice water was emptied into the funnel, and by the time Jerry got through dancing the jokers had vanished. The senator's temper improved with dry raiment and the next night at the club he started in to show a couple of friends the funnel trick.

"It's this way," he explained, "you put the funnel in the top of your pantaloons, so, then throw your head back, so, and—wow!"

Again Jerry was forced to change his raiment, and he is not showing people what he knows about the funnel trick.

HARD ON CATS.

A French Government Commissioner Censures the Conduct of Official Cats.

The French government has just had occasion to appoint a commission to inquire into the grievances of the cats in its employ. Their report is an amusing exhibition of official stupidity, and will rouse a righteous indignation in the bosom of all friends of the useful mouser.

It appears that cats are kept in some of the French military magazines to keep down the surplus population of rats and mice. Their food is regulated by ministerial decree according to circumstances, and at present there is a regulation in force authorizing an expenditure of 2½ centimes per cat per diem. But this does not seem enough, as the unfortunate governmental cats have grown extremely thin, so at last the ministry appointed specialists to inquire into the matter. These have gravely reported that "the cats of the army are very slow to accustom themselves to the diet prescribed by the government circular. Thus they seldom eat bread, and never lap up greasy water unless actually driven thereto by pangs of hunger, so that they are dying off or else abandoning the military magazines."

A Chinese Piledriver.

Piles were being driven in one of the new buildings for a foundation for a punch. They were eight inches in diameter and fourteeen feet long. The staging was bamboo, and so was the frame for the hammer, which was a round piece of cast iron, with a hole in the center for a guide rod. Attached to the hammer block were 27 ropes, carried up to the top of the frame and down on the outside, looking very much like the old-fashioned Maypole. Twenty-seven women had hold of the ends, and with a sing-song, all together, pulled down; up the rod, four feet, traveled the hammer; then, at a scream, all let go, and down it came on top of the pile, which was protected by a band of ring. The women were paid 20 cents in gold per day. This Maypole driver is in general use throughout Japan and China.

A Swimming Machine.

The old-fashioned method of teaching swimming by means of a belt and rope running on a wire over the bath is still in vogue in many swimming schools, and has survived many more pretentious systems. A somewhat elaborate-looking machine has been invented for this purpose which is said to be of great assistance to the swimming pupil. The machine is a series of strong metal rods on which the pupil is placed. These rods move in such a way as to cause the pupil to make all the motions of swimming. When the habit of striking out properly is learned, the learner is allowed to go into water and put it into practice.

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NEARLY SMOTHERED BY VIOLETS

Miss Sadie Connolly Has a Narrow Escape in New York.

Miss Sadie Connolly, an actress, was half smothered by the sweet breath of violets the other night. She was able to be out of the bed the next day to receive in person the congratulations of friends, though still nervous and upset over her extraordinary experience.

When not on the road she has been at home in her snug flat at 1445 Second avenue, of which her sister Julia is housekeeper. The two sisters live entirely alone. Monday morning an expressman delivered at Miss Connolly's flat a huge box of violets shipped all the way from California in a bed of moist moss. There were nearly 3,000 separate flowers. The penetrating odor filled the flats. Miss Connolly's bedroom has no means of ventilation except a door opening into the front parlor and another communicating with her sister's bedroom.

The air being chilly the actress retired in the midst of her violets with the windows all closed. The next morning her sister found her unconscious. A physician who was promptly called brought her back to earth after having dumped the violets outdoors. These he said were partly responsible for the young woman's condition. As they were cut flowers and in the process of decay they had added greatly to the carbonic acid in the room.

BIDDY'S HALF HOLIDAY.

Most Wonderful Law Presented Before the New Zealand House.

The New Zealand house of representatives has been doing some wonderful things, and its latest achievement is a bill for a statutory half holiday for domestic servants, which has already received its second reading. According to this proposal, every mistress is bound to turn her servants out of her house from three p. m. until ten p. m. one day in every week. If the servant is found employed at her ordinary work during the statutory half holiday, the mistress will be liable to a penalty of £5. If the servants return to their homes for food during the time mentioned, the mistress must wait on them or be mulcted to the same tune, but we take it, says the Westminster Gazette that the mistress has a legal right to refuse admittance. The result will be that a large number of the servants in the town, being country girls without friends, will be driven to parade the streets for these six hours of compulsory holiday. The humorous completeness of this proposal will, we are afraid be fatal to its chances of becoming law. A prominent lady politician has already avowed her preference for a statutory half holiday for overworked mothers of large families who have no servants. The husband will then be compelled to remain at home and mind his house in the absence of his wife.

A Lengthy Courtship.

A courtship remarkable for its length is that of Abram Maris, aged 60 years, and Miss Sarah B. Williams, aged 57 years, and the scene is Damascus, a quaint little Quaker village of Kentucky. Both bride and groom are among the wealthiest members of the Society of Friends in that state, and for 40 years met each other on Sunday at the old brick church in their quaint village. The attachment between them began when Miss Williams was a rosy-cheeked girl of 17, but the only love making was a smile and a minute's conversation at the church door once a

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Re-Turned Wood Handled Ladles and Skimmers,	1c
Ornamented Crumb Trays, with Brush,	13c
All colors and decorated in gilt.	
Spring Balances guaranteed to weigh 25lbs accurately,	6c
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GREAT REPUBLICAN VICTORY!

ALL THEIR CANDIDATES SWEPT INTO OFFICE WITH MAJORITIES NOT EXPECTED BY ANY.

Billy Kirk Runs Two Hundred Ahead of His Ticket in His Own Home—Senator Voorhees Falls a Little Behind in Plainfield, While Ernest R. Ackerman Forges Ahead—The Vote by the Districts in this City and the Borough and Different Townships

The Republicans made a clean sweep of everything in Plainfield and Union county yesterday with majorities greater than has ever been known before, or even expected this year. William T. Kirk, who has been a favorite for Sheriff, goes into office with 1,516 majority from his own home and a majority of over 4,000 in the county. Plainfield's other candidate on the Republican ticket, William R. Codington, for Assemblyman, is re-elected by an immense majority, though he was cut somewhat in the various wards in this city, but Ernest R. Ackerman, for Presidential Elector, received a large complimentary vote all through the county, and especially in this city, and his plurality considerably exceeds those of the other Electors.

In Somerset county Charles A. Reed was elected Senator by a handsome majority, though it was thought that he would have a hard pull. His own town, North Plainfield, gave him a big vote.

The results in this city and borough is as follows:

PRESIDENTIAL.

	Republican	Democrat	Nat'l Democrat	Socialist	Prohibition
First ward, 1st dist.	384	133	19	2	3
First ward, 2d dist.	125	53	5	4	2
Second ward, 1st dist.	459	81	46	3	6
Second ward, 2d dist.	76	14	3	0	1
Third ward	491	85	35	10	4
Fourth ward, 1st dist.	416	186	19	2	9
Fourth ward, 2d dist.	356	102	20	34	4
Total	2307	656	143	51	29

Republican plurality, 1428.

CONGRESS.

	Fowler	Willey	Noyes	Campbell	Wilson
First ward, 1st dist.	384	139	22	2	3
First ward, 2d dist.	124	53	6	4	2
Second ward, 1st dist.	464	81	48	3	6
Second ward, 2d dist.	74	13	5	0	1
Third ward	486	84	35	10	4
Fourth ward, 1st dist.	411	187	21	2	9
Fourth ward, 2d dist.	353	101	21	30	4
Total	2296	658	158	51	9

Fowler's majority 1400.

SENATOR.

	Voorhees	Powers	Pollak	Hufnagel	Bigelow
First ward, 1st dist.	386	132	21	2	3
First ward, 2d dist.	123	55	5	4	2
Second ward, 1st dist.	452	88	48	3	6
Second ward, 2d dist.	74	13	5	0	1
Third ward	485	86	33	10	4
Fourth ward, 1st dist.	408	190	20	2	9
Fourth ward, 2d dist.	349	106	20	30	4
Total	2277	670	152	51	29

Voorhees' majority, 1375.

SHERIFF.

	Kirk	Sheppard	Moore	Scott	Brookfield
First ward, 1st dist.	392	130	14	2	3
First ward, 2d dist.	125	53	6	3	2
Second ward, 1st dist.	464	83	36	3	8
Second ward, 2d dist.	73	13	7	0	1
Third ward	503	67	25	10	4
Fourth ward, 1st dist.	426	174	16	2	9
Fourth ward, 2d dist.	359	94	17	30	4
Total	2342	614	121	50	31

Kirk's majority, 1516.

ASSEMBLY.

	Rep.			Dem		N Dem			Soc.			Pro.		
	Codington	Roll	Clauss	Wolfskiel	N. Woodruff	J. Woodruff	Tracy	Rand	Bonnett	Dahmen	Weigel	James	Wilcox	McLeod	Massett
First ward, First dist.	367	384	380	141	135	133	19	19	18	2	2	2	3	3	3
Second dist.	117	124	124	52	52	52	6	7	6	4	4	4	2	2	2
Second ward, First dist.	453	453	452	79	94	80	60	47	36	3	3	3	7	7	6
Second dist.	70	74	74	13	13	16	5	6	5	0	0	0	1	1	1
Third ward	493	490	484	81	82	84	39	32	29	10	10	10	4	4	4
Fourth ward, First dist.	412	408	408	190	184	187	22	21	22	2	2	2	9	9	9
Second dist.	356	352	354	101	102	101	20	18	19	30	30	30	4	4	4
Total	2168	2285	2276	657	662	653	171	150	145	51	51	51	27	27	27

CORONER.

	Marsh	Sinclair	Myles	Burke	VanNorden
First ward, 1st dist.	132	383	3	21	2
First ward, 2d dist.	53	125	2	5	4
Second ward, 1st dist.	81	465	6	48	4
Second ward, 2d dist.	13	74	1	5	0
Third ward	79	493	4	33	10
Fourth ward, 1st dist.	179	415	9	28	2
Fourth ward, 2d dist.	99	353	5	22	30
Total	636	2308	30	162	52

Sinclair's majority, 1428.

KIRK CUT IN ELIZABETH.

Ran 1,200 Behind the Head of the Ticket at the County Seat.

In every town in the county the Republicans made great gains. In Elizabeth Kirk's majority was 330, while Voorhees and the head of the ticket was 1,600. Though many Democrats, it is said, voted for Kirk in Elizabeth, their support was more than offset by the large number of Republicans who bolted him and supported Sheppard.

Kirk ran well in all other towns of the county, and the loes of 1,200 in Elizabeth was made up so that he only ran behind his ticket about 500 votes on the general result. His majority in the county will be between 4,000 and 4,500, while the rest of the ticket will have close to 5,000.

In Rahway the Republican majority will be 500. Summit gives a majority of 100, while Cranford shows up with 210 for the Presidential ticket and about 290 for the county ticket. Roselle gave 215 majority and Westfield about 350, while the rest of the towns swelled the figures close up to the 5,000.

NORTH PLAINFIELD.

In His Own Home Mr. Reed Runs Ahead of His Ticket.

The vote in North Plainfield borough was as follows:

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

	Republican	Democrat	Nat'l Democrat	Prohibition	Socialist
First district	384	135	13	9	0
Second district	271	140	7	11	2
Total	655	275	20	20	2

Republican plurality, 340.

CONGRESS.

	Howell	Wells	Jones	Marshall	Henry
First district	383	132	12	9	0
Second district	269	140	7	11	2
Total	652	272	19	20	2

Howell's plurality, 339.

SENATOR.

	Reed	Cramer	Van Derveer	Barrett
First district	385	128	8	8
Second district	271	133	7	11
Total	656	261	15	19

Reed's majority, 361.

ASSEMBLYMAN.

	VanDoren	Logan	Moran	Bodine
First district	382	135	11	9
Second district	270	138	7	11
Total	652	273	18	20

VanDoren's majority, 341.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The vote in Fanwood township was as follows: Presidential Electors, Republican, 180; Democratic, 75; National Democratic, 13; Socialist and Prohibitionist, 1 each. Congress, Fowler, 188; Willey, 72; Noyes, 14; Campbell, 1. Senator, Voorhees, 189; Powers, 71; Pollak, 14; Bigelow and Hufnagel, 1 each. Assemblymen, Roll, 188; Codington, 186; Clauss, 181; Wolfskeil, 73, J. J. Woodruff, 73; Noah Woodruff, 82; Rand, Tracy and Bonnett, 13 each; Wilcox, McLeod, Massett, James, Dahman and Wengel, 1 each. Sheriff, Kirk, 189; Sheppard, 72; Moore and Brookfield, 1 each. Coroner, Sinclair, 185; Marsh, 74; Burke, 13; Myles, 2; VanNorden, 1.

DUNELLEN.

The vote in Dunellen was as follows: Presidential Electors, Republican, 180; Democratic, 74; National Democratic, 7; Prohibition, 16. Congress, Howell, 177; Wells, 74; Jones, 10; Marshall, 15. Sheriff, Church, 102; Litterest, 152; Crowell, 14. Assemblymen, Litterst, 175; Jacob H. Whitfield, 177, James Fountain, 179; Eckert, 83; Hughes, 83; Greene, 82; Sylvester, 16; Charles F. Garrison, 16; Abraham DeForeest, 16. Coroners, Moke and Haines, 187 each; Martin and Lund, 84 each; Kelly, 16.

SENATOR-ELECT CHARLES A. REED, OF SOMERSET COUNTY.

SENATOR REED'S MAJORITY 1,350.

Bryan and Democrats Carry Several Districts in Somerset, Though.

Outside of North Plainfield borough the majorities given the Republican candidates are as follows:

Township	District	Majorities. McKinley	Reed	Van Doren
Bedminster		—	—	—
Bernards	1st	55	41	51
Bernards	2d	—	—	—
Branchburg		77	28	74
Bridgewater	1st	198	99	159
Bridgewater	2d	93	27	81
Bridgewater	3d	45	92	—
Bridgewater	4th	156	68	96
Bridgewater	5th	146	147	88
Bridgewater	6th	—	—	—
Bridgewater	7th	150	130	149
Franklin Park	1st	20	20	20
Franklin Park	2d	88	67	76
Franklin Park	3d	123	74	99
Hillsborough	1st	21	9	21
Hillsborough	2d	147	147	174
Montgomery		129	120	138
Warren		—	—	—
North Plainfield		44	44	45

Senator-elect Reed's majority in the county will be 1,350. Bedminster gave a Democratic majority of 100. Bernards Second district gave Bryan 7, Cramer 15, and Logan 7. In the Sixth district of Bridgewater Bryan, Cramer and Logan received majorities of 2, and in Warren Bryan received a majority of 25, Cramer 85, and Logan 77. In the Third district of Bridgewater Logah received a majority of 19.

The general result of the election throughout the country is told on the eighth page of today's Press.

Death of Richard Merritt.

The death of Richard Merritt, at one time a reident of this city, occurred on Monday at Trenton after an illness lasting seven years. Mr. Merrit was born in 1869 He came with his parents to Plainfield where he lived until taken ill seven years ago. He held the office of city clerk for one year. Politically he was a staunch Democrat and at one time was identified with a tariff reform club in this city. He formerly represented the Wrought Iron Bridge Company of Canton Ohio. The funeral services will be held from the house of his father on Park avenue this afternoon at 3:30.

A Little Tot Missing.

Miss Richardson, 10 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richards of Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, who are stopping in Plainfield, was lost while out walking with her father. Mrs. Richards met Roundsmen Mattox and informed him of her daughters absence and the officer found the little girl on West Front street, near Somerset street. She was asking for her parents, and was returned to them by the officer.

Grand Officers Praise Sir Knights.

The grand officers of the New Jersey Commandery of Knight Templars visited Trinity Commandery, No. 17 Monday night for the annual inspection. The local sir knights were highly complimented on their work which the grand officers pronounced to be the best in the State. A grand banquet and speeches followed.

Pride and Prejudice in Tableaux.

The tableaux to be given Monday evening next in Crescent avenue chapel are taken from that most charming of Jane Austen's novels, "Pride and Prejudice." The book was written in 1796 when Miss Austen was barely twenty-one. The costumes are quaint and the characters are depicted in a most fascinating manner.

Scalded With Coffee.

F. R. Stevens, of Park avenue, accidentally upset a pot of boiling coffee over his foot and ankle yesterday. He was severely burned by the hot liquid.

SCRUBS WENT DOWN EASY.

Y. M. C. A. Football Boys Gain Another Signal Victory.

Again the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. football team had no difficulty in defeating their opponents on the gridiron and this time it was the far famed college boys from Rutgers that met defeat. It was not the 'varsity team but the "scrubs" that played all, through it is said that the latter players are able to hold their own with the first team. It was very evident that they couldn't do anything with the Plainfield boys although they were considerably heavier. The result was 26 to 0 in favor of Plainfield.

The teams lined up as follows:

PLAINFIELD Y. M. C. A.		RUTGERS "SCRUBS."
Serrell	right end	Delhi
Williams	right tackle	Black
Brown	right guard	Haines
Cuming	centre	Smith
Lewis, McClure	left guard	Ludlum
Lovell	left tackle	Cuddeback
Peck	left end	Harrington
Freeman, (capt.)	quarter back	Morrison
Dupee	right half back	Heath
Cathcart	left half back	Case
Darling	full back	Guthrie, (capt.)

Touchdowns, Lovell 2; Cathcart 1; Darling 1; Freeman 1. Goals, Lovell 3. Referee, E. D. M. Stryker of Rutgers College. Umpire, A. P. Simmonds, of the New Jersey Athletic Club.

Plainfield had the eastern goal and Rutgers the kickoff. Dupee punted on the first play and then Guthrie's kick was blocked. The ball traveled down the field rapidly and Lovell went through tackle for a touckdown. He kicked the goal; score, Plainfield 6; Rutgers, 0.

Dupee again punted and Serrell tackled Guthrie so heavily that he dropped the ball and Peck fell on it. On the second play, Cathcart circled right and for 20 yards and a touchdown. Lovell kicked the goal; score, Plainfield, 12; Rutgers 0.

On the first play Peck ran forty-five yards assisted by splendid interferance especially from Dupee, who managed to upset three men. Several funbles and then Darling made a touchdown around right end. Lovell kicked the goal; score, Plainfield, 18; Rutgers, 0.

Another pretty punt by Dupee and then after several plays Lovell crossed the line on a tackle play and scored a touchdown. He missed the goal; score, Plainfield, 22; Rutgers, 0.

In the second half McClure was substituted for Lewis at guard. Rutgers braced up and her superior weight made her superior centre rushes effective. Plainfield gradually worked the ball down to Rutgers first yard line only to lose it on four downs. Heath ran twenty-five yards and the ball was pushed to Plainfield's twenty-five yard line when the latter team took it. Dupee ran around left end for 30 yards and then Freeman carried the ball fifty-five yards on a quarter back trick crossing the goal line. The referee made him come back claiming Cuming was off side. Disinterested spectators thought the decision unfair. Dupee gained twenty-five yards on the next play and Freeman was pushed over the line for a touchdown. Lovell missed the goal; score, Plainfield, 26; Rutgers, 0. Time was then called.

Brief Council Meeting.

The City Council convened Monday night at 11:15 after the mass meeting which was held in the Cycle Academy. There were present Councilmen Barrows, Fisk, Dumont, Stebbins, Westphal and President See. On a motion the reading of the minutes and regular order of business was suspended and the claims were presented and ordered paid. Mr. Dumont offered a resolution that the notes, $4,000 general fund and $1,000 fire fund, be renewed and it was so ordered. The council then adjourned to meet Monday evening, November 9th, at 8 o'clock.

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MARCHING AND SHOUTING REPUBLICANS CELEBRATE.

As Soon as the Result Was Known, Yells Rent the Air and Bonfires Illuminated the Heavens—A Parade Held.

What a night it was! Not for many years has Plainfield seen such an election night, for, when bulletin after bulletin showed that McKinley was rolling up big pluralites all through the country, the many watchers became an army of cheering, dancing men, wild with enthusiasm over the then certain victory, and the quiet city of Plainfield was stirred as it has not been before.

Early in the evening the crowd began to gather in front of the Republican Association rooms on East Front street to watch the returns, which, with the aid of a stereopticon, were exhibited on a sheet hung on the front of the buildings opposite. Dispatches were received over the wires of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, and the crowd watched with wild enthusiasm. The sidewalk was soon crowded and likewise the street, so that the trolley cars had a hard time to get through.

The Democratic headquarters were located in the old Addis store, and a special wire, arranged by the Postal Telegraph Company, supplied the bulletins. The Crescent Wheelmen kept open house all night for the members and their friends. They had a private wire from the Postal Telegraph Company and kept the guests posted as to the election. An excellent lunch was served to all who cared to partake, and everything possible was done to give everybody a good time. The house committee, whose efforts were so successful, consisted of Messrs. Demarest, Pearson, Hanna, Coward and Titsworth. Returns were also received by telegraph at the Park Club and the Union County Country Club, and many heard them at these places. Bulletins were read at the Jersey Cycle Academy and Music Hall.

The greatest crowd, however, assembled in front of the Republican rooms.

When the returns showed at about 12 o'clock that McKinley was certainly elected, the enthusiasm of the "Sound Money" men in the crowd began to bubble over and a wild scene followed. Cheer followed cheer, whistles, tin horns and bells added to the din and, at last, the band and drum corps were aroused and lent their aid. Colored fire illuminated the scene and then in different parts of the city huge bonfires blazed up. A gigantic one was started in Watchung Park, so large that the sky was illuminated and the North Plainfield fire department turned out thinking it was a fire.

Three parades of hurrahing, shouting men started in different directions, each headed by a band or drum corps, and tramped over the quiet city streets with the brilliant accompaniment of fireworks and red fire. Fresh returns aroused the enthusiasm still more and the cheers grew louder and shriller.

A big bonfire was started in front of the Crescent Wheelmen's headquarters and some of the more enthusiastic executed a war-dance by the light of it. The Independent Fife and Drum Corps marched by. There was cheering for McKinley, for Kirk, for Coddington and all the rest of the ticket. Someone spied James E. Martine coming down the street. There was a rush and the delighted Republicans carried him off to the Crescent Wheelmen's clubhouse where he was feasted in honor of McKinley. There were shouts of "speech," but he did not respond. The crowd gave three cheers for him with a will and then returned to cheer for McKinley.

The fire burned low and the center of the excitement returned to East Front street, where news of McKinley's sweep were being received, and there the crowd remained until 3 o'clock this morning when most of the celebrators went to their homes. All through the night, however, cheers could be heard about the city for the Republican candidates. Some of the midnight watchers had partaken too freely and were inclined to be noisy, but everybody was good-natured and no arrests were made.

The telephone exchange was a busy place all night. The best and most complete returns were received there and instantly transmitted to 180 subscribers in this city, besides furnishing bulletins to the Republican Associations in this city, Westfield, Bound Brook and Somerville. Manager Runyon had everything all prepared for the rush and the service was excellent.

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SOME SCHOOL MATTERS

BOARD OF EDUCATION HOLD THEIR MONTHLY MEETING.

Sanitary Arrangements in the New Lincoln School Building Completed—An Applicant for Musical Director.

The City Board of Education met last evening in the High School building, and the members present were President J. B. Probasco and Messrs. Abbott, Jenkins, Lovell and Lounsbury.

Contractor Carr, in a communication, asked the Board for a payment of $250, on account of his contract, and it was ordered paid without a dissenting vote.

Two old claims of A. M. Griffen and George White were ordered paid when approved. Collector Johnson reported his recent collections for school purposes as $2,260.96.

Mr. Lounsbury, from the building committee, reported that the sanitary arrangements in the Bryant School building had been completed, and that in the new Lincoln building water pipes will be put in before freezing weather sets in. Bids for wiring have been received, but no definite action was taken. The report was accepted. The report also stated that curbing and flagging was at this time very essential, and it was left at the discretion of the building committee to have the work done as soon as the bids are all in.

It was also reported that $411 had been received and deposited to the credit of the Board of Education, from pupils residing in Dunellen, Bound Brook, Somerville and Roselle. Here the question was asked by a member of the Board why the pupils came here from Roselle, when Elizabeth was much nearer, and it was stated that the school facilities were much better here.

John T. Odam, in a communication to the Board, asked for the appointment to the janitorship of the new school building, stating that he was capable and willing to keep the slate roofing in repair and also to do what painting was necessary. The communication was filed.

C. L. Lewis communicated with the Board through the superintendent agreeing to act as musical director for the balance of the school year for $500. This is at the ratio of $625 for the year, but while the pay is a little more, the time is likewise increased. The communication was received and its recommendation adopted.

Superintendent Maxson brought up the matter of purchasing new maps for use in the school. He submitted for inspection a cardboard map about 2x3 feet in dimensions, which had done service in the schools for the past twenty years. The action of the finance committee in borrowing $4,000 at a recent meeting, in anticipation of taxes, was ratified by the Board. Supt. Maxson's report was referred to the president and secretary, without reading, and it was decided to have 2,000 copies printed and distributed.

He Saw It In The Press.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, lost a roll of bills amounting to $25 on West Front street, Monday morning. He advertised his loss in Monday's Press and that evening a lad named Agnew Nichols, who is employed in Swain's art store, came to the office, having seen the adv., and said that he had found a roll of bills. Mr. McGee proved his property, yesterday, and generously rewarded the finder.

To Organize an Exempt Association.

Auguste Saltzman, president of the New Jersey State Exempt Firemen's Association, and William A. Woodruff, of this city, will be present at the Westfield fire department building on Thursday evening to explain the workings of and try to organize an exempt firemen's association in Westfield.

A Tree on Fire.

Monday evening a large tree located in the city park was discovered to be on fire. Word was sent to fire headquarters and No. 2 hose carriage went to the scene of the fire. A hand extinguisher was all that was needed to quench the flames.

Gone But Not Forgotten.

Charles Carr, a colored driver for George Belcher, the hackman, left family, position and all, after getting into a scrap at the colored ball, last Friday night, in T. A. B. Hall, and at present his whereabouts are unknown.

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THE PUBLIC'S MEMORY.

It Is the Most Fickle Thing of Which We Know.

Statesmen Who, a Few Years Ago, Controlled the Destinies of the Nation, Are Now Not Even Remembered by Name.

[Special Washington Letter.]

"The people forget very quickly," said Senator Hill one evening when he was being complimented for his defense of his party. "They are quickly appreciative and ready to applaud when they think it is right; but they very soon forget public services."

That is very true, and several gentlemen who heard the remark of Senator

EX-SECRETARY RICHARD THOMPSON.

Hill were discussing it this evening. We reverted to the public men who had passed away and been forgotten in a generation. The question was asked: "Who were the members of the cabinet of Abraham Lincoln?" Not a man in the gathering could name all of them.

William H. Seward, secretary of state, had so much to do with our foreign relations during the civil war that his name was readily recalled. Edwin M. Stanton, secretary of war, had his name in the newspapers every day, and hence became so prominent that his name was easily recalled. But Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury, was seldom heard of in comparison with the others, and only one man present recalled his name. The other members of the Lincoln cabinet were forgotten, until a veteran sailor reminded the gentlemen that Gideon Welles was secretary of the navy.

Gen. Grant was president for two terms, and nobody in our party could give the names of the members of his cabinet. They were all great men, and all served their country with distinction, but their names do not stand forth prominently in the memory of men: so that a gathering of gentlemen who have dealt with public men for many years could not give their names. Grant was the central figure of his own administrations. The members of his cabinet who were unfortunate were recalled, but none of the others.

President Hayes had a cabinet composed of strong men, and their names were more easily recalled, because it has not been so very long since they were here with us. Can you name them all, or any of them? William M. Evarts was secretary of state; John Sherman was secretary of the treasury. Richard Thompson, of Indiana, the venerable statesman who still lives, was secretary of the navy. David M. Key was postmaster general, and is remembered chiefly because he was the first southern man given a cabinet position after the civil war. George W. McCrary, the author of the electoral commission bill, was secretary of war. Carl Schurz was secretary of the interior, and Gen. Charles Devins, of Massachusetts, was attorney general.

Mr. Evarts was in the senate for six years, and then retired to private life. John Sherman has been in the senate ever since, and has twice been a presidential candidate. McCrary, Key and Devins are dead. Carl Schurz is an editor.

If their names were not mentioned thus particularly, who could recall them without great mental effort? Very few.

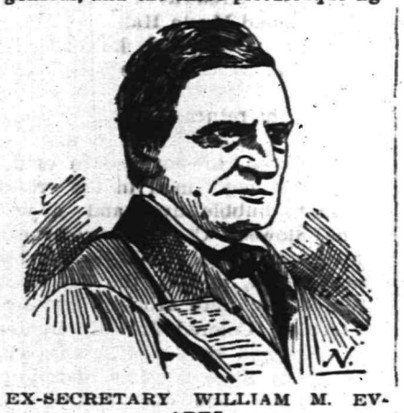
President Garfield had a strong cabinet, but it was broken up after his death, and a new cabinet was formed by President Arthur. You might find it difficult to recall the names of the members of either one of those cabinets. Blaine was secretary of state in Garfield's cabinet, and Frelinghuysen was secretary of state in Arthur's cabinet. Can you guess the names of the others? And yet, it is only 15 years since both of those cabinets were formed. You will probably recall the fact that Robert T. Lincoln, son of Abraham Lincoln, was appointed secretary of war by President Garfield, and was retained in Arthur's cabinet. He was minister to Great Britain during Harrison's administration.

But, as a test of the truth of the fact that our leading men are soon forgotten, how many can to-day give the names of the members of Cleveland's cabinet, during his first administration? It was on or about March 6, 1885, that the first Cleveland cabinet was appointed. Can you name the great men who stepped to the helm and aided Cleveland in guiding the ship of state? They were all men of superior ability. Can it be possible that they have been forgotten in so short a space of time?

Thomas F. Bayard was secretary of state. He went into private life and would have remained there, but for the second election of Cleveland, when he was sent to succeed Lincoln as minister to Great Britain. He could never again have gone to the senate. Daniel Manning was secretary of the treasury, and died while in office, from overwork. His successor, Fairchild, went into the obscurity of private life, and has been entirely forgotten by the public. Senator Garland, of Arkansas, one of the brilliant men of the south, became Cleveland's attorney general, and at the close of his term became a claim agent in Washington, where he still resides, entirely forgotten except by the people of his own state. Secretary of War Endicott is forgotten, except by his Massachusetts friends. William C. Whitney, secretary of the navy, is a man of millions, and hence has kept himself before the people. Senator Lamar, of Mississippi, secretary of the interior, was made an associate justice of the supreme court, and died while in that position. Postmaster General Vilas became secretary of the interior to succeed Lamar, and Don M. Dickinson, of Michigan, became postmaster general. Dickinson has kept in public life, or in the public mind, by reason of his attachment to Cleveland and his fortunes. Vilas secured an election to the senate, and hence has not fallen away from public view. But, as a matter of fact, the second election of Cleveland had much to do with keeping some of his cabinet ministers before the public.

Who can name the members of the cabinet who were appointed by President Harrison, in 1889? Think of it, only seven years since they were appointed, and only three years since they went out of office; and how many of the members of that cabinet can you name? You may agitate your memory by scratching your head or tapping your forehead; but you will realize the truth of Rip Van Winkle's assertion, "how soon we are forgotten when we are gone," when you try to remember the names of those distinguished men. Can you tell who was secretary of state, under Harrison's administration? It was James G. Blaine. His secretary of war was Redfield Procter, of Vermont, who resigned, and was succeeded by Stephen B. Elkins, of West Virginia. Both of those gentlemen are now members of the senate. William Windom, of Minnesota, was secretary of the treasury, and died suddenly while delivering a public address in New York city. He was succeeded by ex-Gov. Charles Foster, of Ohio, who served until the close of his term. John W. Noble, of Missouri, was secretary of the interior, and John Wanamaker, of Pennsylvania, was postmaster-general. Probably the most popular member of the Harrison cabinet was Secretary of Agriculture Rusk, whom everybody called Uncle Jerry. The farmers will all remember the celebrated "horse book" which was issued by Uncle Jerry. Hundreds of thousands of copies of it have been issued by authority of congress. Wiliam Henry Harrison Miller was Harrison's attorney-general.

Few to-day ever think of Benjamin Harris Brewster, who was attorney-general, and the most picturesque figure in the Arthur administration. He was a man of marked peculiarities in dress, and his features were disfigured by an accident; but he was a man of superior ability. Ex-Senator Howe, of Wisconsin, was Arthur's postmaster-general, and died in office. He was succeeded by Gen. Gresham, who was postmaster-general for nearly two years, then became secretary of the treasury, and was appointed a district judge; but afterwards became secretary of state in the second Cleveland administration, and died in office.



EX-SECRETARY WILLIAM M. EVARTS.

Frank Hatton cannot be forgotten while any of his personal friends live, for they will keep his memory ever green. But he ceased to be known by the general public after he ceased to be postmaster general. He built up a great newspaper in Washington city, and died while in the editorial chair, being stricken suddenly while apparently in the prime of life.

Some of these cabinet ministers cherished presidential ambitions. Chase wanted to succeed Abraham Lincoln, but Lincoln made him an associate justice of the supreme court. Elihu B. Washburne, Don Cameron, Blaine, Bristow, Hamilton Fish, Sherman and Bob Lincoln all listened to the buzzing of the presidential bee; but they fell short of nominations. Whoever to-day hears of Landaulet Williams, Columbus Delano, Ackerman, Speed or MacVeagh?

What is said of members of the cabinet may also be said of many men who filled the forum of discussion in either house of congress, and then passed away from public view. It is not that republics are ungrateful, but that the people are forgetful. They have not space in their memories for all of the great men who rise to the surface in the maelstrom of our political affairs. Moreover, the people of this country are not hero worshipers. There is no man so great in this republic but that the people feel that he can be spared at any time, and from the farm, the country, law office or the business circles some man as good or better may be expected to arise and take his place.

Our people are loyal to their friends, and follow their political leaders with wonderful fidelity. Yet they never become enamored of public men, but constantly feel that "all men are born free and equal," and hence they straightway forget them when they have rendered and been paid for such public services as the people desire of them.

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Some Pet Fancies or Horrors of Prominent People of Both Hemispheres.

Most men are ashamed of their superstitions, because they hate to be laughed at, yet we have known many to make fun of the weaknesses of others merely to keep their own courage up, says the New York Press. Nearly all of the greatest men in history were the victims of a silly superstition. Marshal Saxe, who met and overthrew armies, fled at the sight of a cat. Peter the Great dared not cross a bridge. Dr. Johnson would not enter any door or passage with his left foot first. Caesar was thrown into convulsions by the sound of thunder. Queen Elizabeth could not bear to hear the name of Mary of Scotland mentioned. The word "death," or its French equivalent, would so disconcert Talleyrand as to unfit him for all business. If a hare crossed Montaigne's path he was miserable for a month, imagining all sorts of horrors. Voltaire, the fearless mocker, shook with alarm on hearing rocks cawing on his left. Rousseau looked under his bed every night before retiring. Lord Bryon succumbed before the weakest prejudice and was a victim of all the petty superstitions of his day.

Andrew Jackson cut off the tails of his hounds and buried them under the doorstep, believing this to be a sure means of keeping the pack from wandering away. Washington would make a wish and bow nine times to the new moon. Garfield, who looked in a glass all day, dared not come face to face with one in the dark. We might go on and name hundreds of similar cases. Great and small, old and young, weak and strong—all have their superstitions.

Return of an Old Friend.

While storming the first line of forts at Port Arthur a soldier belonging to the Twenty-fourth regiment raised his rifle to fire at an unusually conspicuous Chinaman. Just as he was about ready to fire a bullet from the enemy's side came whizzing on and entered the barrel of his own gun as smoothly and neatly as if the muzzles had been placed mouth to mouth. Of course there was an explosion and the soldier's piece was shattered to the stock, but without his receiving any injuries whatever. A fractional variation to the right or left would have caused the bullet to enter his head, so that his escape was nothing short of miraculous. He preserved the stock of the now useless weapon, and afterward exhibited it to his colonel, who permitted him to keep it as a memento of his narrow escape.

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20th Day of December

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4th Tuesday in November

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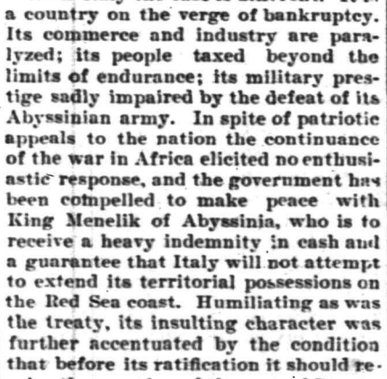
embroil England in a war with Russia, and possibly France, and its present isolated position would make such a conflict decidedly dangerous. The English press comments very freely on this international aspect of the crisis, and one journal, the St. James' Gazette, suggests in sober earnest the formation of a new triple alliance, consisting of Great Britain, the United States and Italy. It believes that the American people would regard with enthusiasm the spectacle of the union jack and the stars and stripes floating side by side in the Bosphorus to back up the joint demand for the rescue of the oppressed Armenians and the suppression of Moslem tyranny. This sounds very well, of course, but the American nation is not in the humor of pulling England's chestnuts out of the oriental furnace, and the formation of a new "Dreibund," with the United States as a participant, is a chimerical proposition. The Washington government will continue to protect its interests in Turkey single-handed, and insist upon the recognition of the rights of its citizens, but it is not probable that it will take any part in the political movements of any of the European powers interested in the final settlement of the so-called "eastern" question.

State of Affairs in Italy.

With Italy the case is different. It is a country on the verge of bankruptcy. Its commerce and industry are paralyzed; its people taxed beyond the limits of endurance; its military prestige sadly impaired by the defeat of its Abyssinian army. In spite of patriotic appeals to the nation the continuance of the war in Africa elicited no enthusiastic response, and the government has been compelled to make peace with King Menelik of Abyssinia, who is to receive a heavy indemnity in cash and a guarantee that Italy will not attempt to extend its territorial possessions on the Red Sea coast. Humiliating as was the treaty, its insulting character was further accentuated by the condition that before its ratification it should receive the sanction of the czar of Russia. That imperial personage, after some delay, gave his consent, and the document has just been signed in due form by the representatives of Italy, Abyssinia and Russia. The ire of the upper class Italians has been aroused by this latest exhibition of Russian arrogance, and they are quite in the humor of participating in a war against the Muscovite empire, the success of which would restore Italian prestige and perpetuate for several generations the tottering dynasty of the house of Savoy.

Prince of Naples and His Bride.

Viewed in this light the recent engagement of Victor Emmanuel, prince of Naples, and heir to the Italian throne, to Princess Helene of Montene-



PRINCESS HELENE OF MONTENEGRO.

gro is a political event of much importance. The prince, who is now 27 years of age, visited most of the European courts a year or so ago for the purpose of selecting a bride. At one time it was reported that he was to marry Princess Maud, daughter of the prince of Wales, but that young lady did not look with favor upon her undersized wooer. Princess Helene is described as a young woman of remarkable physical beauty, with large dark eyes, masses of blue-black hair, and a dazzling, transparent complexion. Like most Montenegrin women she is "divinely tall," and as her husband-to-be is "miserable small" they will make a funny-looking couple. But in royal circles such little things count for nothing. In a war between Italy and Russia the cooperation of Montenegro might prove of vast advantage. Although the country has a small population (236,000), its fighting strength is not to be despised. Every man is a soldier and expert marksman; and in hand-to-hand conflicts the physically perfect and powerful Montenegrins have never found their equals. Before the conquest by Soleiman II., in 1526, Montenegro was a powerful principality. Early in the eighteenth century the people rebelled and establishd an hereditary hierarchical government which was countenanced, but not recognized, by Turkey. By the treaty of Berlin, signed July 13, 1878, the province was declared independent. The present ruler is Prince Nicholas. He has the reputation of being a profligate, a gambler and a heavy drinker, but he is a valiant fignter and a foe not to be despised. His ambition is to add Albania and other Turkish provinces to his principality and establish a kingdom on the coast of the Adriatic. The marriage of his daughter to the Italian heir is therefore of as much advantage to him as it is to Italy. Each needs a friendly neighbor and reliable ally, and the proposed union of family interests is immensely popular in both countries.

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She Needed Protection.

"Why did you insist on going riding with her when it looked as if a storm was coming?"

"She is terribly afraid of the lightning."—Brooklyn Life.

An Exchange of Compliments.

He—You may be engaged, but I can never conceive of your being in love.

She—And you may be in love, but I can never conceive of your being engaged.—Detroit Free Press.

PNEUMATIC COUCHES.

An Appliance That May Revolutionize Sleeping Car Travel.

Can Also Be Used on Steamships When One's Stateroom Will Become a Parlor by Day—Beds That Take Up No Room.

Sleeping on air is the latest innovation in railway travel. The use of compressed air for this purpose will, in the estimation of railway men, eventually revolutionize railway travel and relegate the familiar and somewhat clumsy Wagner and Pullman sleeping cars to the background.

At present the only car completely fitted with compressed air cushions and beds is the private car of Vice President J. N. Schoonmaker, of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. These have been found, however, to be not only practicable, but to possess so many advantages over the accommodations of ordinary sleeping and parlor cars that a number of roads are having similarly fitted ones constructed, and before long they will be in general use on many of the great trunk lines of the country.

Col. Schoonmaker's car was built after the plans of L. F. Ruth, the inventor of this latest system of car furnishing. In appearance it does not differ externally from the ordinary private car of railroad officials. The interior by day is that of a handsomely fitted up parlor car.

The customary chairs are seen on either side of the car, and they are covered with plush. When one sits in them, however, a marked difference is noticed from the ordinary car chair. This is explained by the fact that instead of the usual upholstering, the chair cushions are filled with compressed air which lessens, in a great degree, to the occupant, the jolting and jarring of the car when in motion.

During the day no one would for a moment suppose that he was riding in a sleeping car, and it is not until the day coach is transformed into a sleeper that the possibilities of the use of compressed air in this direction are fully realized.

The transformation is affected in this wise: First, the air in the chair cush-

AIR BED FOR SLEEPING CARS.

ions is exhausted, the light frame work folded up and slipped into an opening in the side of the car. Thus all the seats in the car is disposed of and it is ready for the beds.

The panels on either side of the windows open outward like a door. On the inside of these panels is a metal track over which is drawn a steel, spring-like arrangement which supports the bed. Fitting closely against the side of the car and concealed during the day by the closed panels, is a rubber bag folded after the fashion of an accordeon.

By turning a valve connected with a storage tank beneath the car, compressed air is admitted into the rubber bag, which inflates and forces itself outward from the sides of the car until it rests upon the steel framework, and the bed is ready to be made up. The head and foot of the bed are panels which fit also into the side of the car.

When the berth or bed is not desired for use another valve is turned, and the air in the mattress expelled. The mattress itself assumes the appearance of an empty rubber bag, and is drawn back against the side of the car as before. The panels are then closed and the sleeping car is once more ready to become the parlor car for the day traveler.

One great advantage of these appliances is that they can be fitted to steamships and dwellings as well as cars. They are particularly adapted for use in conveyances where economy of space is desirable, as on steamships, where they can be folded into the wall or stateroom partition during the day, and thus give the occupant almost twice the amount of space now available. This is an advantage which any one who has had to endure cramped stateroom accommodations will readily appreciate.

Other considerations which recommend this appliance to railroad men are its cleanliness, extreme lightness, and above all, its cheapness. The ordinary Pullman or Wagner sleeping car is the heaviest and costliest built, not only in its frame but in its fittings. Questions of strength and safety will naturally preclude a lighter frame and therefore the possibility of lighter fittings is of the greatest importance to a railroad company.

The invention of this system will probably, for this reason, mark the most radical change in the development of the sleeping cars, since they were first of all run in the United States, over 30 years ago.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., NOV. 4, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening, With Rain Tonight and Thursday; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 68 Degrees.

MORE THAN EXPECTED.

One of the distinguishing features of the campaign just ended was the sanguineness of victory displayed on the part of the Republicans, and it now seems that they well judged the temper of the voters regarding the issues on which the battle of the two sides was fought out. No such sweeping victory in the middle west and the whole of the east has ever before taken place in a Presidential election, and in the south and far west an oasis of Republican pluralities was found here, there and everywhere to surprise the Bryan managers and add to the satisfaction of McKinley supporters.

New Jersey, which in 1892 gave to Grover Cleveland a plurality of 14,974, has been carried by McKinley and Hobart by a plurality of over 55,000. Passaic county, the home of Vice-President elect Garret a Hobart, rolled up the plurality of 5,000 for the national Republican ticket, as against 536 for Harrison 1892. Sound money will be upheld in Congress by the solid delegation from New Jersey, its eight Republican representatives having been re elected by handsome majorities. Of the eight State Senators elected six are Republicans, one Democratic, and one district is in doubt. Of the sixty Assemblymen elected forty-five are Republican and fifteen Democratic.

State Comptroller Hancock reports that at the end of the fiscal year, October 31st, there was cash balances of $959,628,98, practically all obligations paid to date—an increase over last year's balance of $65,000. During the year there has been expended over $300,000 on improvements to State institutions.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

The Dunellen football team defeated the Scotch Plains eleven yesterday morning by a score of 10 to 0. In the afternoon the Dunellens were victorious over the Bound Brook boys by a score of 30 to 0.

For the first time since its organization the Alis football team was scored against yesterday afternoon. They defeated their opponents, the Scotch Plains boys, however, by a score of 10 to 4. Cuming and Peck made the touchdowns for the Alis team, and Day scored for Scotch Plains on a quarterback trick. The game was a very exciting one and well contested.

The game of whist between the Park Club team and the New Jersey Athletic Club team was not played on Monday night owning to a death in the family of one of the members of the latter team. As the Jersey City team is the next in order an invitation has been extend to them by theParks to play in this city next Friday and it is quite likely they will accept the invitation.

The large number of people present at the Hillside Tennis Golf Club grounds, yesterday, was evidence that some people had other things to think about besides election. All day the grounds and club house were crowded with lovers of golf, and the time was most pleasantly passed by them. In the morning the scratch play for the championship cup presented by Geo. A. Chapman was the event of interest. The game was commenced at nine o'clock, and the first eight men in the following table of scores qualified for the match:

Huntington, A. Z.	87
West, H. D.	89
Wharton, J. H. P.	90
Stockton, H. Reeves	91
Anthony, J. S.	95
Ryder, E. Dean	95
Richards, Rev. W. R.	96
Kaufman, W. T.	96
Beebe, H. W.	97
Walz, Fred.	100
Tracy, Evarts	114
Ackerman, M. S.	117

In the afternoon the result of the one round match medal play, eighteen holes was as follows:—

Huntington beat Anthony 7 up and 2 to play; West beat Wharton, 5 up and 3 to play; Richards beat Ryder 3 up and 2 to play; Stockton beat Kaufman 6 up and 4 to play. The semi-final of this round will be played probably Thursday afternoon and the finals on Saturday afternoon next when Huntington will play West, and Richards will play Stockton.

A delightful feature of the afternoon was the tea served in the Club House. The large number of Plainfield society women present gave a decided brilliancy to the affair. Mrs. F. D. Warren received, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Murray, Mrs. Mellick and Mrs. Rice. Mrs. W. H. Murray poured tea.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

FIRE AND ACCIDENT.

Fireman William Newman Thrown From a Truck and Hurt.

Patrolman Vanderweg discovered a fire Monday night about 11 o'clock, in the woods back of S. A. Cruikshank's house, on Belvidere avenue, and sent in alarm from Box 29, corner of Watchung and Woodland avenues. The chemical, No. 2 engine and hose wagon and Alert hose wagon responded but on reaching the fire learned that it was of small account and no serious damage could result. Zephyr Hook and Ladder did not leave headquarters till sometime after the alarm was sounded. Charles Glaentzer was at the wheel and not being accustomed to the working of it, caused an accident which might possibly have terminated fatally.

The truck was intercepted on Watchung avenue near Councilman Ginna's residence, by Chief Doane, as it was not needed at the fire. On the return, Firemen Wm. Newman, of West Second street, and Edward Baker, a carpenter, of Pearl street, were standing on the right side of the truck as it passed through North avenue toward Park avenue. When the corner was reached near Armstrong's pharmacy, Fred Breem, the driver, allowed himself plenty of space to turn into Park avenue, but Glaentzer, thinking that the wheel was to be turned the same way the truck was going, did so accordingly, and as a result the truck was run into the curb. At the same time Baker was caught between the truck and the electric light pole and Newman was thrown against the iron pole. Baker was considerably bruised about the body and sustained a fracture of one rib, while Newman's face was terribly bruised and he sustained several injuries about the body. The latter was picked up in an unconscious condition and carried into the Hotel Grenada where Drs. Long and Fritts was called and administered proper treatment. In a little while he regained consciousness and was taken to Alert's hose house where he remained until yesterday morning. He then went home. His injuries are not dangerous. Baker was taken home and medical aid was secured. It is thought that he will recover, though he seems to have sustained severe internal injuries in addition to the fracture of a rib. If the truck had been going very fast both men would undoubtedly have been killed.

ABOUT THE FRESH AIR CAMP.

King's Daughters Acknowledge the Many Favors Extended to Them.

The King's Daughters furnish the following for publication:

The ladies of the nurse committee of the city union of King's Daughter's, recognizing the fact that the appeal to the public for assistance in their work at the Children's Camp has received a most generous response, feel that it is only due to their friends that they make some report in regard to the summer work.

The manner in which the "Shelter" was built and furnished, viz: by voluntary contributions, both of time and money, delayed somewhat the opening of the "Camp" and this, coupled with the fact that it takes time to make any new work either known or appreciated, explains the seemingly small amount of work done there this year.

During the months of July and August, the "Camp" was in use on an average of four days each week, the children being carried up with an attendant and the nurse early in the morning and returned to their homes at night. During the day the nurse cared for her little charges, carefully administering medicine and nourishment in strict accordance with the order of the attending physician. In several cases the change of air and careful judicious attention given by the nurse seemed the only earthly means of saving the child's life.

The instruction given by the nurse to the mothers, during the days they were with her, must prove invaluable to them in the future care of their children. The ladies beg to express their gratitude to all who have given so generously to this charity, both of material aid and of sympathy. There is now on hand $116, which has been placed to the credit of this work and will be expended next year. We would acknowledge the courtesy of the city papers in inserting in their columns, free of charge, from time to time, articles relating to the "Children's Camp; and the kindly aid rendered by Keely & Son in matters relating to transportation.

Invitations have been issued announcing the wedding of Miss Virginia, daughter of Garrett VanWinkle, to Rev. Edward Otis Chickering, of Raritan, Ill., on Wednesday, November 18th, at the home of her parents, 822 Madison avenue, at 7 o'clock, p. m.

That Catarrh is a Local Affection of the nasal passages is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompetent parties that catarrh is a blood affection. Ely's Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicants and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane, it restores it to its healthy condition.

WATCHED BY LONDON

Great Interest Manifested Last Night in Our Election Result.

BETS OF TEN TO ONE ON M'KINLEY

Nearly $500,000 Changed Hands---Many Freak Wagers Made---Clubs and Hotels Posted the Latest News from the United States.

London, Nov. 4.—Most of the Americans who were sojourning in London returned home on the steamers sailing within the last fortnight for the purpose of voting. Those who were unable to secure first class cabin accommodation contented themselves with second cabin passage, and some of them went in the steerage rather than lose their votes. Great interest was taken in the election in London, and the stars and stripes and pictures of McKinley and Hobart abound in the American resorts. There was a good deal of betting on the result of the election, some of the bets being at odds as high as ten to one on McKinley. The managers of the steamship companies say that nearly all of those who returned home to vote were goldites. It is estimated that nearly $500,000 changed hands on the result. Col. Wilson of Chicago made a wager of $1,000 even that McKinley would be elected. The bet was taken by E. C. Fulton, a Chicago Bryanite. Besides the ordinary election bets, there was considerable freak betting. Gen. Morgan, a Brooklyn silverite, made a bet in which he engaged in the event of Bryan's defeat to have all of his teeth drawn. In the event of McKinley's defeat his opponents, four in number, agreed to have their beards and mustaches shaved off. The parties to the bet were under a penalty of $500 each in case of failure to fulfil the terms of the wager, and articles were signed and witnessed to that effect. The West End hotels made special arrangements to post election returns last evening, and many of the clubs mads similar arrangements. Several prominent statesmen residing out of town remained in London over night in order to to learn the result.

Assassination Attempted at Richmond.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—An attempt was made to assassinate John B. Evans, chairman of the democratic committee of Petersburg, during the morning, by colored men. A big reward has been offered for their capture. Mr. Evans was entering the gate of his yard when, he says, some one shot at him, the ball going through his hat. He declares that his hat was shot off his head. The attempt on Evans' life caused much excitement. Later in the day a shooting affray occurred in a colored ward in this city. Peter McGovern was shot in the arm; a man named Vass was badly hurt with a stone. Several arrests were made.

Shooting Affray at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—The only violence reported in this city during election day was a shooting affray which is said to have been accidental and which occured at First and Lisbon streets in the Fifth ward. During a dispute Charles Johnson (colored), aged 32 years, displayed a revolver and the weapon was discharged. The bullet went through Johnson's finger, and then lodged in the groin of Sylvester Glascow, also colored and aged 31 years. Glaseow is seriously hurt. Johnson was arrested and held without bail.

Disorderly Scenes in Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—A crowd of Poles paraded the streets in the Sixteenth ward carrying on a pole an effigy supposed to represent McKinley. They became so disorderly that the police were called to disperse them. Effigies of McKinley were also displayed from poles in the Twenty-sixth ward, but were soon taken down.

Murder at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—In an election row at Tenth and Cass avenue John Kerley, aged 30 years, was shot and fatally wounded by John Eagan, a ward politician. After the shooting Eagan attempted to escape, but was pursued and nearly lynched before the police rescued him.

McKinley Carries Sewall's Ward and City.

Bath, Me., Nov. 4.—McKinley carried this city, receiving 1,234 votes; Bryan, 472. McKinley also carried Sewall's ward by the following vote: McKinley, 167; Bryan, 66.

Bryan Loses His Town and Precinct.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Bryan's home precinct gives McKinley 197. Bryan 101, scattering 17. Lincoln gave McKinley a plurality of 1,700.

McKinley's District Republican.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—McKinley's precinct went republican by 51. It went 762 democratic in 1892.

Claims 1,000,000 Plurality.

Cleveland, Nov. 4.—Chairman Hanna claims the country by 1,000,000 plurality.

Buckner's Town Goes Republican.

Louisville, Nov. 4.—Mumfredsville, Ky., the home of Gen. Buckner, went republican.

Many Lives Lost by a Waterspout.

London. Nov. 4.—A dispatch to the Globe from Ponto Delgada, Azores, says that a waterspout has destroyed the greater part of the town of Povoacoa, and that many lives have been lost.

Killed by a Bull.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 4.—George Fish, aged 60, a farmer on the Fish road, North Tiverton, was gored and trampled to death by a young bull yesterday.

No Matter how low the price, baking powders that vary in strength are expensive.

They raise pretty well once or twice, and then, losing their strength, fail, and so waste good butter, flour, eggs, sugar, time and temper.

Cleveland's baking powder never varies. It does the work just right every time, and that is why housekeepers prefer it.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Fletcher Hallock, of Orange, visited in Plainfield, yesterday.

E. Gouin, of New York city, is the guest of C. Jelthrup, of North avenue.

Daniel Crowley has returned to this city after an extended absence in Boston.

Charles Noble, of East Fifth street, has been in Mendham spending a few days with relatives.

Charles Noble, of East Fifth street, has returned from a short visit with relatives in Mendham.

Mrs. Whitely and son, of the borough, have returned from a visit with friends in Pennsylvania.

Miss Edith Darby has returned to the Trenton Normal School after spending a week at home.

Clarence Hollis, of New York, is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. John Weir, of Rockview avenue.

Miss Genevieve R. Hoyt, of Brooklyn, has been spending a few days at the home of Joseph E. Morse, of Franklin place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chandler, of New York, are visiting at the home of her father, Frank W. Miles, of Somerset street.

Miss Mame S. VanPelt, of Manasquan, and Mrs. Flora E. Cole, of Centerville, are visiting Mrs. H. M. Johns, of Division street.

Miss Anna E. MacCrady, of Raritan, has returned home after a few days' stay with her sister, Mrs. H. M. Johns, of 612 Division street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Goodfellow, of Brooklyn are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Goodfellow of Netherwood avenue.

Mrs. Harry B. Dennis, of New street, together with her two children, have returned from a four-weeks visit with relatives in Elizabeth.

Henry Eggerding, of Arlington avenue, returned to his studies at Rutger's College this morning after spending election day in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kitchen, of Somerset street, returned home on Monday after a delightful driving tour through Hunterdon county.

William Jenkins, of Patchogue, who has been visiting at the home of C. B. Clifton, of West Second street, returned home to-day to vote. He will return to Plainfield shortly.

The Borough Council will meet on Friday evening next, when several important matters will be discussed.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Bimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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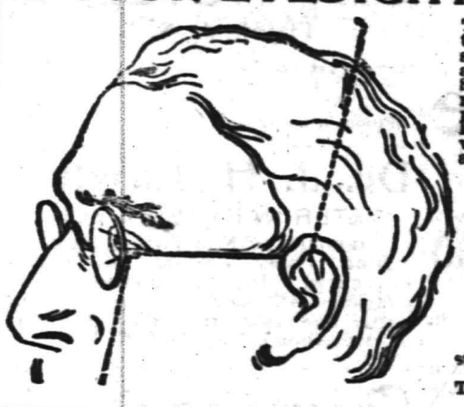

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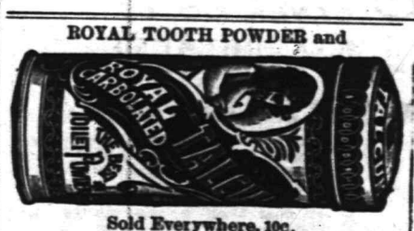

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THE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU of the Organized Aid will reopen November 4th, in the rooms of the WOMAN'S EXCHANGE, 508 PARK AVENUE. Men and women by the day. References thoroughly investigated. Competent Cook and Waitress for dinners and evening entertainments. Office hours, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. 2

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Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m.
{ 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Rutherford B. Sheppard, of Scotch Plains, had his Cleveland wheel stolen Sunday evening from in front of his house.

The ladies of "All Saint's Church," Scotch Plains and Fanwood, will hold an oyster supper and sale in aid of the funded debt of the church, at the Force House, on Wednesday afternoon and evening, November 11th, 1896, from four to ten o'clock. Many of the articles on sale will be suitable for Christmas gifts, and will be sold at low prices.

Cut With a Razor.

While Mrs. James Radin, of North avenue, was standing at the corner of Front street and Park avenue, Monday evening, watching the parade, a colored man rushed by waving a razor. The sharp steel caught Mrs. Radin's hand and inflicted a deep cut, causing blood to flow profusely. She hurried home and gave the injured member proper attention. She does not think the act was committed purposely and does not know who the man is.

A Serious Joke.

Some malicious person attempted to play a serious joke Monday evening by blowing out the gas in the apartments of N. H. Guttman and family on West Second street. When the family awoke yesterday morning they were almost overcome with the deadly gas, and it was some time before they could rid themselves of its effect. They have no idea who committed the deed.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, meets tonight.

—One member was elected and six propositions were received at the meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., last evening.

—Eden Boice very kindly prepared and furnished a substantial lunch last evening to those serving at the polls in the first district of the Fourth ward.

—The decorations surrounding the large horseshoe in front of Casper's hotel on East Front street caught fire Monday evening and were entirely consumed. The damage was slight.

—A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bailey, of East Second street, strayed away from her home yesterday. She was found wandering about town by Roundsman Mattox and returned to her parents.

—At a meeting of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church on Monday afternoon, Mrs. O. W. Dunham was elected treasurer of the society, to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. T. E. Hazel, who resigned, on account of removal from the city.

—Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., held their annual inspection Monday evening, and the following Grand Lodge officers were present: Peter McGill, of Lambertville; R. A. Sherriffs, of Elizabeth; T. S. Davidson, of Paterson; D. C. Adams and W. H. Sebring, of Plainfield. A sumptuous repast was served after the transaction of the regular routine business.

Familiar Faces.

While waiting for election returns, last evening, all sorts of pictures were thrown on the screen opposite the Republican Association rooms. Among them was the picture of ex-Councilman Spangenberg, which was marked "a gold Democrat." It was greeted with loud cheers. The picture of Sergeant Keily was also shown.

Dr. Charles R. Thiers, of Grove street, and Dr. J. H. Carman, of Watchung avenue, returned yesterday from a fishing and hunting trip in the Adirondacks in time to vote.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Many political speakers, clergyman singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and larnyxitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, Knights of Pythias, will hold its regular meeting tomorrow night.

—A meeting of the Young Men's Assocation of Monroe Avenue chapel will be held on Friday night.

Arthur H. Serrell, of Plainfield avenue, has been home on a several days' vacation from Lehigh University.

—A reception will be given in the North Plainfield Public School building on Friday afternoon next from 3 to 4 o'clock.

—The Advance Circle, King's Daughters, of the First Presbyterian Church, will give a turkey supper early in December.

—A meeting of the young people of Monroe Avenue chapel will be held on Friday evening for the purpose of forming a literary society.

—The street cars did an immense business Monday night and in order to accommodate the crowd they were run on four minute headway.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will hold its regular meeting for sewing on Friday in the church parlors.

—The November meeting of the Young Ladies' Mission Band will be held in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102 K. of P., will meet this evening for the transaction of important business and to conver the first rank on one or more candidates.

—There will be baptism at the Crescent Avenue church, next Sunday, when parents will have an opportunity to present their children for this sacred rite.

—The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nelson Runyon, of East Ninth street.

—A business meeting and committee conference of the Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held to-morrow evening at the church.

—The G. A. R. fair was open all day yesterday and did not close till after 1 o'clock this morning. The attendance was very encouraging and many people stopped to secure a hot lunch.

—The gloves to buy are the kind that won't wear out at the tip and if they do you get a new pair. White of Plainfield sells that kind. See the big four specials he offers for tomorrow.

—A fact worthy of note in connection with yesterday's election was that John C. Berry, aged 90 years, of Craig place, walked to the polls and cast his ballot. Mr. Berry's first vote was for Andrew Jackson.

—Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, met Monday evening, initiated three candidates and decided to give an entertainment, dance, and supper in the hall over the old Y. M. C. A. rooms on East Front street Thursday, November 19th.

—James R. Morris, of the Gospel Mission, Passaic and State Superintendent of the Christian Alliance will conduct the services at the meeting of the Christian Alliance Thursday night at 7:45 at the rooms of the W. C. T. U. Watchung avenue.

—The committee appointed by the borough council having granted the request of the residents of Coddington avenue for electric lights, the stakes were driven yesterday for the location of poles by the electric light company for the stringing of the wires.

—Since the grading of the road bed at Madison avenue and Second street has been accomplished, many commuters living in the lower end of town now drive through West Second street on their way to and from the depot. The road bed is now in excellent condition and besides they do not encounter the tracks of the street railway.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

TAILOR SHOP ROBBED.

The Thief Entered by a Rear Door and Stole Various Articles.

The little tailor shop on Madison avenue run by a Jew named Shrager, was broken into again last evening and three coats, two pairs of trousers and a vest taken. The rear door was broken down by the intruder. There is no trace of the thief. Property owners along the alleyway declare that anyone found loitering there in the future will be arrested. Shrager left his place at about 11 o'clock last night.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Henry B. Drake, of Duer street, has been confined to his home several days with illness.

Conducter Wm. Cockley, of the street railway has recovered from a severe illness.

Miss Sadie Blimm, of Somerset street, is visiting New York friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Goodfellow have moved into their new houre on Netherwood avenue.

Miss Nettie Young, of Manning avenue, entertained a few of her friends last evening.

Miss Eleanor T. VanDeventer, of Mercer avenue, is able to be about again after a long illness.

LeRoy Brewster, of New York, has been visiting at the home of W. J. Roome, of Sycamore avenue.

Miss Carrie West, of Orange, is the guest of her friend, Miss Florence Bert, of West Seventh street.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, returned to Yale University, last evening.

August Saltzman, Jr., of Westervelt avenue, has been home from Lehigh University for a few days.

Thomas N. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, was able to be out, yesterday, for the first time since his recent accident.

George H. Horne, of Willow avenue, returned to Lehigh University yesterday afternoon after a several days vacation.

Mrs. Howard Thompson, of Central avenue, has returned home after a three weeks visit in Washington, Warren county.

Mrs. George S. Butters, of Concord, Mass., has returned home after a visit at the home of her brother, Asa Collier, of East Sixth street.

Uncle Ike Brown, of Watchung avenue, cast his seventeenth vote for President of the United States yesterday. He voted for Bryan.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street has been home on a short vacation. He returned to his studies at Steven's Institute yesterday afternoon.

Miss Ginna, daughter of Stephen A. Ginna, will give an informal tea at her home, "The Pines," Thursday afternoon, in honor of her friend, Miss Perkins.

Hon. J. V. M. Willis and son, of Belle Meade, visited the Daily Press office last evening. They were guests of the Union County Country Club for the evening.

John C. Whiting, of the Boys Department at the Twenty-third street branch of the Y. M. C. A., came to Plainfield to visit his home in East Sixth street and cast his vote.

A missionary concert will be held in the Crescent Avenue church this evening at o'clock. Dev. A. F. Schauffler, D. D., will deliver a lecture on "Ruin and Rescue," illustrated by a stereopticon. All are cordially invited.

The Tri-State Cup which was shot for at the grounds of the Endeavor Gun Club, of Marion, N. J., yesterday, was won by Charles Smith, of this city. Smith and Captain Brown tied for it with 38 points out of 50 shots and Smith won on the shootoff.

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DIED.

KELLY—In this city, Nov. 3d, 1896, Catharine, wife of John Kelly, aged 42 years. Funeral from her late residence, 602 East Third street, Friday morning, November 6, at 8:30, and at St. Mary's Church at 9.15, where a solemn requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. 2t

MERRITT—On Monday, November 2, 1896, Richard, eldest son of James and Mary E. Merritt. Funeral services at the residence of his father, 328 Park avenue, corner of Fourth street, Wednesday November 4, at 3.30 p. m.

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FOR SALE—Cheap, a good strong gentle mare, 15¼ hands high; safe for lady to drive. Apply to 1119 East Front street, near Netherwood avenue. 11 4 2

GOOD DRESSMAKER would take work by the day. Reasonable terms. B., care Press

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Thin blown engraved tumblers 5c each	
Wine glasses	2c
Goblets	2½c
Tumblers	1½c
½ gal pitchers	19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles	9c

Granite Ware.

Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:

Wash basins	10c
Oval dish pans	48c
Cullenders	19c
Fry pans	29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans	19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots	43c

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[Special Washington Letter.]

Although considerable was recently told in a special letter concerning the routine life, the salary and expenses of the president of the United States, there are many other interesting details concerning the chief magistracy, and the perquisites and pleasures of high official position.

In the first place, the president is given a handsome residence called the executive mansion, but more commonly known as the white house. It is really a white house, constructed of pure marble. Moreover, the grounds surrounding the presidential residence are ample and beautiful. The lawns, trees, flowers, fountains, conservatory and house furnishings are supplied and cared for at the expense of the government.

One of the funny things during the taking of the census of 1890 was the official return made by President Harrison. He filled out the regular blank, declaring that he was a citizen of the United States, a lawyer by profession, that he was temporarily residing in Washington, that his income was $50,000 per annum, and that it was sufficient to support his family. He also certified that the house in which he resided was "not mortgaged."

Although the expenses of state dinners are paid out of the president's salary, all of the table equipments, including the silver, glassware, china, mirrors and floral decorations are furnished by the government. Congress provides appropriations to replace worn-out or broken furniture, linen and other household necessities. During the Hayes administration a china dinner set was paid for by the government, and it cost $5,000. The white house butler and housekeeper are paid for by the government, but the president is obliged to hire his own cook and other household servants.

The butler is usually called the steward, and he receives a regular salary for looking after the domestic affairs of the executive mansion. He buys the ice, coal and groceries, and also attends to the marketing. He sees to it that the gas and electric lights are always in order, so that the president is thereby relieved of many little household details which were originally looked after by Presidents Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and their successors down to the time of President Polk, who first induced the congress to make an appropriation for a white house butler. This official is also an important functionary in that he relieves the wife of the president of many details of housekeeping which ordinarily would fall upon the mistress of the mansion.

The housekeeper is paid a regular salary by the government, and it is her duty to superintend the chambermaids and supervise the minor details of housekeeping. She sees to it that the kitchen and dining-room are kept in order; that the meals are served on time; that the president's lunch is served in the dining-room, the cabinet room, in his private office, or in the library, wherever he may choose to have it brought. President Arthur and President Cleveland have often had their lunches served where it was most handy for them to partake, while attending to pressing business. In order that you may understand this little household irregularity, you must understand that it takes five

THE WHITE HOUSE COOK.

minutes or more to go from the business part of the mansion to the dining-room, and sometimes the president has not five minutes to spare in the middle of the day. It does not often happen, but when it does occur, the lunch must be served wherever the president wants it served. The housekeeper also sees to it that the linen is aired, the beds made and rugs shaken, and the carpets kept perfectly clean. Inasmuch as she is obliged to look after the red parlor, blue parlor, east room and other portions of the official and public part of the white house, as well as the residence portion, the housekeeper is a pretty busy woman, and earns her salary.

The congress makes an annual appropriation of $8,000 for the stationery, telegrams and other contingent expenses; and that is seldom a sufficient sum for the payment of all contingent expenses, so that sometimes the president is obliged to use his private funds for library books and other contingent expenses, which are necessarily incident to his office, and in no sense personal to himself.

One of the best presidential perquisites is the steam yacht which is placed at the disposal of the president by the secretary of the navy. For many years the Dispatch has been used by presidents for recreationary trips, but President Cleveland prefers the light-house tender Violet, a little boat which can not only traverse the Atlantic coast, but can run into shallow creeks and bayous where good hunting abounds. President Arthur and President Harrison often used the Dispatch for cruises around Chesapeake bay, and occasionally for trips to New York and the New England coast. The Tallapoosa was a swift sloop which was often used by President Hayes; but the Tallapoosa was sunk in collision with a Yankee fishing smack off the Massachusetts coast, and the Dispatch has been the official yacht for the presidents ever since.

Do you remember that when Harrison was president he had a grandson named Benny McKee? He was no brighter and no better than other little boys, but the newspapers were filled with laudations of Baby McKee, and his peculiarities. One morning President Harrison went aboard the Dispatch for a trip down the Potomac, and took his family with him. Of course Baby McKee was there, too. In compliance with the request of the employes at the navy yard, President Harrison came on deck and began to make a little speech to the men, when Baby McKee inside the yacht began to cry and howl over some baby trouble. He yelled and yowled and howled, until he broke up the speech of his grandfather, who went inside, pacified the kid, and then came back to conclude his speech to the workingmen. When he went on his speech-making tour in 1891, President Harrison did not take Baby McKee with him. He consequently did not have his oratory disturbed by competition with the erratic lungs of his precocious grandchild. During the present administration the secretary of the navy has made use of

HE PACIFIED THE KID.

the Dispatch for his own pleasure trips because President Cleveland preferred the Violet and the Oneida.

If he were disposed to accept them, the president might have many perquisites in the form of presents from the people. There is a man in Connecticut who sends a splendid turkey to the president every Christmas day, and another for the New Year dinner at the white house. He has been doing this for a score of years. It is generally understood, however, that presidents will not accept presents, and the practice formerly prevalent is practically discontinued. Once upon a time there was a Virginian who sent to President Andrew Jackson a cheese so large that it would not go through any of the white house doors or windows; and Gen. Jackson had it cut out on the big front lawn, and invited the citizens of the little village of Washington to come and help themselves. At that time there were no more than 15,000 or 20,000 people in all the District of Columbia.

The president who has a family and who loves his children must have a high appreciation of the spacious grounds about the white house, in which the children may play with abandon and in safety. The wide-spreading trees, the velvety lawn, the fountains, the flowers, are all surrounded by a high iron fence and every gate is guarded by a watchman. There children may play without fear of assault or accident, while the children of tens of thousands of other dwellers in cities must be cooped up in their houses or play in the shapeless, cramped little yards. The mansion itself and the surrounding grounds may be regarded as among the president's best official perquisites.

Senators when in Washington have free shaves and shines in the senate barber shop at the capitol building; but the president is obliged to hire his own barber and bootblack. He has no perquisites of an unnecessary or questionable nature. The fish commissioner furnishes the white house aquarium with gold fish and other fancy fishes, while the horticultural and agricultural departments furnish all varieties of flowers in addition to those which are grown in the large conservatory of the white house; but these little decorations and ornamentive beauties are really the perquisites of the president's wife; for fancy fish and flowers are more pleasing to the feminine than the masculine eyes.

I once knew a president whose policy proved to be unpopular during his incumbency of office, and very few senators or representatives called upon him. When thinking of his loneliness in his high position, and contrasting the lives of other presidents who daily receive the official and social calls of upwards of 50 of the leading men of this nation, it has occurred to me that the friendship and admiration of the people is a perquisite of the president which is attainable by no other American citizen in any other position, or under any other circumstances. Undoubtedly the president who was shunned by his own party leaders and ignored by the leaders of the opposition, would gladly have counted the friendship of the people a greater perquisite of his office than the salary and all other emoluments combined. The three great attributes of Washington are known to all, but it seems to me that while it was a pleasure to have been "first in war," and also to have been "first in peace," his greatest delight must have been in a realization of the fact that he was "first in the hearts of his countrymen."

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THE IMPERTINENT TURK.

He Pokes Fun at the Ambassadors of the Powers.

Incidentally He Calls Them Liars and Says They Can't See Straight—A Wild English Scheme—The Prince of Naples' Bride.

[Special Letter.]

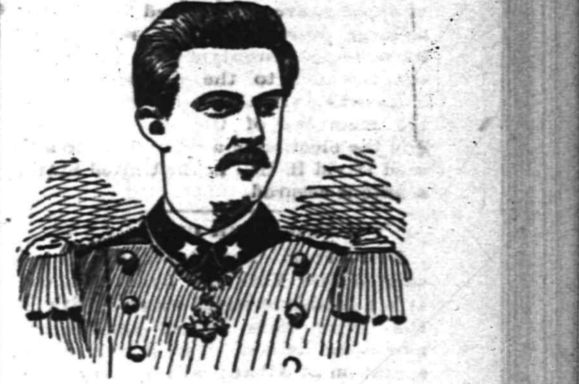
Despite its terribly tragic features, the situation at Constantinople is not without its amusing side. After the Mussulman fanatics had murdered 5,000 Christians in cold blood and robbed every Christian domicile to which they could force an entrance, the representatives of the six Berlin treaty powers—Great Britain, Russia, Germany, France, Austria-Hungary and Italy—insisted upon a thorough investigation of the massacre. The sultan, in compliance with their re-

THE SULTAN OF TURKEY.

quest, appointed a commission, consisting of some of the most notorious Mohammedan fanatics, and this commission, in an incredibly short space of time, filed a report exonerating the Turkish mob of civilians and soldiers. An official note was then sent to the six powers, which, in addition to the decision of the commission, contained the insinuation that the ambassadors had misinformed their governments and failed to give a truthful version of the unfortunate affair. The half dozen diplomats, thus officially stigmatized as liars, at once commenced to exchange notes with each other, and in this pleasing, but profitless, occupation they are engaged at the present time. Meanwhile the heads of the foreign offices at Berlin, London, Vienna, Rome and Paris are giving out hints about what is to be done with the "unspeakable Turk," the latest rumor being that Germany and Austria, with the consent of France, will insist upon the abdication of Sultan Abdul Hamid. Another report is to the effect that the young Turkish element, which, although weak in number, is strong in influence, will request the sheik-ul-Islam, the highest religious officer of the Moslem realm, to pronounce the sultan insane and to declare the throne vacant. Both these rumors are interesting, but it is more than doubtful that anything will come of them.

The British Lion Is Excited.

The massacre of 5,000 Armenians at Constantinople the Turkish commission attributes to the strange folly of a band of Armenian revolutionists who, armed with revolvers and dynamite bombs, took possession of the Ottoman bank on the 27th of August, killed the police officers on duty, and held the buildings for some hours against the Turkish soldiers. The participants in this unique raid surrendered on condition of their lives being spared, and were sent out of the country. The infuriated soldiers, maddened by religious fanaticism, then began a raid on the entire Armenian population, and slaughtered men, women and children, with the sanction of the civil and military authorities, until the foreign ambassadors put an end to the carnival of blood by dispatching an emphatic joint note to



THE PRINCE OF NAPLES.

the sultan. A subsequent communication led to the appointment of the Turkish whitewashing committee and the porte's impertinent question to the powers: "What are you going to do about it?" The only nation which has done anything at all is Great Britain, which has massed a powerful fleet within short sailing distance of Constantinople and instructed its ambassador, Sir Philip Currie, to notify the sultan that a repetition of outrages against his Christian subjects would constitute sufficient cause for England to act single-handed in their defense. The only action taken by the ambassadors of the other signatory powers is the strengthening of the defense of their respective embassies so as to be ready for a general Turkish outbreak, which may occur at any moment.

Dreibund Proposed by England.

While England's aggressiveness appears chivalrous, yet it does not amount to much. Russia, which is really the dominant factor in Turkish affairs, adheres with Muscovite tenacity to the policy of procrastination and inactivity inaugurated by Prince Lobanoff-Rostovsky, whose recent sudden death paralyzed concerted action. Lord Salisbury knows perfectly well that the first shot fired at the defenses of the Bosphorus by the British fleet would

REPUBLICANS' GREAT VICTORY

William McKinley Is Elected President by a Big Majority.

CARRIES MANY OF THE STATES WHICH WERE DOUBTFUL

Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, New York and Ohio in Line---The Empire State's Majority Nearly 300,000---Republicans Also Secure Control of Congress.

New York, Nov. 4.—William McKinley of Ohio and Garret A. Hobart of New Jersey were yesterday elected president and vice-president respectively of the United States, their victory being almost a landslide. The republicans also elected congressmen enough to give them a big majority in the fifty-fifth congress, and they will, therefore, after March 4 next, be in possession of the government. The result in New England was an avalanche, Massachusetts led off with 100,000 plurality for McKinley, Maine and Connecticut followed with 500,000 each. Vermont increased the phenominal majority given in September, New Hampshire doubled her majority of four years ago, and Rhode Island closes up with 20,000 for McKinley. There was a clean sweep of congressmen, state officers and legislature. Pennsylvania gives McKinley about 300,000 plurality and sends almost solid republican and gold delegation to congress. Maryland joins the victorious column with 25,000 to 30,000 plurality for McKinley and elects five, and perhaps six, republican congressmen. New Jersey, which in 1892 gave Cleveland a plurality of 14,974, has been carried by McKinley and Hobart by a plurality of over 55,000. Virginia shows an apparent plurality for Bryan of about 15,000. The republicans made gains of more than 35,000 in Virginia and later returns may show that they have carried the state. Kentucky has been carried by McKinley by a plurality estimated at 10,000 or more. Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge has been re-elected to congress by the gold democrats and republicans in the seventh district. Bryan carried Georgia by 40,000. The indications are that Tennessee has been carried for McKinley, and by a slightly larger plurality for Tillman, rep., for governor. Josiah Patterson, gold democrat, has been re-elected to congress after a very bitter fight. Indiana gave a plurality of 50,000 for McKinley. The vote in California is very close, but the indications are that the democrats have won. The republicans have secured control of the house of representatives, and very likely of the senate also, by the returns of the election of the various state legislatures.

NEW YORK'S GREAT MAJORITY.

The Empire State Rolled Up 284,000 for McKinley.

New York, Nov. 4.—McKinley and Hobart made a clean sweep of the empire state. The democratic plurality of 45,000 in 1892 was reversed, and the unprecedented plurality of 284,000 has been rolled up for the representatives of republicanism and sound money. Outside of New York city and Brooklyn McKinley has a plurality of 234,000. In every county and every town there have been republican gains which are equal to all that the republican campaign managers claimed in this state. Frank S. Black, the republican candidate for governor, is elected by about 240,000. Timothy L. Woodruff, rep., for lieutenant-governor, and Irving G. Vann for judge of the court of appeals, are also elected by nearly as large pluralities. The republicans have elected twenty-eight republican congressmen to the democrats' six. They will have about 110 out of the 150 members of the state assembly, and the election of a republican to succeed David B. Hill in the United States senate is assured.

NEW YORK CITY.

New York, Nov. 4.—McKinley has carried New York city by over 20,000. It is a landslide which carries with it the entire state ticket, congressmen and assemblymen. Tammany's representation at Albany will be very meagre, indeed, this winter. Congressmen McClellan, Vehslage, Cummings and Sulzer appear to have pulled through, but all the other democratic nominees seem to have been beaten. Bryan ran behind in nearly every quarter of the city. He lost most heavily in the uptown residence districts, but was also badly behind in the tenement house section. The large workingmen's vote for Bryan which had been predicted by Leader Sheehan and others failed to materialize. Not only did the republicans hold their own in those sections of the city, but they made immense gains in every district. For example, the Seventh and Eighth election districts of the Sixth assembly district are filled with workingmen. Last year both were carried by Gen. King. This time McKinley carried both of them by good majorities. In the Seventh election district the republican gain over last year was 85, and in the Eighth district it was 79. Similiar reports come from the uptown districts.

New York Congressmen.

New York, Nov. 4.—New York elects the following congressmen, the democratic representation being the same as in the present congress. In the Syracuse district ex-Congressman Belden defeats Poole, the sitting member, but that will make no difference in the vote on the silver question, as both are sound money men. First district, J. M. Belford, rep.; Second, D. M. Hurley, rep.; Third, F. H. Wilson, rep.; Fourth, I. F. Fischer, rep.; Fifth, C. G. Bennett, rep.; Sixth, J. R. Howe, rep.; Seventh, J. H. G. Vehslage, dem.; Eighth, J. M. Mitchell, rep.; Ninth, T. J. Bradley, dem.; Tenth, A. J. Cummings, dem.; Eleventh, W. Sulzer, dem.; Twelfth, G. B. McClelland, dem.; Thirteenth, R. C. Shannon, rep.; Fourteenth, L. E. Quigg, rep.; Fifteenth, P. B. Low, rep.; Sixteenth, W. L. Ward, rep.; Seventeenth, B. B. Odell, jr., rep.; Eighteenth, J H. Ketcham, rep.; Nineteenth, A. N. S. Cockran, rep.; Twentieth, G. N. Southwick, rep.; Twenty-first, D. T. Wilbur, rep.; Twenty-second, D. I. Littauer, rep.; Twenty-third, W. T. Foote, rep.; Twenty-fourth, C. A. Chickering, rep.; Twenty-fifth, J. S. Sherman, rep.; Twenty-sixth, G. W. Ray, rep.; Twenty-seventh, J. J. Beldon, rep.; Twenty-eighth, S. E. Payne, rep.; Twenty-ninth, C. W. Gillett, rep.; Thirtieth, J. W. Wordsworth, rep.; Thirty-first, Henry C. Brewster. rep.; Thirty-second, R. B. Mahany, rep.; Thirty-third, D. S. Alexander, rep.; Thirty-fourth, W. B. Hooker, rep. Totals—Republicans, 29; democrats, 5.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Republicans Elect Twenty Congressmen and Give McKinley a Large Majority.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—McKinley carried Pennsylvania by about 175,000 and the republicans elected twenty out of twenty-one congressmen and the legislature which elects a United States senator. The following are the congressmen elected: At Large—Galusha A. Grow, rep.; Samuel A. Davenport, rep. First district, H. H. Bingham, rep.; Second, Hobert Adams, jr., rep; Fourth, James Rankin Young, rep.; Fifth, A. Charmer, rep.; Seventh, Irving P. Wagner, rep.; Ninth, Daniel Ermentrut, dem. Tenth, Marriott Brosius, rep. Eleventh, William Connell, rep. Twelfth, Morgan E. Williams, rep. Fourteenth, Harlan E. Olmstead, rep. Fifteenth, James H. Godding, rep. Sixteenth, Horace E. Packer, rep. Eighteenth, Thaddeus M. Mahon, rep. Twenty-first, Edward E. Robbins, rep. Twenty-second, John Dalzell, rep. Twenty-third, William A. Stone, rep. Twenty-fourth, Ernest F. Achson, rep. Twenty-fifth, James J. Davison, rep. Twenty-seventh, Charles W. Stone, rep.

CONNECTICUT.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 4.—McKinley has swept the state by about 50,000 plurality in a total vote of 170,000. Lorin A. Cook, of Winsted, rep., is elected governor by a plurality of perhaps 35,000. The four republican congressmen are all re-elected by majorities ranging from 6,000 to 15,000. The legislature will stand 229 republicans to 37 democrats, a majority of 192 on joint ballot, ensuring the election of United States Senator Orville H. Platt to succeed himself. At 11 o'clock tonight returns from 111 towns of the 168 in the state show the vote for president to be: McKinley, 46,000; Bryan, 19,000; Buckner, 2,700. In 1892 the vote of the state for president was: Cleveland, 82,395; Harrison, 77,032; Bidwell, pro.; 4,026; Weaver, pop., 809. In 1894 Coffin, rep., for governor had 17,688 plurality over Cady, dem. Bryan has carried so far but three of 111 towns in the state and not one of the cities.

MAINE.

Portland, Me., Nov. 4.—Corrected returns from 150 towns give McKinley 40,351; Bryan, 15,836; scattering, 2,429. Against in 1892: Harrison, 31,725; Cleveland, 23,764; scattering, 2,579. Plurality now 24,515 against 7,961 in 1892. a gain of 16,554. This is almost exactly half the vote of the state. An equal gain in the other half will give 48,000 plurality.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 4.—The republicans have secured the most sweeping victory in this state in its history and their ante-election claim of a plurality of upwards of 20,000 for McKinley and nearly as much for Ramsdell for governor, with increased majorities in both branches of the legislature and enlarged pluralities for congressmen, have been verified. In fact it was a veritable landslide. The republicans carried Merrimack county by the largest plurality they ever had in the county.

OHIO.

The State Carried by the Republicans by About 60,000.

Columbus, O., Nov. 4.—Ohio elected yesterday, besides presidential electors, a secretary of state, food commissioner, supreme judge and public works commissioner. Latest returns give the republicans about 60,000 majority and all but three of the congressmen.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—McKinley has carried Delaware by about 3,000, but the democrats have the legislature and congressman. There were minor brawls in Sussex county and in two districts no election was held during the day, the union republicans (Addicks) refusing to permit the anti-Addicks people or regular republicans to have voters' assistants. In one district of Kent county there was no election for the same reason. The only fatal affray reported was from Baltimore Hundred, Sussex county, where one man was killed.

TENNESSEE.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 4.—The republicans claim to have carried Tennessee for McKinley by 20,000 plurality. Tillman, rep., is probably elected governor over Taylor, dem. He ran about 6,000 ahead of McKinley.

ARKANSAS.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 4.—Latest returns indicate a majority of 30,000 in Arkansas for Bryan.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Republicans Capture the Entire State by About 150,000.

Boston, Nov. 4.—McKinley carried Massachusetts by about 150,000. Wolcott, for governor, runs somewhat behind McKinley. Williams, the silver candidate for governor, also runs behind Bryan, though not as much as Wolcott runs behind McKinley. The vote is very large in all parts of the state. The congressmen elected are: First district, Wright, rep.; Second, Gillette, rep.; Third, Walker, rep.; Fourth, Weymouth, rep.; Fifth, Knox, rep.; Sixth, Moody, rep.; Seventh, Barrett, rep.; Eighth, McCall, rep.; Ninth, Fitzgerald, dem.; Tenth, is still in doubt; Eleventh, Sprague, rep.; Twelfth, Lovering, rep.; Thirteenth, Simpkins, rep. The executive council will stand seven republicans to one democrat, the same as last year. The Palmer vote promises to equal the desired 3 per cent. of the total to give the national democracy standing on the Australian ballot. Both of the biennial elections amendments have been defeated by votes of about two to one. The legislature is overwhelmingly republican in both branches.

MICHIGAN.

McKinley Carries the State by About 25,000 Plurality.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 4.—McKinley carries this city by 4,000, and the state by 25,000 plurality.

VERMONT.

White River Junction, Vt., Nov. 4.—The republican plurality in this state will be about 40,000. The previous high-water mark in pluralities for president was 30,554, given to Grant in 1872. The state will have a solid republican delegation in the United States congress.

IOWA.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 4.—The heavy vote in Iowa counts very slowly. Scattering returns, chiefly from rural precincts, where the republicans expected to be weakest, indicate republican claim of 75,000 plurality for McKinley will be bettered, and 100,000 seems likely to be reached. Palmer will poll a very light vote, probably not over 6,000. Secretary Trainor of the republican committee claims the state by 80,000. The republicans claim to have elected all of the eleven congressmen, but two districts are still in doubt.

TEXAS.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 4.—The election passed off quietly with a full vote. Indications are that McKinley will carry the city and county by a small plurality. Sayres, dem., for congress, has a large majority in the city and county. State Chairman Blake estimates Bryan's plurality at 100,000, and Culberson for governor will have 75,000 plurality. He says a solid democratic congressional delegation of thirteen members has been returned. Definite returns will be received to-day.

INDIANA.

Indianapolis, Nov. 4.—Unless the belated rural returns materially differ from what is expected, republicans claim that McKinley will carry the state by not less than 50,000 plurality. They also claim the governor and twelve of the thirteen congressmen. The democrats claim the state by 7,000.

MINNESOTA.

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—The state has gone overwhelmingly for McKinley. St. Paul has given him a majority of at least 6,000 and Minneapolis has at least done as well. The state has given the Buckeye statesman about 50,000 plurality. It is a clean republican sweep on congressmen except the Seventh district. The legislature is republican by two-thirds on joint ballot.

FLORIDA.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall seem to have a plurality of 15,000 in this state. In the First congressional district S. M. Parkman, silver democrat, is re-elected by a plurality approximating 8,000. In the Second district Robert W. Davis, silver democrat, has a plurality of 3,000 or more over J. R. Stripling, republican.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Nov. 4.—In eastern and central Kentucky republicans have made gains. Davidson, republican for congress in the Eighth district, is a winner. Silver men have made gains in southern Kentucky. Latest and most correct returns give McKinley a plurality of about 15,000. Gold democrats claim Breckinridge's election to congress by 1,700.

MARYLAND.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—Baltimore city complete gives McKinley 21,618 plurality over Bryan. The city council stands fifteen republicans to seven democrats. Indications now point to the election by the republicans of all six congressmen. The state gives McKinley about 40,000.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—The populists and democrats voted solidly for Bryan and carried the state by 10,000. The republican-populist fusion candidates for state officers were elected.

IDAHO.

Boise City, Idaho, Nov. 4.—The state is conceded to Bryan by 15,000 to 20,000 majority. Borah, silver republican, it is claimed, is ahead for congress. No reliable estimate of the complexion of the legislature can be made yet.

UTAH.

Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 4.—Indications now are that Bryan has carried the state by at least 10,000. The legislature, which elects United States senator, is claimed by both parties.

LOUISIANA.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Latest corrected returns indicate that Bryan carried the state by about 40,000 plurality

NEW JERSEY.

A Majority of About 40,000 for McKinley and All Republican Congressmen.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—The republican ticket has scored a sweeping victory in New Jersey. Few of the sections which were looked upon as surely democratic have realized the expectations of Mr. Bryan's workers, and it now seems a conservative estimate to place McKinley's plurality in the state at 40,000. Essex county has given him 18,000, and Hudson county's usually sturdy democratic majority has been cut down to a narrow margin of 2,500. New Jersey elected a solid republican congressional delegation as follows: First district, S. C. Loudenslager; Second, J. J. Gardner; Third, B. F. Howell; Fourth, Mahlon Pitney; Fifth, J. F. Stewart; Sixth, E. W. Parker; Seventh, Thomas McEwanje; Eighth, Chas. W. Fowler

ILLINOIS.

McKinley Carries the State by About 150,000 and Altgeld Is Defeated.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Later returns from Illinois give McKinley about 150,000 plurality. Tanner's plurality over Altgeld is about 125,000. The returns received from outside of Chicago show large republican gains over 1892. Whiteside county gave McKinley a majority of 2,500, a gain of 1,422 over 1892. Logan county has been carried by 300 majority. It was formerly democratic by over 600. This is an indication of the ratio of republican gains from the counties heard from. Evanston's vote was: McKinley, 3,027; Bryan, 608. The republicans claim the legislature which will elect a United States senator.

GEORGIA.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Bryan carried Georgia, according to latest corrected returns, by about 35,000. Official vote of Fulton county, in which Atlanta is located, gives Bryan, 4,471; McKinley, 2,953; Bryan's majority, 1,518. But few scattering votes for Palmer and other presidential candidates.

NEBRASKA.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Out of the apparent republican avalanche in neighboring states, Nebraska has seemingly remained true to her favored son. Mr. Bryan has, on the face of the scattering returns, carried the state by 6,000 to 12,000. Chairman Post of the republican committee declines to concede defeat, but the figures disprove his claims.

VIRGINIA.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—The majority for Bryan and Sewall in Virginia is 25,000. Seven democratic congressmen are certainly elected. Three districts are in doubt.

OREGON.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 4.—Chairman of republican state central committee says he is satisfied that McKinley's majority will be anywhere from 5,000 to 8,000. The republicans will have in the next legislature a majority of twenty-four in joint assembly.

RHODE ISLAND.

Providence, Nov. 4.—The election in Rhode Island was for presidential electors and two congressmen. The state from present indications will give McKinley 20,000 plurality. The republican congressmen will have more than 5,000 plurality each.

COLORADO.

Denver, Nov. 4.—Bryan and Sewall have carried Colorado by a plurality of 130,000. The gold democrats are simply an incident to the campaign. The middle-of-the-road populists cast about 3,000 votes, the balance scattering. The legislature is a mixture, composed of a fusion of all parties, a unit for silver and all pledged to the return of Senator Teller to the United States senate. On state ticket the indications point to the election of the Bailey ticket. This ticket is composed of populists silver republicans and national party men.

MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Nov. 4.—Missouri returns show a marked republican gain. The republican majority in St. Louis is from 24,000 to 28,000 and in Kansas City about 8,000. This will be hardly sufficient to overcome the democratic plurality in the state, and Bryan will probably get the electoral vote.

M'KINLEY NOT ELATED.

Hundreds of Congratulatory Telegrams Received by the Victor.

Canton, O., Nov. 4.—Congratulatory telegrams are pouring in upon Major McKinley to-day, many hundreds having been already received. With Chairman Hanna and a number of invited guests, the successful candidate sat until far into the night in his home receiving the election returns by private wire. From the time the first telegram was received until he retired for the night he exhibited no undue signs of elation and did not appear to be at all surprised at the result, saying that he never had any doubt of the success of republican principles at the polls. Chairman Hanna merely said that the result was a foregone conclusion and that he had been sure all along that the returns would substantially verify his predictions of the triumph of the republican nominee. Mr. Hanna was among the very first to congratulate Major McKinley upon his success, and after him followed the others gathered at his home. Then came the first batch of congratulations, and they continued to arrive until Major McKinley retired to rest and during the time he slumbered.

Bryan Surprised.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bryan received the returns at his residence last evening. It had been understood among the friends of the democratic candidate that he was to be left alone on election night, and as a consequence none of the local supporters or neighbors gathered at the little D street residence. After supper Mr. Bryan put on a velvet house jacket and went up stairs to the private office he has established since his nomination. Mrs. Bryan remained with him there during the evening, the husband and wife receiving the bulletins fresh from the wire and reading and comparing them together. Mr. Schwind, the candidate's secretary, and a dozen newspaper men occupied the library. The wire connecting with democratic headquarters was idle most of the time. A few dispatches for Mr. Bryan came from Chairman Jones early in the evening. Their purport was not made known by Mr. Bryan, but he said that if anything important was received from the Arkansas senator he would give it to the press. He appeared to be somewhat chagrined and surprised at the result, but retired before the latest returns were received.

THE NEXT SENATE.

Probability That the Republicans Will Be in Control.

New York, Nov. 4.—Along with the presidency and a large majority of the house of representatives the republicans seem to be in a fair way to secure a majority of the senate in the fifty-fifth congress. Certainly there will be a majority for sound money and, inferentially, a majority in favor of a revenue measure intended to enable the government to meet its expenditures. The fifty-nine hold-over senators are classified as follows: Republicans on the St. Louis platform, 27; silver republicans, 5; sound money democrats, 7; silver democrats, 16; populists, 2; unclassified democrats, 2. Successors to retiring senators have already been elected in five states. Four of these—Allison of Iowa, Morrill of Vermont, Foraker of Ohio and Wellington of Maryland—are sound money republicans. The other, McInerny of Louisiana, was elected as a free silver democrat. Georgia and Alabama will send free silver democrats. The Arkansas legislature will return Senator Jones, a free silver democrat. The legislature in Florida will probably send a sound money successor to Senator Call. The Oregon Legislature is in the hands of the republicans and Senator Mitchell believes he will be returned. The Kentucky legislature at its session last winter failed to elect a successor to Senator Blackburn. It is understood to be the intention of the governor to call an extra session in January when the republicans will elect a man. According to dispatches of the United Associated Presses the following states will elect republican governors: Connecticut, Indiana, Illinois, New Hampshire, New York, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, and Wisconsin. The following will elect free silver republican senators: Colorado, Idaho, Nevada, and Utah. South Carolina will choose a free silver democrat. The following states are in doubt at this hour, but the general trend of the returns makes the probabilities favor republican senators: California, Kansas, Missouri, North Carolina, and Washington. Delaware, which now has but one senator, will probably elect a republican. Upon the basis of these changes, assuming that the doubts are resolved in favor of the republicans in the states named, the next senate will stand as follows: Republicans on the St. Louis platform, 48; silver republicans, 9; sound money democrats, 8; silver democrats, 21; democrats unclassed, 2; populists, 2. Total, 90. The republicans could lose two of the states and still have a majority of the senate.

The House.

New York, Nov. 4.—Up to this morning no returns had been received from which the actual result of the congressional contests in Alabama, Delaware, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Texas and Washington could be determined. The other states have probably elected the representatives as follows: Arkansas, 6 dem.; Colorado, 2 pop.; Connecticut, 4 rep.; Florida, 2 dem.; Idaho, 1 pop.; Illinois, 20 rep., 2 dem.; Indiana, 10 rep., 3 dem., Iowa, 11 rep.; Louisiana, 6 dem.; Maine. 4 rep.; Maryland, 5 rep., 1 dem.; Massachusetts, 12 rep., 1 dem.; Michigan, 11 rep., 1 dem.; Mississippi, 7 dem.; Montana, 1 pop.; Nebraska, 5 rep., 1 pop.; New Hamsphire, 2 rep.; New Jersey, 8 rep.; New York, 28 rep.; 6 dem.; North Carolina, 4 rep., 1 dem., 4 pop.; North Dakota, 1 rep.; Ohio, 19 rep.; 2 dem.; Oregon, 2 rep.; Pennsylvania, 28 rep., 2 dem.; Rhode Island, 2 rep.; South Carolina, 7 dem.; South Dakota, 2 rep.; Tennessee, 4 rep., 1 gold dem., 5 dem.; Utah, 1 pop.; Vermont, 2 rep.; Virginia, 3 rep., 7 dem.; West Virginia, 4 rep.; Wisconsin, 10 rep.; Wyoming, 1 rep.; Nevada, 1 pop. Totals, rep., 202; gold dem., 1; dem., 59; pop., 11.

The republicans will have a majority closely approximating, if it does not exceed, that in the present house. The totals now are: Republicans, 253; democrats, 92; populists, silverites and

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Oak framed Mirrors, size 8x10 in. with beaded or plain frames, 18c	Glass Syrup Cups, nickel cover and good imitation cut glass, 17c
You can't duplicate them elsewhere for 30c.	Embossed Gilt Band Tea Cups and Saucers—Cup and Saucer 8c
Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed bottoms, per doz. - 23c	Colored Cuspidors, decorated in gilt, - - - - - 3c
China Creamers, with lustre finish, in all colors, and beautifully embossed, - - 16c	Floor dusters, tampeeco filled, large size—they will give good satisfaction, - - 8c
Large size, first quality brooms, 4 rows stitching, - - 25c	Tea Stands, made from twisted wire, - - - - - 4c
You pay for the same article elsewhere 35c.	Solid-back Scrub Brushes, 4c
Wire Broilers. Size 10-inch. 4c	Limited number of saucepans, 1c
Tea Kettles, 5-pints, stamped from good quality tin, - 10c	Decorated Japaned Crumb Trays and Brushes, heavily lacquered and beautifully ornamented in gilt, - - 15c
Re-Turned Wood Handled Ladles and Skimmers, - 1c	Toilet Paper, package or roll, good quality and perforated, 3c
Ornamented Crumb Trays, with Brush, - - - - 13c	Hardwood doorstops with rubber end, - - - - 2c
All colors and decorated in gilt.	Picture hooks, embossed brass, per doz. - - - - - 10c
Spring Balances guaranteed to weigh 25lbs accurately, - 6c	
Small Box of Putz Metal Polish, 3c	

Bissel Carpet Sweepers, 98c.

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AFTERMATH OF ELECTION

New Jersey Gives About 84,000 Plurality for Republicans.

PARTY LINES WERE SWEPT AWAY.

Hunterdon and Warren Were Loyal to Old Time Records and Gave Democratic Pluralities — Seventy-Four Republicans Against Seven Democrats in the Legislature—No Democratic Congressmen From the State of New Jersey Next Year.

McKinley and Hobart's plurality in New Jersey, according to the corrected returns, and in correspondence of the Republican State Committee, is 83,962 over Bryan and Sewell. Warren and Hunterdon alone, two rock-ribbed Democratic strongholds, the strongest silver centre probably in the East, clung to their record of thirty years and went Democratic. Otherwise the Republicans swept the State as cleanly as the most ardent partisan could desire.

The eight Congressmen will vote with the Republican majority and the State Senate and Assembly will be 63 Republicans to 18 Democrats on joint ballot.

The Palmer and Buckner tickets appears to have polled a sufficient number of votes to entitle it to nominate hereafter by convention instead of by petition as was needful this year.

The Republicans gain one Assemblyman in Monmouth county and one in Passaic and eleven more in Hudson. The new Legislature will stand:

Senate—Republican, 18; Democrat 3.

Assembly—Republican, 56; Democrat, 4.

Joint Ballot—Republican, 74; Democrat, 7.

Republican majority on joint ballot, 67.

The present State Senate stands 18 Republicans and 3 Democrats.

United States Senator James Smith, Jr., speaking of the result of the election, said: "What do I think of the result in this State? Well, it is quite apparent that it demonstrates beyond doubt that the people of New Jersey did not approve of the Chicago platform. But it cannot be regarded as a Republican victory, however, for the reason that if Mr. McKinley is elected, as the present meagre returns indicate, his success is due to the action of Democrats who did not approve of the Chicago platform. The election of McKinley will restore confidence, as there has been a curtailed production in the manufacturing line, business will boom until Congress assembles. Then if it is found that remedial legislation will be as hard to secure as during the last session it is not pleasant to contemplate what the result will be.

Franklin Murphy, Chairman of the Republican State Committee, said: "I regard the victory, of which I have had at no time the slightest doubt, as due to the honesty and patriotism of the American people. There is the whole story in a few words. The Bryanites wanted the country to do a dishonorable act, and I am pleased that the innate honesty and patriotism of the people refused to consent. The result here in New Jersey was helped by the work that has been done here. It is not a partisan victory, and must not be considered as such. No State Committee could have accomplished it, nor could any committee have prevented it.

"We felt all along that if the real issues of the campaign could be put plainly before the people, their patriotism would lead them in the right direction. To this end we gave our best efforts in the dissemination of documents bearing on these issues. In this county the result has been aided by the Essex County Committee. It is organized with the precision and detail of a military company, and the members obey their leader. But the victory belongs to no committee, to no party. It is the honest patriotism of the people that has saved the country."

New Jersey's Congressmen-elect, all of whom succeed themselves, and their pluralities, are:

Dist.	1896	1892.
First, Henry C. Loudenschlager	23,531	12,380
Second, John J. Gardner	18,627	9,740
Third, Benj. F. Howell	6,905	3,976
Fourth, Mahlon Pitney	3,123	1,407
Fifth, James F. Stewart	10,499	5,972
Sixth, R. Wayne Parker	15,198	8,473
Seventh, Thomas McEwan, Jr.	4,673	293
Eighth, Chas. N. Fowler	11,138	6,236

The G. A. R. Fair.

Now that election is over the interest in the G. A. R. fair increases and special features are promised for the rest of this week. The voting for the most popular G. A. R. member and Son of Veteran is beginning to cause a great deal of interest and the result is anxiously awaited. Those who visit the fair don't seem to get tired of visiting the museum, which is one of the best ever arranged in this city.

Thirty Days in Elizabeth.

Ab Cook was arrested yesterday afternoon by Sergeant Kiely for being drunk and disorderly. He was given thirty days in the county jail.

GOT A VERDICT ON THE APPEAL.

Dr. Lawler Finally Wins a Long Drawn Out Case.

Dr. J. H. Lawler, the veternary surgeon of North avenue, a graduate of a New York college, was called upon sometime ago to treat a horse owned by Mr. Jones, of Westfield, a New York lawyer. After treating the horse and making him perfectly sound, the doctor rendered his bill which was objected to, the objection being that the animal had not been properly treated. The doctor felt aggrieved and commenced an action before Justice Newcorn and the case was tried before a jury which brought in a verdict of no cause for action. The doctor still feeling that his cause was a just one and that he had not received justice, appealed the case to a higher court at Elizabeth and on Monday last it was tried before Justice McCormick and a jury. Mr. Jones retained Wm. A. Coddington to present his defense, and after a very hotly contested trial and the examination of a number of witnesses pro and con, the jury gave the doctor a verdict for the full amount of his claim.

REPUBLICAN JOLLIFICATION.

Chairman Fisk Arranging For a Big Time for Saturday Night.

The tramp, tramp of hundreds of feet, shouts of a mulitude of voices, flicker of torches, balls of fire from Roman candles, illuminated and decorated buildings, inspiring music of drum and horn, all set off in a lurid picture by pound after pound of red fire burning with flash like spontaniety, will be the manner in which the Republicans and supporters of McKinley and Hobart will vent their enthusiasm over their victory, Saturday.

Chairman Fisk has arranged for a great jollification for that time and it is intended that the enthusiasm will exceed any of the ante-election affairs. Full particulars of the parade and other features will be published in the Press tomorrow.

School Boys to Drill Publicly Soon.

As soon as the school cadets of the city and borough have perfected their drill a competitive drill will probably be held in the Jersey Cycle Academy sometime this winter. It is the wish of Captain George Edwards to hold a battalion drill first and then have the two companies drill against each other. Such an affair would be of much interest to citizens of both Plainfield and North Plainfield and would attract many to see it.

Faces Death Stoically.

Eighteen-year-old Elmer Clawson, who is imprisoned at Somerville, awaiting execution for murdering his former employer, George Hodgetts, on Aug. 29, shows a calm stoicism that nothing can shake. Throughout his life, it is said, the boy has shown the same unswerving determination. When he wanted a thing he has stopped at nothing in order to acquire it.

Appreciated a Good Thing.

The delightful manner in which the Crescent Wheelmen entertained their friends resulted in a number of application blanks being filled out. Among those who decided to unite with the club were Sheriff-elect William T. Kirk, ex Judge W. A. Coddington and Councilman John G. MacLoughlin. Several more applicaiions were handed in yesterday.

Middlesex Will Build the Bridge.

After considerable talk about the line between Somerset and Middlesex counties, the Middlesex Board of Chosen Freeholders has come to the conclusion that the white bridge over the Bound brook, south of the Lehigh Valley railroad. Bound Brook, is wholly within Middlesex county. F. M. Gise, of Dunellen, has the plans and specifications.

Sustained a Severe Fracture.

Edison Brown, of Dunellen, who previously fractured his arm at two different times, sustained another fracture yesterday by falling off of a porch. It was only a few days ago that the splints were removed from his arm, and it is now quite likely that it will be some time before the arm is perfectly well.

New Class Pins Secured.

The members of the Senior class at the Plainfield High School have received their new class pins. They are of gold and made after a new design with the class colors, blue and white, in enamel. They are very handsome.

Sewer Commissioners Meet Again.

A public meeting of the sewer commissioners will be held in the City Council rooms this evening, at which time all property owners or anyone interested are invited to be present and make known their objections.

J. A. Smith, the West Front street grocer, has gone south on a trip for two weeks.

THE STATE ENDEAVORERS

ALL READY PREPARING FOR THE CONVENTION OF NEXT YEAR.

Paterson is Raising a Big Fund With Which to Entertain the Delegates—E. E. Anthony on Programme Committee

The Executive Committee of the New Jersey Christian Endeavor Union met in the Y. M. C. A. Building in Trenton, last Monday.

E. E. Anthony, of the Plainfield Committee of '96, reported that the committee had about closed the matters of the Plainfield convention, discharging all obligations.

Rev. F. B. Everett, superintendent of the Evangelistic Department, reported that the plan for the coming year was that work should be attempted along society lines rather than by local unions, as was done last year. He proposed that the first week of December be observed by the societies in the State for the study of the Scriptures and the work of the Holy Spirit, in qualifying them for evangelistic work in their own churches. The proposition of Mr. Everett was unanimously adopted by the Executive Committee.

President French nominated the following Programme Committee for the next State Convention: Rev. John T. Kerr, Elizabeth; Rev. Charles A. Savage, president of the Orange Union; Rev. E. W. Thompson, Paterson, chairman of the committee of '97; Mrs. Louis Fox, Paterson, of the committee of '97; Joseph H. Wright, Trenton; Mr. E. E. Anthony, chairman of the Plainfield '96 Committee.

Rev. E. W. Thompson reported that nearly $1,000 had been raised by the Endeavorers of Paterson for the convention.

The Executive Committee voted that hereafter the expenses of the speakers and the printing of the programmes be met by the State Committee. The convention at Plainfield cost $2,100. The expenses of the speakers were less than $500, the printing of the programmes cost $300.

At the close of the meeting President French said that he felt like saying to the committee that he appreciated in the highest degree the co-operation, sympathy and fellowship, together with the admirable work of the committee in the past. His ambition for the future was that the work of this year should far exceed anything ever done before. He called attention to the importance given in the past year by the State Secretary and himself to the encouragement of a thorough system of district secretary work. He hoped that the district secretary supervision would be carried into still greater efficiency during the coming year.

NEW REAL ESTATE FIRM.

Laurens H. VanBuren Succeeds Louis G. Timpson in Business.

An important business change was effected this morning on North avenue when Louis G. Timpson, of the firm of VanBuren & Timpson, disposed of his interest to Laurens H. VanBuren, who has been associated with the above firm for sometime.

The name of the new firm will be VanBuren Bros., and the business will be conducted on the same principles which has won for this house an established reputation. The junior member of the new firm is well known and has many friends who will wish him and his brother success.

Mr. Timpson has been associated with E. M. VanBuren for sometime, and his retirement from the business will be a surprise to many. He has not yet decided just what he will do.

A Blazing Brush Heap.

A brush heap along South avenue, near Leland avenue, blazed up quite gaily last evening at about 7:45 o'clock, and a lad living in that neighborhood hurried to box 28 and sent in an alarm. The fire department responded promptly only to find that they were not needed. The recall was blown fifteen minutes after the alarm sounded.

All She Wants is a Divorce.

The Press is in receipt of a communication from Mrs. P. S. Gibson, who is staying with her parents in Pittsburg, Pa., in which she says that the reason that she left Pastor Gibson is that he did not seem to care for her. She says that all she asks of him is a divorce.

Along Legal Lines.

The case of Seabury & Johnson, against Richards was tried by Justice Newcorn yesterday, and judgment was given the plaintiff. Summons has been issued in the case of Evans against Brown, which is returnable tomorrow.

—The Kappa Delta Phi, the literary society at the Plainfield High School, will reorganize for the winter in a few days.

RUINED, THEN RESCUED.

GOOD AND BAD VIEWS OF THE SLUMS OF NEW YORK.

Life in the Poor Quarters of the Metropolis Reflected on Canvass so as to Bring Its Condition to People.

Hardly can one realize the condition of affairs in the large cities unless we have seen something of the filth and degredation which exists among the people living in the tenement districts and in the city slums.

Last night those who attended the missionary concert at the Crescent Avenue church were, by the help of Dr. A. F. Schauffler, of New York, and his stereopticon views taken from the natural condition of the people and their costoms, carried quickly on a tour through New York, the subject of which was "Ruin and Rescue."

Dr. Schauffler said in the beginning of his lecture that at one of his previous lectures a person had said to him that he did not think the pictures were as bad as they were said to be. Dr. Schauffler replied that they were not so, if you forget that you could not photograph smell and language.

The first picture thrown upon the canvass was that of a typical New York street boy. Dr. Schauffler spoke of the possibilities, both favorable and otherwise of the boy.

Quickly followed a picture of a bird's eye view of a section of New York showing the various streets and the saloons and churches designated by two different signs, showing the vast number of the former to that of the latter.

Golden Court was the first street shown to the audience and it certainly proved itself far from worthy of its name. It was a small narrow street leading to the main street. On either side of it were the small doors leading into the interior of the poor class of houses on both sides of the street.

Blindman's alley was placed in view of all but was soon replaced by the interior of Mrs. Galliger's house which is located on this street. In one room of this house could be seen Mr. and Mrs. Galliger and a visiting friend, all of whom are blind. "Do not encourage street begging by giving to the blind beggars" said Dr. Schauffler, "for it is a sure waste of money."

Dr. Schauffler said that for twenty-four years he had not seen in New York an honest begger.

A single block on Mulbury street was shown next and every one was startled to learn that in this one block live one thousand people. Several rooms which were considered parlors by their occupants were cast upon the screen. One of them, that of a colored family, was full of everything and plainly showed forth the motto of the house. "A place for everything and everything in this place."

Then upon the canvass could be seen four boys, sleeping on the steps of an old shattery house. No one knows who they are or where they live. Nor do they know what chances they have in life nor how they will use them.

At this point Dr. Schauffler said that as far as the juveniles rescued from these slums was concerned, great progress had been realized.

After other pictures showing the "ruin" of manhood and womanhood, the attention of all was called to the second branch of the subject, that of "rescue."

Several pictures of the large news boys lodgings, missions, churches and other institutions of reform were shown; parties of children just starting out on a "fresh air expedition" and other companies of news boys starting out west to earn their own living on the plains.

Ninety-two per cent of the boys who are sent west do well, and eight per cent do not, while if they remained in the city the percentage would be reversed. Many pictures of the various grades of lodging houses were shown, varying from ten cents to five cents a night for the price of a bed, and in comparison to these were shown pictures of the lodging houses of the reformed institutions, showing a vast contrast between the two.

After being carried through Ragman's Alley, the congregation found themselves again in the Crescent Avenue church and were given the chance to help the New York City mission work by a collection which was by the generous hearts of those present a very good amount.

Death of Mrs. R. A. Shoemaker.

Mrs. R. A. Shoemaker, an aunt of Mrs. R. O. Howell, of Westervelt avenue, died at the home of her sister in Belvidere yesterday at 3 p. m. She been sick with in attack of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held Saturday from the home of her sister at Belvidere. Mrs. Howell has been in constant attendance at her side for the past two weeks.

—Orange is arranging for a chrysanthemum show to open next week.

WANTS $200 FOR BEING PUT OUT

Mrs. Tobin Ejected Edward Kelly from a House and Litigation Follows.

Justice Newcorn has issued a summons in the case, in tort, of Edward Kelly against Mrs. Tobin and Peter Collins, for $200 damages, which is returnable next Monday. The plaintiff rented rooms on West Fourth street, owned by Peter Collins. Mrs. Tobin was the acting agent. Kelly got behind in his rent about one dollar and Mrs. Tobin took the matter in her own hands. She served a three days' notice on the tenant after he had paid the balance. At the expiration of the three days Mrs. Tobin and Mr. Collins put Kelly's goods out of the house. The latter protested, but to no purpose. As stated in The Press recently, Chief Grant found a temporary place for Kelly and his wife. Now Kelly has brought action in the above court against Mrs. Tobin and Peter Collins for $200 damages and he has retained Lawyer H. C. Runyon to represent him. The trial gives promise of being a very interesting one.

To Establish Library Distributing Points.

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Library was held Tuesday night. Those present were Mason W. Tyler, Rowland Cox, Joseph W. Yates, J. Evarts Tracy and Wm. Stillman. In the matter of the extension of the library, and the granting of the privilege of the special library system to the Irving School the Library Committee made their report at length. On motion, their action was approved and they were authorized in their discretion to extend the plan to not exceeding one hundred books at a time. It was moved that the Library Committee be authorized to arrange for the establishment of stations for the receipt of applications for and the delivery of books, one at Hope Chapel and another at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, according to such plan as the Committee shall find practicable and deem best, and there into incur such expense as may be necessary carried.

No Cause for Action.

The case of Musgrave against L. L. Manning, to recover $200, was brought up in the Union Court at Elizabeth, Monday, and the jury decided that there was no cause for action and dismissed the case. The case was a peculiar one, and in its incipiency seemed like a trivial matter. Mr. Manning stored some goods in Mr. Musgrave's cellar two years ago, and they remained there ever since. Recently a bill for $200 was sent to Mr. Manning, which he refused to pay, claiming that the amount was exorbitant. It was on this account that the suit was instituted with the above report.

A Lucky Find.

Tuesday night when Jailer Amerman of Somerset county, visited the cells of Murderers Johnson and Clausen, he let the latter out for a little exercise and locked him up again. Thinking something was wrong, he again let Clausen out and examined his cell. He found that one of the legs of the iron bedstead had been broken off and stuck under the mattress. It is supposed the prisoner meant to knock over the watchman or keeper and make his escape.

Will Ask to Have it Reopened.

Counsel for George W. Rockfellow will apply to have the case of Charles Hand against Rockfellow, in which a judgment was rendered in the county court for the plaintiff for $141.63, reopened. In the justice's court the defendant defeated Mr. Hand, but the latter appealed it, and now Rockfellow claims that the case was brought up in county court without his knowledge, and in consequence of his non-appearance a verdict was rendered against him.

A Flag With a Record.

Directly over the speaker's head at the mass-meeting Monday night hung a handsome silk flag. It was the property of Gen. J. S. Negley and was loaned for the occasion to D. W. Littell. It was made by the ladies of London and presented to the General during the Civil War. It was captured and recaptured three times and hung over a famous banquet attended by ten leading generals.

Not Satisfied Who is to Blame.

At the meeting of the Borough Council tomorrow evening it is expected that the members will consider the recent mistake made in the grade of Watchung avenue. It is said that some of the Councilmen are not satisfied as to who is to blame for the mistake.

—Rheumatism is a foe which gives no quarter. It torments its victims day and night. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures the aches and pains of rheumatism.

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ALL WENT THE G.O.P. WAY

McKinley Carried Every Town in Union County.

WILLIAM T. KIRK'S PLURALITY 4,303.

The Palmer and Buckner Democrats Polled a Light Vote—Almost Everyone Voted a Straight Ticket—Somerset Gave a Plurality of 1840 for McKinley and 1510 for Reed—Democrat Sheriff for Middlesex

Union county, Tuesday, polled the biggest vote in its history. The result was a great Republican landslide.

The National Democratic ticket did not cut much of a figure, as most of the Sound-Money Democrats plumped their votes for McKinley and the Republican ticket. Very little scratching was done except for Sheriff.

Following was the vote for President: McKinley, 11,884; Bryan, 6,132; Palmer, 505; Matchett, 466; Levering, 218.

McKinley's plurality was 5,532.

Congressman—Fowler, Republican, 11,437; Willey, Democrat, 6,054; Noyes, National Democrat, 532; Campbell, Socialist-Labor, 466; Wilson, Prohibitionist, 208; Fowler's plurality, 5,383.

Senator—Voorhees, Republican, 11-511; Powers, Democrat, 6,014; Pollak, National Democrat, 511; Hufnagle, Socialist-Labor, 467; Bigelow, Prohibitionist, 243; Voorhees' plurality, 5,511.

The Assembly vote is: Clauss, Republican, 11,349; Roll, Republican, 11,443; Codington, Republican, 11,-409; Wolfeskiel, Democrat, 6,161; J. J. Woodruff, Democrat, 6,089; N. Woodruff, Democrat, 6,145.

Elizabeth's plurality for McKinley was 1,554; Plainfield, 1685; Rahway, 496.

Fowler carried Elizabeth by 1,514, Plainfield by 1,618 and Rahway by 483.

Voorhees received 1,606 plurality in Elizabeth, 1,607 in Plainfield and 488 in Rahway.

The total vote of Elizabeth was 9,458. This was the highest it ever cast.

Sheriff—Kirk, Republican, 10,902; Sheppard, Democrat, 6,699; Moore, National Democrat, 496; Scott, Socialist-Labor, 567; Brookfield, Prohibitionist, 250; Kirk's plurality, 4,303.

Coroner—Sinclair's plurality, 5,686.

SURPRISES IN SOMERET.

Gold Democrats Cast Their Votes with Republicans.

The pluralities of McKinley in Somerset county, as shown by the corrected returns, will be 1,840. Benjamin F. Howell gets about the same vote. Charles A. Reed, Republican for Senator, gets a plurality of 1,510, and P. V. D. Van Doren, for Assemblyman, 1,520. These are the largest Republican pluralities ever received in Somerset county. Berhards Township, the stronghold of the Democracy, was carried by the Republicans for the first time in the history of the county. The vote for Palmer and Buckner is small and indicates that most of the Democrats who were opposed to Bryan voted the Republican ticket.

RESULT IN MIDDLESEX.

The Democrats Console Themselves with the Sheriff.

Revised estimates in Middlesex county give McKinley a majority of 2,846; Howell, Rep., for Congress, has 3,407 plurality; George J. Litterst, Democratic candidate for Sheriff, has a plurality of 1,257; A. C. Litterst, for Assembly, beats his Democratic opponent by 2,308; Whitfield, Rep., for Assembly, has 2,549 and Fountain, Rep., 2,21 plurality.

NO BRIDGE OVER THE RARITAN.

Middlesex Farmers Outvote the Wheelmen and Perth Amboy.

Despite the energetic campaigning on the part of the wheelmen of Perth Amboy, the project of building a bridge across the Raritan from Perth Amboy to South Amboy was voted down, the farmers not seeing any good reason why they should vote to bond the county for $150,000 for such a structure as the wheelmen wanted. Perth Amboy voted almost as a unit for the bridge, but this was wiped out by the farming districts.

BRYAN WINS HUNTERDON.

Democrats Elect the Sheriff and the Assemblymen.

Hunterdon county gives Bryan 700 plurality; A. W. Cutler, Democratic candidate for Congress, receives 500 plurality; John Ramsey, Democrat, Sheriff, 300; David C. Lawshe and George Martines, both Democratic Assemblymen, receive 650 plurality. Both Democratic Coroners were elected.

There were big Republican gains in every township.

Don't Worry
Use Sunlight Soap
It washes clothes easily, no hard rubbing which spoils good linen and good temper.
Lever Bros., Ltd., Hudson & Harrison Sts., New York.

ELECTION RETURNS

Doubtful States Are Now Reduced to Two.

CALIFORNIA AND NORTH DAKOTA

McKinley Will Have at Least 265 Votes in the Electoral College and Probably More --- Latest Correct Figures.

New York, Nov. 5.—Returns received up to noon to-day reduce the doubtful states to two—California and North Dakota. Washington, Wyoming, Kansas, and Nebraska, which were in doubt last night, are transferred to the Bryan column, and Delaware, Oregon, South Dakota, Indiana, and Kentucky are placed in the McKinley column. The vote in Kentucky is close, but advices indicate that the state is republican by a small plurality. Delaware and Oregon are also close states, but are apparently carried by McKinley: The latest news from California and North Dakota is that in the precincts so far counted McKinley leads, but the margin of votes is so small that both states should be still classed as doubtful. The latest returns indicate that the electoral votes of the states will be cast as follows:

Electoral Vote.

	McKinley	Bryan
Alabama		11
Arkansas		8
Colorado		4
Delaware	3	
Florida		4
Georgia		13
Idaho		3
Illinois	24	
Indiana	15	
Iowa	13	
Kansas		10
Kentucky	13	
Louisiana		8
Maryland	8	
Michigan	14	
Minnesota	9	
Missouri		17
Mississippi		9
Montana		3
New England	39	
New York	36	
New Jersey	10	
North Carolina		11
Nebraska		8
Nevada		3
Ohio	23	
Oregon	4	
Pennsylvania	32	
South Dakota	4	
South Carolina		9
Texas		15
Tennessee		12
Utah		3
Virginia		12
Wisconsin	12	
West Virginia	6	
Washington		4
Wyoming		3
Totals	265	170

Doubtful States.

California	9
North Dakota	3

The following is the electoral vote of each election since 1860:

1860—Abraham Lincoln	180
Stephen A. Douglas	12
J. C. Breckinridge	72
John Bell	39
Lincoln's majority	57
1864—Abraham Lincoln	212
George B. McClellan	21
Lincoln's majority	191
1868—U. S. Grant	214
Horatio Seymour	80
Grant's majority	134
1872—U. S. Grant	286
Thomas A. Hendricks	42
B. Gratz Brown	18
C. J Jenkins	2
David Davis	1
Grant's majority	223
1876—Samuel J. Tilden	184
Rutherford B. Hayes	185
Hayes's majority	1
1880—James A. Garfield	214
W. S. Hancock	155
Garfield's majority	59
1884—Grover Cleveland	219
James G. Blaine	182
Cleveland's majority	37
1888—Grover Cleveland	168
Benjamin Harrison	233
Harrison's majority	63
1892—Grover Cleveland	277
Benjamin Harrison	145
James B. Weaver	22
Cleveland's majority	110

THE SENATE.

Figures Prepared by Joseph F. Smith, a Friend of Major McKinley.

Canton, O., Nov. 5.—Joseph F. Smith, who is one of Major McKinley's closest political friends and who has been a member of the McKinley household during the campaign has been doing some figuring on the senate. He says that from the best information at hand to-day it appears that the senate of the United States after March 4 next will consist of forty-nine sound money republicans and democrats and forty-one silver democrats and republicans. This grouping does not indicate the number of supporters that Major McKinley's administration will have on these issues. A number of sound money democrats will oppose the republican tariff policy and probably three of the silver republicans will be in harmony with it.

House of Representatives.

New York, Nov. 4.—Returns of the vote for congressmen are still lacking from a number of districts, and an exact list of the members of the house of representatives in the fifty-fifth congress cannot be given. Advices and reports received by the Associated Presses indicate the election of the following delegations from the several states. There are in the list 210 re- Alabama elected 1 democrat and 2 populists. Arkansas—6 dem. California—5 fusion; 2 pop. Colorado—1 fus.; 1 pop. Connecticut—4 rep. Delaware—1 dem. Florida—2 dem. Georgia—11 dem. Idaho—1 fus. Illinois—18 rep.; 2 dem.; 1 fus. Indiana—10 rep.; 1 dem.; 2 fus. Iowa—11 rep. Kansas—3 dem.; 3 fus.; 1 rep.; 1 pop. Kentucky—6 dem.; 4 rep.; 1 fus. Louisiana, 6 dem. Maine—4 rep. Maryland—6 rep. Massachusetts—12 rep.; 1 dem. Michigan—10 rep.; 1 dem.; 1 fus. Minnesota—5 rep.; 2 fus. Mississippi—7 dem. Missouri—11 dem.; 3 rep.; 1 fus. Montana—1 silver rep. Nebraska—5 fus.; 1 rep. Nevada—1 silver rep. New Hampshire—2 rep. New Jersey—8 rep. New York—29 rep.; 5 dem. North Carolina—4 pop.; 4 rep.; 1 dem North Dakota—1 rep. Ohio—19 rep.; 1 dem.; 1 fus. Oregon—2 rep. Pennsylvania—27 rep.; 2 dem.; 1 sound money dem. Rhode Island—2 rep. South Carolina—7 dem. South Dakota—1 pop.; 1 rep. Tennessee—8 dem.; 2 rep. Texas—12 dem.; 1 rep. Utah—1 silver rep. Vermont—2 rep. Virginia—8 dem.; 2 rep. Washington—2 dem. West Virginia—4 rep. Wisconsin—10 rep.; Wyoming—1 dem.

GOVERNORS-ELECT.

List of the Successful Candidates in Different States Tuesday.

New York, Nov. 5.—Twenty-four states elected governors Tuesday, and the following are the names of the successful candidates where the vote is not still in doubt: Connecticut—Lorrin A. Cook, rep. Delaware—Ebe W. Tunnell, honest money dem. Idaho—Frank Stounenberg, dem.-pop., silver-rep. Illinois—John R. Tanner, rep. Indiana—J. A. Mount, rep. Massachusetts—Roger Wolcott, rep. Michigan—H. S. Pingree, rep. Minnesota—D. M. Clough, rep. Montana—R. B. Smith, dem.-pop. Nebraska—Silas A. Holcomb, dem. and people's ind. New Hampshire—George A. Ramsdell, rep. New York—Frank S. Black, rep. North Carolina—Cyrus B. Watson, dem. South Carolina—W. H. Ellerbe, dem. Tennessee—Robert L. Taylor, dem. Texas—C. A. Culberson, dem. Washington—John P. Rogers, pop.-fusion.

NEW JERSEY.

Corrected Returns Make Little Change from the First Figures.

Trenton, Nov. 5.—The latest returns in this state make but little change in the result as already published. McKinley's plurality is 74,691. The senators elected are: Republicans—Camden, Herbert W. Johnston; Essex, George W. Ketcham; Gloucester, S. H. Stanger; Monmouth, C. Aas Francis; Salem, R. C. Miller; Somerset, Charles A. Reed; Union, Foster M. Voorhees. Democrat—Warren, Isaac Berber. The next senate will stand: Republicans, 18; democrats, 3. The next assembly will consist of 45 republicans and 15 democrats.

NEBRASKA.

Bryan's Plurality in the State Now Placed at About 7,000.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 5.—Belated returns now being received indicate that Bryan has carried Nebraska by about 7,000. Republicans admit it. The fusion state ticket is elected.

INDIANA.

Latest Figures Give the State to the Republicans by 18,000.

Indianapolis, Nov. 5.—The latest and most accurate figures obtainable show that the republicans have carried the state by 23,000.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 5.—Corrected returns from all counties in New York state give McKinley a plurality of 266 678. Only one county (Schoharie) was carried by Bryan.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 5.—The predictions that Bryan would carry North Carolina proves true. He will have a majority of nearly 25,000.

KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Nov. 5.—McKinley's plurality in Kentucky this morning is 1,634, one republican county unreported, estimates on two.

TENNESSEE.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 5.—Tennessee is conceded to Bryan, but the gubernatorial election is exceedingly close.

KANSAS.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 5.—Bryan and Sewall carried Kansas by a small plurality, but the State ticket is in doubt.

MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Nov. 5.—Missouri estimated for Bryan, 60,000; Stephens for governor, 40,000.

MINNESOTA.

St. Paul, Nov. 5.—Returns are sufficiently complete for Minnesota this morning to indicate clearly how the state has gone. McKinley has a plurality of perhaps a little more than 30,000. The republicans also elect all of their state ticket.

OKLAHOMA.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 4.—Returns from eighteen of the twenty-three counties of the territory give the free silver fusion ticket increased strength over first reports and indicates the election of Callahan, silver, to congress by 1,000 majority. Both branches of the legislature are controlled by democrats and the majority of counties in the territory elect the free silver ticket.

Big Vote for Congressman.

Philadelphia, Nov. 5.—The official figures for Northumberland county give Congressman Kulp, rep., the phenomenal plurality of 2,367 in the county over Walsh, dem. The county is usually democratic. This elects Kulp to represent the Seventeenth district, as Walsh's plurality in the other three counties of the district does not exceed 1,600.

Not Disloyal.

A number of years ago, in a section where the methods of holding elections were notoriously loose, a man who had in his employ a large number of negroes was nominated for a municipal office. One of his workmen was an especial favorite, and the candidate was a good deal surprised to hear that this particular employe had voted the other ticket. Summoning him to the office, he said:

"Jerry, haven't I always treated you well?"

"Fus' rate, boss. I's allus said dat, I has, 'bout de fines' white folks dat is."

"Then why did you go back on me?"

"When does you mean?"

"At de election."

"I didn't go back on yer."

"There's no use of trying to conceal it. You voted against me at the election."

"'Deed I didn't, suh. Dem fellers come ter me an' dey wanted my vote. An' I wasn't goin' to lose de chance ter do sumpin' tow'ds cripplin' 'em financially."

"So you did vote for the other man?"

"Yassuh. I wus under contract ter do dat much, an' I couldn' break mer promise. But I only voted foh him once, an' I done voted foh you nine times, suh."—Detroit Free Press.

Prone to Error.

"He seems to be a little empty in the upper story," said the one who knew him not.

"Beg your pardon, but you are entirely wrong," said the one who knew him well. "He is full to the muzzle."

Which shows how prone to error one may be on a superficial information.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Phenomenal Rainfall.

The most phenomenal rainfall recorded in the annals of Ohio took place on the 12th day of August, 1861. Mr. S. B. McMillan, who gives an account of this remarkable downpour, says that it extended over an area of at least 100 square miles. The total amount of water which fell during the 11 hours of precipitation was 8¼ inches, and of that quantity 4.3 inches fell in 4½ hours. What is meant by a fall of 8¼ inches of rain in so short a space of time will be better understood when the reader is informed that one inch of rain means 22,000 gallons to the acre. This immense quantity of water will weigh 220,000 pounds, or 100 tons!

Vice Regal Invitations.

An invitation from the lord lieutenant in Ireland is supposed to be, like one from the queen whom he represents, a command. Irish society, however, does not always treat it as such, but according to convenience, either honors it in the breach or the observance. A "society" person may throw over a previous engagement in favor of a vice regal invitation without being considered to have committed a breach of manners. He may also refuse the vice regal invitation if so minded. Irish society is not servile on this point, but exercises common sense and the liberty of choice in the matter of amusing itself.

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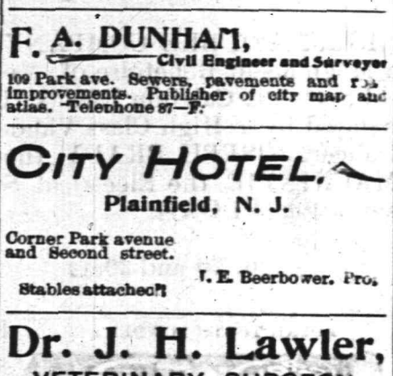

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CANADA'S MINERAL WEALTH.

Discoveries of Corundum and Asbestos—A New Gold Field.

Montreal, Nov. 5.—A valuable discovery of a stone called "corundum," which is akin to emery, has been found in the county of Hastings, Ont. This stone is now imported at a cost of about $80 per ton. Dr. Dawson, director of the geological survey, has reported the discovery to R. W. Scott, acting minister of the interior. Mr. Scott learned that the land upon which the discovery was made belonged to the crown lands, and he therefore had it withdrawn from settlement. It is said that there are other viens of the same stone extending beyond the crown lands. The provincial department of mines of Ontario has received a sample of asbestos found on the line of the Kingston and Pembroke railway in South Renfrew. The asbestos is of the hornlende variety, and a test shows that it contains .68 or two-thirds of 1 per cent. of water, whereas the asbestos of commerce contain 13 or 14 per cent. When heated and the water is driven out ordinary asbestos will crumble readily, but this sample is not affected by fire. With the asbestos was sent a sample of soapstone of good quality, and the deposits of this mineral are said to be unlimited.

ACCUSED OF LARCENY.

Specific Charge Against ex-County Treasurer Adams of Brooklyn.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 5.—The specific charge against ex-county treasurer Harry H. Adams, who was indicted last week for grand larceny in the first degree and arrested at his home yesterday and arraigned in the county court before Judge Hurd, pleading not guilty with leave to demur, being then released on $5,000 bail, is that on October 28, 1892, he "feloniously appropriated to his own use" a fund of $2,967.22 which had been given to him as trustee for keeping by surrogate George B. Abbott of this city, acting in his official capacity. The sum is part of a deficit of $89,000 found in Mr. Adams' accounts in 1893 and 1894 after a long examination of his books by experts.

GEN. FLAGLER'S REPORT.

Chief of Ordnance's Recommendations Regarding State Militia Arms.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Gen. D. W. Flager, chief of ordnance, in his annual report reviews his recommendations of last year for arming, equipping and increasing the efficiency of the state militia. They contemplate allowing the National Guard to turn in their obsolete and unserviceable arms and receive their value in an appropriation, and the issue to the guard of Springfield rifles in place of old arms. This would give the militia some valuable service pattern supplies in exchange for practically useless material now in possession of the states.

Alonzo H. Quint's Death.

Boston, Nov. 5.—Dr. Alonzo H. Quint, D. D., who died suddenly yesterday morning of heart disease, while at the Congregational house, was born in Barnstable, N. H., March 1828. He was graduated at Dartmouth in 1846 and at Andover Theological college in 1852, and to the last he took a prominent part in the affairs of the church. For many years he was editor of the Congregational Quarterly. He served as chaplain of the Second Massachusetts infantry from 1861 to 1864, and was a member of the state legislature from 1881 to 1883.

Shipwrecked Crew Reach Port.

London, Nov. 4.—The British steamer Beltor, from New Orleans, October 7, for Rotterkam, landed at Plymouth the crew of the American schooner Henry Souther, from Bonaire, September 21, for Portland, which vessel had been abandoned at sea.

For an Electric Light Plant at Yale.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 5.—The Yale News says that the university authorities have plans under consideration for building an electric light plant to light all the Yale buildings at an estimated price of one-third that now paid for gas.

Mayor of Poughkeepsie.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 5.—J. F. Hull, rep., was elected mayor of this city, and twelve out of fourteen aldermen are republican.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Prices held higher, checking trade. Nov., 79⅝c.; Dec., 81⅝c.; May, 84⅝c.

Corn—Spot firm; old prices prevail. Nov. 30⅝c.; Dec. 32⅛c.; Jan. 33c.; May 35⅛c.

Oats—Spot dull; moderate demand. Dec. 24⅛c.; March, 25c.; May 26⅝c.

Pork—Spot firm; former prices. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.25; family, $10.50@12.00.

Lard—Market quiet; trade steady. $4.62½.

Eggs—Trade in fancy stock quiet. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 18½@21c.; ice house, 14½@16c.; western, 16@19c.; duck, 18½@22½c.; goose, 22@24c.; western, case, $3.25@3.90.

Butter—Market steady and late prices well sustained. Fresh creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 12½@19c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10@13c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 7@10c.

Cheese—Strong; good supply. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 4½@6¾c.

Potatoes—Receipts good; state stock sells well when of good quality. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

THANKSGIVING DAY

The President Issues the Customary Proclamation.

THURSDAY, NOV. 26, DESIGNATED

All Our People Asked To Forego Their Usual Labors and Render Up Thanks for Our Prosperity and Peace.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The president has issued the following Thanksgiving day proclamation: "The people of the United States should never be unmindful of the gratitude they owe to the God of Nations for His watchful care which has shielded them from dire disaster and pointed out to them the way of peace and happiness. Nor should they ever refuse to acknowledge, with contrite hearts, their proneness to turn away from God's teachings and to follow with sinful pride after their own devices. To the end that these thoughts may be quickened, it is fitting that on a day especially appointed we should join together in approaching the Throne of Grace with prayer and supplication. Therefore, I, Grover Cleveland, president of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the 26th day of the present month of November, to be kept and observed as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer throughout our land. On that day may all our people forego their usual work and occupation, and, assembled in their accustomed places of worship, let them with one accord render thanks to the Ruler of the Universe for our preservation as a nation and our deliverance from every threatened danger; for the peace that has dwelt within our bounderies; for our defense against disease and pestilence during the year that has passed; for the plenteous rewards that have followed the labors of our husbandmen, and for all the other blessings that have been vouchsafed to us. And let us, through the mediation of Him who has taught us how to pray, implore the forgiveness of our sins and a continuation of heavenly favor. Let us not forget on this day of thanksgiving the poor and needy, and by deeds of charity let our offerrings of praise be made more acceptable in the sight of the Lord."

IN EXCHANGE FOR CURRENCY.

Treasury Officials Expect the Deposits of Gold To Be Continued.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Treasury officials express the opinion that the treasury will be from now on for some time a large gainer in gold. Nearly all the gold recently imported, it is expected, will be deposited in the treasury in exchange for Sherman notes and United States notes. The deposits, which began yesterday, already amount to $2,362,300, deposited at New York and currency taken for it. The treasury has on hand $40,000,000 Sherman notes and $58,000,000 United States notes, which can be utilized for exchange for gold. Assistant Secretary Curtis says that, in addition to the treasury gaining gold by exchanging legal tender notes for gold, he expects a large influx of foreign gold.

M'LAUGHLIN'S CASE.

Indictment Against the New York Police Inspector May Be Dismissed.

New York, Nov. 5.—Col. E. C. James, counsel for William McLaughlin, police inspector, called at the district attorney's office yesterday and had a conference with District Attorney Fellows. It was said that the conference was in connection with the recent decision of the court of appeals in McLaughlin's case, and as a result of the conference it was said that a motion for the dismissal of the indictment against the inspector would probably be made in a few days and acquiesced in by the district attorney.

Removed from Office.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Secretary Carlisle has removed from office Thomas E. Brantley of South Carolina, chief of the army and navy division, third auditor's office, and Burton T. Doyle of Tennesssee, assistant chief of the warrant division of the secretary's office, treasury department.

$10,000 Fire at Orange, N. J.

Orange, N. J., Nov. 5.—The residence of Mrs. Bertha Fletcher, located on South Orange avenue, on Orange mountain, was burned yesterday. The loss will amount to about $10,000, partly insured.

Sir John Millais' Successor.

London, Nov. 5.—Edward John Poynter, R. A., has been elected president of the Royal academy as the successor of the late Sir John Millais, who died in August last.

Fell and Broke Her Neck.

New York, Nov. 5.—Mrs. Caroline Temkoviski, 56 years old, of 251 Second street, fell from the third story fire-escape of that tenement and was instantly killed.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 5.—The convention of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will close this afternoon. Denver, Col., has been accepted as the next place of meeting.

New Comet Discovered.

Boston, Nov. 5.—A telegraphic message from Lick Observatory to Harvard College observatory announces the discovery of a faint comet by Perrine, an assistant at the former institution.

Hamlin Resumes His Duties.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hamlin has returned from Massachusetts and resumed his duties at the department.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Rain Tonight; Probably Clearing Friday Morning; Generally Fair Friday and Decidedly Colder.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 68 Degrees.

It must be confessed that so far as for quickly and easily determining the result of a vote, New Jersey is dreadfully slow. What is needed is a law closing the polls at an earlier hour than is now the custom. In several of the districts in this city, where a heavy vote was cast, it was almost 6 o'clock yesterday morning before the poll was finished, and in all, except the Second district of the Second ward, it was way into the early hours of morning before the count was completed.

While in some of the western States the National Democratic party will cease to exist, it is probable that here in the east the defeat of Bryan and Sewall will give them an incentive to thrive. W. D. Bynum, chairman of the National committee, says the party organization will not be continued. It is said that in this city, however, the supperters of Palmer and Buckner will endeavor to control the party machinery hereafter and be classed as regular.

In no place in this wide country was there a more vigorous campaign carried on than right here in Plainfield on the part of the Republicans. Chairman Fisk and his co-workers hustled every minute and utilized every method to stir enthusiasm and loyalty to their cause. In his limited territory Chairman Fisk was as much of a Hanna as Hanna is himself, in a political way.

Through an error in the haste attendant to making up the election returns yesterday, The Press printed Assemblyman Codington's vote as 2,168 in this city. It should have been 2,268, so that he did not really run behind the other candidates to amount to anything.

President Cleveland yesterday issued his annual Thanksgiving proclamation.

THEATRICAL.

One of the strongest organizations that will be seen at Music Hall this season is the celebrated "Kennedy's Players." They have secured "Miss Flora" direct from the Crystal Palace, London, to present her wonderful electrical dances assisted by that celebrated electrician, C. E. Mackenzie. The company is headed by that gifted fun maker, Jno. J. Kennedy, assisted by the following well known artists: Miss Emily Lascelles, E. P. Sullivan, W. H. Danvers, Leanore Hassan, T. W. Goodwin, Nellie Kennedy, Harry Kennedy, James A. Brady, Art L. Selby and C. E. MacAvoy. This organization also carries their own special scenery, stereoptican, calcium lights and elegant costumes, thus enabling them to present each play and comedy on a scale of magnificence that has seldom been seen in Plainfield.

Paid an Election Bet.

An amusing election bet was paid off yesterday by Miss Agnes Bill, of Richmond street. She agreed with Miss Delia Doyle, a neighbor, that if McKinley was elected she would give the latter a ride in a wheelbarrow through East Third street, and if Bryan was elected Miss Doyle was to do the same. The event took place yesterday afternoon, and there was a number of the residents in that vicinity who enjoyed the affair as much as Miss Doyle.

In a Push Cart, Not a Wheelbarrow.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: It now seems that the editor of The News, with his big head since election, is not able to tell a push cart from a wheelbarrow. A push cart has two wheels and one leg, and a wheelbarrow has one wheel and two legs. I gave Mr. Kliner his ride in a new two-wheel push cart, and it can now be seen at Mr. Kliner's store on Somerset street. John P. Wolfe.

New Ushers at Music Hall.

The ushers who have served at Music Hall since it was first leased by Rich & Maeder have resigned their positions and last Monday a new corps of young men took their places.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

That Catarrh is a Local Affection

of the nasal passages is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompetent parties that catarrh is a blood affection. Ely's Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicants and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane, it restores it to its healthy condition.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The chrysanthemum show at Short Hills opened on Election Day.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, met last evening in regular session.

—Street Commissioner Meeker's men have been at work cleaning West Sixth street.

—There is a slight case of diphtheria in Paradise Alley and Dr. Simpson is in attendance.

—Goodwill Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will meet to-night to transact routine business.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will meet tomorrow evening to transact routine business.

—Trespass notices, forbidding trespassing by gunners, for sale at Daily Press office. Five cents each. 3

—At the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday next, at 4:15 p. m, Mrs. John Manley, soprano soloist, will sing.

—The Plymouth Brethren ended their convention yesterday, that they have been holding in the Olympia.

—A business meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church will be held in Vincent chapel tomorrow evening.

—There is considerable talk of the formation of a military organization among the members of the Y. M. C. A.

—Stoves have been placed in all of the street railway cars and the public will now be able to ride with comfort.

—The Christian Endeavor service at the First Baptist church tomorrow evening will be of special interest to all.

—The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a business meeting in Vincent chapel tomorrow night.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will be inspected Thursday, December 17th, at which time a recruit will be mustered.

—The petit jurors were summoned to Elizabeth again today for the first time since Monday, when the trial of criminal cases was resumed.

—The contract case of the Plainfield Beef Company vs. Coffee was tried in Justice Mosher's court today. Judgment was given for the plaintiff.

—Two new members have been added to the Independent Fife and Drum Corps. They are Edward Weaver and Abner Bartlett, both drummers.

—Some action will probably be taken by the Borough Council tomorrow evening regarding the Prideville fire department, which has been hanging fire for some time.

—The Jr. O. U. A. M., of New Brunswick, will give a reception in Assembly Hall, in that city, this evening. A number of young people from this city expect to go.

—The body of the late Richard Merritt, whose death was announced in The Press yesterday, was taken to Peekskill, N. Y., this morning for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Merritt and Elmer E. Runyon accompanied the body to its final resting place.

—Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, met last evening and arranged to attend the anniversary execises of Weptanomah Council which will be celebrated at Newark next Monday exening. There will be about twenty-three members who will go to Newark.

—Some of the younger celebrators on election night visited the yards in the rear of Carey's warerooms and Barnes' grocery, on West Front street, and appropriated packing boxes, crates and the like and built a huge bon fire with them corner of Central avenue and West Front street.

—Benjamin F. Crane, the butcher, at Park avenue and Second street, will contribute most anything within his gift for a good cause. But early yesterday morning, when the returns were coming in thick and fast, two of Mr. Crane's pork barrels, which he had left standing just outside his place of business, were confisicated, presumably for the fun of the thing, carried into the street, saturated with oil and set on fire. The barrels burned all right, so did the $2.50 which they stood Mr. Crane in.

Monte McGrath, of New Brunswick, has been visiting in this city.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of Waynewood place, has taken up his residence in New York city, while attending the New York Homœpathic College.

Francis J. Blatz, of Somerser street, has been elected to the office of chairman of the executive committee of the class of '97 at the New York University Law School.

Rev. Arthur E. Main, of Ashaway, B. I., will preach again in the Seventh-Day Baptist church on Saturday. Dr. Main is gaining many warm friends among his parishioners, and he will undoubtedly receive a unanimous call at the expiration of his trial pastorate in April.

Many lives of usefulness have been cut short by neglect to break up an ordinary cold. Pneumonia, bronchitis and even consumption can be averted by the the prompt use of One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Louis E. Waring, of Park avenue, is spending a few days at Worcester, Mass.

A. H. Atterbury, of West Seventh street, is in Philadelphia today on business.

Harry Baglin, of the borough, left town this morning on a short business trip.

F. C. Harder, of Madison avenue, started today on an extended western business trip.

Miss Elizabeth Cornwell, of Waynewood place, returns tomorrow after a visit at Scarsdale.

Miss Martha Denehan, of New York, is the guest of Miss Edythe Hulburt, of West Front street.

Miss Howard, of Washington, has been a guest at the home of George R. Cornwell, of Waynewood place.

Miss Priscilla Beatrice Emmons, of Prospect place, returned yesterday after a visit with relatives at Mattewan

Dr. C. R. Thiers, of Grove street, has returned home from Ulster county, N. Y., where he has been hunting game.

Miss Ida Randolph, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with the Misses Smalley, of Somerset street.

Harry McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, is home today from Stevens Institute on account of an injured ankle.

SIMON B. BUCKNER.

Career of the Indianapolis Nominee for Vice President.

Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner was born in Hart county, southern Kentucky, in 1823, and still lives in the log house in which he was born and which was built by his father over 100 years ago. He has improved the original cabin. He has never lived away from his home except when governor of the state. He was the democratic "sound money" candidate for the senate before the legislature last winter.

Gen. Buckner is worth over $1,000,000, most of it in real estate. He graduated from West Point in 1844. He entered the army in the Mexican war and was brevetted first lieutenant for gallantry at Contreras and Churubusco He was promoted to a captaincy for gallantry at Molino del Ray. He remained

GEN. SIMON B. BUCKNER.

at West Point as assistant instructor of infantry tactics until March, 1855, when he resigned.

When the civil war came on he resided in Kentucky and was made adjutant general of the state, with command of the state guard. Later he entered the confederate army.

During the siege of Fort Donelson he was third in command of the fort. Gen. Grant surrounded the fort on all sides, and after the attacks of February 13 and 14 the confederate forces saw that further resistance would be fruitless. The senior generals turned the command over to Gen. Buckner and in the evening departed by boats. Gen. Buckner, quickly realizing that his situation was hopeless, at once decided to surrender. He wrote a letter to Gen. Grant, suggesting an armistice until noon of February 15, in order that terms of surrender might be agreed upon by the appointed commissioners. To this Gen. Grant replied, and the surrender was soon accomplished.

At the close of the war Gen. Buckner devoted himself to his business interests of farming and real estate. He has been twice married.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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"Certainly," was his surprised reply, as he followed the young man into the private office of the head of the firm.

"Mr. Ribbons," said the young shopwalker as he entered, "I have made an important discovery. See this!" and he pulled a protruding piece of red ribbon from the old man's pocket, with the result that about 15 yards of it were brought to light.

"You are right," said Mr. Ribbons; "go and feteh the police at once."

The old gentleman protested that he was innocent of any theft, but to no purpose, and the search proceeded. His clothes were lined with extra pockets, and before long 50 yards of ribbon of various shades, three pounds of confectionery, half a dozen packs of playing cards, two dozen colored handkerchiefs, some small flags, a dozen oranges, a white rabbit, half a bushel of artificial flowers, two guinea pigs, a canary in a small cage and some eggs were produced.

The poor old fellow's dimensions had, of course, decreased in size and he looked a wobegone mortal.

Just then there was an impatient knock at the door, and immediately a short, business-like man entered in great excitement.

"I was told I should find you here," he gasped. "What in the world do you want to take up all this time to buy a collar for? But what's the matter with you, anyway?"

"This man has just been taken up as a shoplifter," said the detective, and he pointed to the goods lying about.

"Shoplifting be blowed," angrily replied the short man. "He's the magician's man at our show and has been with us for years. How do you expect the 'Bouquet of Mystic Novelties' to be gone on with and all the other tricks without the honest-looking, white-whiskered old gent sitting down in front to let things be taken out of him after they have been put in boxes on the stage? It can't be done and he must come with me."

"Young man," said Mr. Ribbons, as the others left the room, "you are very careless and have made a serious mistake. Be more careful in future."—St. Louis Republic.

LIQUOR FROM GAS BURNERS.

Device of a Portland, Me., Hotel for Evading the Prohibition Law.

Everybody who visits Maine has a different story to tell on his return of his experience in getting drinks, says the New York Sun. The champion story is, perhaps, told by a well-known traveling salesman. He says that when he asked for a drink at a Portland hotel, he was shown into a room, which had nothing in it but table, on which were a pitcher of water and several tumblers, and a few chairs.

Over the table was a chandelier, with apparently half a dozen gas burners. When the cocks were turned, however, not gas, but liquor came out of the burners, which were horizontal, on the tips being unscrewed. From one burner came whisky; from another, rum; from another, gin. Each burners supply pipe connected with a cask of some one of these liquors in the room above.

The man who tells this story says that the indictment papers against the hotel in question for selling liquor would fill a bushel basket, but none of them will ever be brought to trial; at least, none has been yet. Since adopting this device, the hotel has evaded detection.

THE BIGGEST CAT.

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Just plain "Tom" is the unpretending name of probably the greatest domestic cat in the world.

Edward Simmons, a fish and oyster dealer of New York, is the proud possessor of "Tom." This giant of cats is 30 inches in length, from his head to the tip of his tail. He is a foot high, and weighed last spring 24 pounds. The recent hot weather has caused him to drop a few pounds of flesh, but has not impaired his health or happiness.

Thomas is black and white, and is rather peculiarly marked. He has two complete rings of white around his tail, which makes him look like first cousin to a raccoon.

Mr. Simmons picked up the cat two years ago while walking along South street. Thomas was but a stray kitten then, so that his pedigree has never been ascertained, and it is not known whether or not heredity has had anything to do with his enormous size.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, executor of Elizabeth Thistlethwaite, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on Wednesday, the eleventh day of November next.

Dated September 3, 1896.

9 4 10-oawf WM. H. SHOTWELL.

Fine Chrysanthemums, Trees, and Shrubs. Also Palms, Rubber Trees, Begonias, Ferns and Casino Clematis, Floral Designs, House and Church Decorations. Southern Smilax at 15 days notice.

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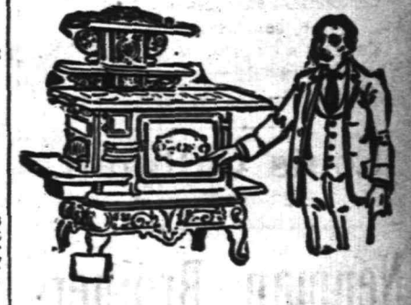

is here and we are prepared to meet all kinds of demands from bread bakers to foot warmers at prices that beat them all. Special this week:

Parity Oil Heaters, only - $3.98.

Six Knives and Six Forks, Coin Silver, on White Metal, for $1.98

Pure California Olive Oil, Castile Soap, 10c. a cake or 12 cakes for $1. The place to get the above bargains is at

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105 West Front street.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administratrix of Charles E. Catlin, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next. GERTRUDE W. CATLIN.

Dated October 28th, 1896. 10 29 10w

NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m.
{ 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Mrs. S. T. Barrett is visiting Brooklyn friends.

William Conley has been visiting his parents at Glen Gardner.

Mrs. Earl, of New York, will move into the desirable house on Madison avenue today.

Mrs. Watson Emery, of North avenue, is visiting among relatives and friends in New York.

Miss Lena Maier is being entertained by her cousin, Mrs. Henry Lyons, of West Dunellen.

Conductor Dodwell is not so well since election. Rheumatism seems to be the cause of his ailment.

Miss Hannah Pierce, of Mt. Pleasant, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Smith Watson, on Front street.

Mayor Brakeley generously contributed sandwiches, cake, coffee and fruit for the election board Tuesday evening.

The members of the Washington Avenue Card club will meet and play at the home of Miss Haynes on Friday evening.

P. W. Richters, of Perth Amboy, visited his old home here on Election Day and renewed many of his old acquaintances.

Miss Lena Maier, who chopped off a section of her left thumb while carving bread a few days ago, was able to go visiting yesterday.

Baggagemaster Wilhelm, who handles the trunks on the 5:30 a. m. train from here each day, is suffering from an attack of chills and fever.

G. Lee Stout, Jr., B. S. Capen, John F. Capen and Louis Capen, bicyclists, from Bloomfield, rode over to town yesterday and dined at Taylor's.

Frank Williams, who is employed as a trained nurse in New York city, has been visiting Dunellen relatives and friends for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maier, of Bound Brook, rode their wheels to Dunellen Election Day and spent the day as guests of Mrs. Katherine Maier.

Robert B. Carpenter, son of the former station agent here, handled the election returns in the new Town Hall, Tuesday evening, with neatness and accuracy.

The Republicans and Democrats turned out together Tuesday evening and paraded the streets over the Republican victory. Everyone was good-natured and the paraders won the respect of all eyewitnesses.

B. F. McGovern went hunting to Pennsylvania on Monday and upon his return reported a total catch of two rabbits, a domesticated duck and a skunk. There was plenty of game there, but this was all he got.

Mrs. May Williams and daughter and Miss Lottie Taylor will sail for Jacksonville, Flo., via Clyde Line, on November 11th. They will be gone for two months, at least, and may possibly be absent until spring.

A regular monthly meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the New Market Baptist church will be held Saturday evening. The exercises will include quatations, recitations and a musical programme by the members.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The Republicans put up an extra flag yesterday, and it was taken in for repairs before night.

One of the needs of Scotch Plains is a telephone system. There are plenty of people who would willingly pay their share of the expense to have a telephone system established here.

Some unknown man was wheeling along the macadamized road between the Plains and Fanwood, late Monday night, when he was attacked and slugged on the highway by someone unknown. There was a little scrap between the two, but the fellow who did the slugging got away.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financialy able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinan, & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—A meeting of the Noah Dove Encampment will be held this evening.

—Senate Lodge, Knights of Honor, will hold a meeting of special interest this evening.

—Twenty-two hundred children were enrolled in the public schools in this city last year.

—Watchung Lodge, I. O. M., will meet tomorrow evening and take action on a new set of by-laws.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Baptist church held a regular meeting yesterday.

—An earnest invitation is extended to all to attend the service at the East Third Street mission this evening.

—Prof. Boldin will give one of his famous magical entertainments at the Mt. Zion A.M.E. church this evening.

—There will be special business of importance transacted at the meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe, No. 118, I. O. R. M., on Friday evening.

—Complaint is made of three dogs, said to belong to a hackman living on Elizabeth street, which run out and frighten passing horses and pedestrians.

—A congratulatory sale at Peck's. Funny name, isn't it? But it means that he congratulates his customers on the good goods they are getting at Peck's.

—Summons have been issued in the case of the Eagle Brewing Company against John Hibbitts, on contract, returnable on the 31st in Justice Mattison's court.

—The Guild of the Church of the Redeemer will hold a cake sale at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Faber, Jr., 92 Mercer avenue, Saturday morning from 11 to 1 o'clock.

—J. W. Pell, of Westfield, died Tuesday morning from a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Pell had for many years been prominent in the stationery trade in New York city.

—When the Mountainside ballot-box was brought out for use Tuesday it was found that it could not be opened and it was necessary to take it to Rahway before it could be used.

—The woods between Scotch Plains and Westfield were set on fire Tuesday night and before the fire was extinguished two stacks of hay and considerable fencing had been destroyed.

—One of the admirable things about the furniture in the public schools in this city is that the chairs and desks are adjustable and can be raised or lowered so that the pupils are not obliged to sit with cramped up limbs and become bow legged.

—"Tom" Martin was parading the streets yesterday with his St. Barnard dog. The canine had a red, white and blue blanket wrapped about him, which contained the picture of President-elect McKinley on one side and Garret A. Hobart on the other.

—There will be a harvest home reception on Tuesday, November 10th, at the Baptist Home for the Aged, Roseville avenue, Newark, to which all friends are cordially invited. Gifts of groceries, bedding or money will be received in the lecture room of the First Baptist church until 5 o'clock today and will be forwarded by the managers to the home.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Many political speakers, clergyman singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and larnyxitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Libbie Angel, of Willow avenue, has been ill for several days.

Miss Lambert, of Westfield, called on relatives in this city yesterday.

Miss Titsworth, of Piscataway, has returned after a visit with Plainfield friends

E. W. Nightingale has returned from Hartford, Conn., to 40 Sandford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raymond, of Madison avenue, have gone on a European trip.

Miss Renigar, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a visit with Morristown relatives.

Frank Dodge, of Bayonne, has returned home after spending a few days in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. French have returned to Plainfield after a pleasant honeymoon.

R. E. Pease, of New York, has returned home after a few days visit with Plainfield relatives.

Prof. J. Kerr, of Allentown, Pa., spent Sunday with the family of Mrs. Maloney, of Richmond street.

John Jansen, of Long Branch, has been visiting at the home of Abner Bartlett, of Westervelt avenue.

Prof. Ducrot, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday and a part of Monday with Miss Mills, of Richmond street.

Driver James Bailey, of the Fire Department, is quite ill at his home on East Second street. His place is being filled by Harry Bush.

Edward Baker, of Pearl street, who was injured last Monday evening at the corner of Park and North avenues, seems to be improving and his friends hope that he will soon be out again.

School Commissioner Abbott will leave for a ten day's stay, after which he will reside in New York city for a few weeks. Mr. Abbott's family is travelling abroad, and they will remain in Europe until next Summer.

Jesse Lawson, a former pupil in the Plainfield Public schools, and now employed as an examiner of pensions in the Pension Bureau, at Washington, has been spending a few days with his brother-in-law, George L. Henry, of East Third street. Mr. Lawson has been away on a thirty day's leave of absence, and he will return to Washington tomorrow.

Librarian's Report for October.

Vols. on accession-book Sept. 30th, 1896	14,181
" added by purchase	48
" " " gift	10
Vols now in library	14,239
Number of card-holders	4,264

HOME CIRCULATION.

Fiction	1,530
Juvenile	576
Biography, correspondence, etc	190
Travel, description, geography, etc	247
Philosophy	11
Religion, mythology etc	48
Sociology	89
Philology	1
Natural Science	87
Useful Arts	28
Fine Arts	56
Literature	201
History	230
General books, periodicals, etc	6
Total	3,280
Total for Oct. 1895	2,823
Increase	457

Gifts during month:
October 9. From U. S. Bureau of Education, report of the commissioners, 1893-4, 2 v.
October 15. From Ohio State Library Record of the Chickamaugua and Chatanooga National Park commission.
October 17. From Smithsonian Inst. Contributions to knowledge, vs. 30-32.
October 20. From U. S. Census Bureau, report on crime, pauperism and benevolence, part 1.
October 24. From State of New Jersey General Statutes, 1896, 3 v.
On Saturday, October 24th, an exhibit of the library's choice books was given, at which about two hundred people were present.

EMMA L. ADAMS, Librarian.

An Appropriate Place to Meet in.

The State convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at Bridgeton last week and were welcomed by both pastors and people. Bridgeton is a city of fourteen thousand inhabitants without one licensed saloon; and this has been accomplished through the W. C. T. U. and temperance sentiment of the city.

Very encouraging reports from the different counties show that more temperance work and better results have been obtained during the past year than any year previously and notwithstanding the hard times we have several hundred dollars more in our state treasury than we had last year. "God who is for us is more than all that can be against us."

School Reception.

At the North Plainfield Public School reception tomorrow afternoon Dr. Warde will conduct a study in literature, Miss Anna D. Cooper will read and Miss Eugenia Barker will sing.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

For Toilet BRUSHES for the body, for the Teeth, for the Hair, Brushes for the Clothing, and the hat we wear Brushes for this and Brushes for that. In fact, with us, Brushes are "Quite Pat."
AND BATH!
T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

About the Limoges Mission.

At the regular monthly meeting of the McAll Auxiliary, held yesterday morning in the Public Library, Mrs. Frederick G. Mead gave an exceedingly interesting account of her visit to the McAll Mission in Limoges, France, which is supported by the Plainfield Auxiliary, of the great and far-reaching good accomplished by the earnest workers there, through the Mission meetings, the Sunday-schools, the Soldiers' reading room and the Mothers' meetings.

THE GUILD OF
The Church of the Redeemer
will hold a CAKE SALE at the residence of MRS. A. E. FABER, JR., 92 Mercer avenue, Saturday Morning, November 7, from 11 to 1 o'clock. 11 2t

Colored Fire,
Roman Candles,
McKinley Pictures,
Japanese Lanterns,
Festooning,
Flags—small sizes,
In stock.

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Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

DIED.

KELLY—In this city, Nov. 3d, 1896, Catharine, wife of John Kelly, aged 42 years. Funeral from her late residence, 602 East Third street, Friday morning, November 6, at 8:30, and at St. Mary's Church at 9.15, where a solemn requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. 2t

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—On Madison avenue, between Eighth and Ninth street, string of silver beads with cross. Return to 822 Madison avenue and receive reward. 11 5 2

LOST—On Monday, on New street, a girl's brown legging. Reward at Press office.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 132 Crescent avenue.

WANTED—By a reliable person, a situation in a private family, to do general housework; city reference. Please address H. O., 231 East Sixth street. 11 2 3

TO RENT—Part of fine house, centrally located, all improvements. Address R. care Press. 11 5 3

FOR SALE—A $4,000 house, big lot, near station, only $250 cash required, balance $32.50 per month; opportunity of a lifetime. Address B., care Press. 11 5 2

FOR SALE or to let, No. 622 La Grande avenue, price $2100. Rent $14. Edward C. Mulford, broker. 11 5 tf

WANTED—A young man in our office, about 18 years old and a good penman. Pond Machine Tool Company.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a good strong gentle mare, 15½ hands high; safe for lady to drive. Apply to 1119 East Front street, near Netherwood avenue. 11 4 2

LOST—Milk account book. Reward to finder at Press office. 11 4 2

HOUSE to let, 416 East Fourth street. Inquire 407 New street. 11 4 6

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, one cheap work horse, and fine carriage. J. Emery, Stelle farm, Park avenue. 11 4 3

YOUNG man wants position in store or office. Best city references. Address E. C. W., 22 Norwood avenue. 11 4 4

FOR SALE—Good draught horse cheap. Thos. Mair, Leland ave. 10-31-6

TO RENT—Part of house; all improvements; rent low; 149 East Fifth street. 10 31 6

BOARD—Large rooms with board; terms moderate; 214 East Ninth street. 10 31 6

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish Intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 10 2 1m

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

HORSES boarded by the month. Terms reasonable. W. H. Rogers Washingtonville. 9 16 tf

Plainfield's Busiest STORE.

You Spend Too Much Money

for your gloves. You would not spend so much if you bought the **"Kayser Patent Finger-Tipped" CASHMERE Gloves.** We **GUARANTEE** them best-fitting and warmest gloves made. Look in the hem, the name **"Kayser"** is in the genuine.

25c., 35c. and 50c.

No. 1, 2, 3, 4,
OF
The series of trade makers that
WHITE, OF PLAINFIELD
will offer you tomorrow only.
We guarantee every article worth double.

No. 1.
Ladies' fleeced lined vests and pants. 19c each.

No. 2.
Men's white heavy shirts and drawers. 19c each.

No. 3.
Ladies' fine hose, double sole and high spliced. 14c the pair.

No 4
Your choice of 25 pieces of 54 inch all woo fancy boucle cloth in colors and blacks. 49c the yard.

'Twill be to your interest to watch this space every day as we will offer certain lines of seasonable goods every day at business bringing prices.

Housefurnishing Department.

It is the push that keeps a moving—the best goods for the least money and courteous treatment to all is the marked rule of the busiest store in Plainfield.

Glassware.
Thin blown engraved tumblers 5c each
Wine glasses 2c
Goblets 2½c
Tumblers 1½c
½ gal pitchers 19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles 9c

Granite Ware.
Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:
Wash basins 10c
Oval dish pans 48c
Cullenders 19c
Fry pans 29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans 19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots 43c

EDWARD WHITE.

OYSTERS BY THE QUART, 30 CENTS.
PRIMES, $1 AND $1,50 PER HUNDRED.
-AT ROGERS.-

New Restaurant
AT 146 NORTH AVENUE.
WILLIAM J. STEPHENSON
has added a restaurant department to his already established business as caterer where can be had a first-class dinner from 10:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. for 50c.
Competent Cooks and Polite Attendants
only employed. Open until 12 p. m.

BIG BARGAINS.

Outing Flannels, 8c. yard, worth 10c. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x2 1-2 yards, only $1.50. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x3 yards, only $1.75. Children's Natural Wool Underwear from 10c. up. Ladies' Rib and Flat Underwear, from 25c. up. Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, best in market for 50c. Men's White and Natural Wool Drawers, from 50c. to $1.50. Men's Canton Flannel Drawers, 50c. Men's Seamless-1-2 Hose, f-om 5c. pair up.

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Cheaper than ever before. Over 100,000 rolls in stock. It will pay you to call and look over line. Beautiful bedroom papers 3 and 5 cents a roll. Our high grade "Specials" 10 cents and up. For this week only we will give a handsome delft blue Paper suitable for Dining rooms and bed chambers for 6c. a roll.
EDWARD LOVE, The New Jersey Wall Paper Jobber. North and Watchung avenues.

AS VIEWED ABROAD

British Press Comment on the Election of McKinley.

HIS OPPONENT'S FATAL MISTAKE

The News Says Bryan Attacked the Commercial Stability of the Union, and That the Community Has Given Him His Reward.

London, Nov. 5.—The Daily News to-day, in its comments on the election of Major McKinley to the presidency of the United States, says: "Mr. Bryan committed the fatal mistake of attacking the credit of the United States. A man who runs amuck against the commercial stability of the union simply breaks his head against a wall. Mr. Bryan assailed the foundations of commerce and the commercial community has given him his reward." The News article ascribes McKinley's enormous majority, not to his own merits, but to the demerits of his opponent, and contends that he was not returned for the purpose of reviving the tariff, but to maintain the gold standard and a pure dollar. "Major McKinley," the News says, "represents more than any modern president the general judgment of the American people, regardless of class or of party, and if he recognizes this fact he may be a great and will certainly be a successful ruler."

No Reason for Rosy Prophecies.

The Daily Chronicle says: "We offer our hearty congratulations to Major McKinley, in so far as he represents national finance, on which alone modern credit can be based; but the record of the republicn party is too bad to encourage the hope of much good resulting from its success. We cannot see the reason why the American people should indulge in any rosy prophecies of prosperity. The future depends upon conditions little connected with McKinley's success." The Chronicle denies that the result of the campaign is a landslide, even assuming that the present estimates of the standing of the candidates will be verified, and says the surprise is not that Bryan received so few votes, but rather that he secured as many as he did. "It is a sombre reflection," the Chronicle concludes, "that anything like a general depression will range so many citizens upon the side of wildcat currency schemes and virtual repudiation and even anarchy."

The Standard's Views.

The Standard says: "The complete rejection of Bryan's tempting programme addressed to indolence, incapacity and cupidity shows that these qualities are less widely distributed in the United States than Bryan would have had us believe. There has been a revolt of the honest and loyal citizens who are solicitous for the fair name and fame of the republic, and the Bryanites astonished the world by the comparative paucity of their numbers. The hopelessly ignorant and savagely covetous waifs and strays of American civilization voted for Bryan, but the bulk of the solid sense, business integrity and social stability sided with McKinley. The nation is to publicans, 1 sound money democrat, 114 democrats, and 32 populists, silver republicans and fusionists, as follows; be heartily congratulated."

German Press Comment.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—The Boersen-Courier, commenting on the result of the presidental election in the United States, says: "McKinley's election is synonymous for the world with pacification and the revival and stability of America's and the world's commerce, which has been disturbed by the deep-laid agitation which has existed of late." The Taegliche Rundschau predicts that the election of Major McKinley to the presidency will serve as a remedy for the existing disastrous conditions.

RIOT AT LINCOLN.

Political Crowds Clash and Fisticuffs are Indulged In.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 5.—A small riot occurred yesterday afternoon in front of the democratic headquarters on Ninth street. A large crowd of Bryan supporters were receiving bulletins when a crowd of republicans, headed by a University glee club, attempted to force a way through the crowd. Fisticuffs were indulged in, the windows of the headquarters building smashed, but there was no fatal or serious injuries. The riot was soon quelled for sheer lack of space in which to fight.

Chairman Jones Alleges Fraud.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Chairman Jones of the democratic national committee said this morning: "We cannot lose. The republicans are perpetrating frauds. Indiana is for Bryan. Iowa's later returns are our way. Our people say Kentucky is all right. California and Oregon have gone for Bryan. I have no fear of West Virginia, and I do not concede McKinley's election." Mr. Jones' statement is not borne out by the returns.

Iron Trade Already Improved.

Baltimore, Nov. 5.—The Sloss Iron and Steel company of Birmingham, Ala., telegraphed yesterday the editor of the Manufacturers' Record as follows: "Customers and producers of iron already feel the good effects of the election results. Consumers are anxious to buy at former prices. Producers quote fifty cents advance for prompt delivery and seventy-five cents for 1897 delivery. It is safe to say prosperity is restored and likely to continue for a long period."

Bryan's Two Jersey Counties.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 5.—Bryan carried two counties in New Jersey, Huntingdon by 500 plurality and Warren by 800.

FREE BUTTONS!

AN ELEGANT BUTTON FREE WITH EACH PACKAGE OF

Sweet Caporal Cigarettes

AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A COLLECTION OF BUTTONS WITHOUT COST.

BUTTERFLIES.

Out in the churchyard the grass grew deep,
Where the peaceful dead were lying;
Over their quiet and holy sleep
The butterflies white were flying.
And one little child was playing there
In the churchyard, sunny and still;
He'd wandered away, in his innocent play,
From the little white house on the hill.
"Butterflies, butterflies!" cried the child,
As he played on the grassy sod,
"You're the souls of the little dead children here
Fluttering up to God!"

Out in the churchyard a place new-made
Waits for the innocent dead;
Still, for the dear little sleeper, there
Waited his quiet bed.
And a long farewell they say over him,
With kisses on lip and brow;
And with flowers sweet at head and feet,
He goes from his mother now.
Butterflies flutter above her head,
As she kneels on the grassy sod,
And the little white soul of her precious one
Flutters away to God.
—Amelia Sanford, in Ladies' Home Journal.

NOT AT HOME.

This Little Phrase Is Subject to Much Misconstruction.

It is a pity that the simple phrase, "not at home" is subject to so much misconstruction in the minds of well-meaning people. It simply means that the lady of the house is not at home for callers. It implies no falsehood; it has become the set phrase, and one which no one, however pushing, can find excuse to ignore. Almost any phrase that could be substituted for it would savor of personal slight to the caller. No woman in these busy days can afford to be continually at the mercy of thoughtless visitors, whose time, possibly, hangs heavily on their hands. For this reason, wise persons who have a large circle of friends select certain days for "at home days." "At home" cards do not imply that this is the only time when the sender is in her own domicile. The old Scottish professor, who is credited with answering such cards with a polite assurance that he was "glad to know his friend would be at home," and he himself would be at home on the night named, was no more mistaken than the visitor, who feels a momentary slight at the words "not at home." All that is necessary is to leave a card or if it is an informal call in the country, the name, and consider a call due. It is a pity that busy women with a large acquaintance in the country do not often avail themselves of a set day for visitors, even at the risk of being thought a little stiff and formal. In every village there are certain persons who have no appreciation of time, who are continually in search of some one to entertain them. Such persons not only waste their own time, but are the source of an immense amount of waste time in others, and ought to be guarded against by strict rules.

There is also the itinerant vender, who infringes upon the time of the country housekeeper, because she is usually more easy of access than her city sister. It is no falsehood to say you are "not at home" to such persons. To be at home means in this phrase to be at leisure for company. The visits of agents to private families in the pursuit of trade are impertinent. A man's home should be his castle, free from intrusion from all except those who are welcome guests. The average farmer, and all those who have no special office for the transaction of business, cannot strictly adhere to this rule, and must receive business callers at their houses, but this is no reason why the farmer's house should be invaded by the hordes who seek this means of advancing their own ends. The old-fashioned peddler was often a blessing in out-of-way localities, but only in the most unsettled parts of the country is he welcome to-day. The agent who insists on leaving packages, and takes up valuable time discussing the merits of the special articles he sells, is an unmitigated nuisance.

American people are proverbially kindly, and often buy of the itinerant vender from pure sympathy. This sympathy is misplaced, and the fellow ought to find another method of earning his living that does not prey upon time, which he has no right to use. No woman who is a busy housekeeper can afford to be "at home" to such callers.—N. Y. Tribune.

Blessing the Fish.

Thousands of spectators witnessed the unique spectacle of the annual blessing of the fisheries, which took place at Folkestone, England, recently. A procession, consisting of surpliced choirs and clergy, with cross and banners, left St. Peter's church, and after it had made a detour of the fishing quarter of the town chanting the litany a position was taken up overlooking the sea. The vicar of the parish gave an appropriate address, and prayers were offered asking a Divine blessing on the fisherman's calling.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 8 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 35, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 52, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 15 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23 a m; 12 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 25, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 3, 2 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35, 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m. 12 46, 2 11, 2 22, 3 25, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 39, 7 13, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 59, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 43, 5 14, 6 36, 10 15, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 28, 4 38, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 8 03, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 40, 7 30 p. m.

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9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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8 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

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For Trenton 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 24*, 6 25*, 6 46, 9 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, 6 25*, p. m., 1 17 night.

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Phyllis was young and very happy, and just a little excited, and perhaps a trifle proud, because she was engaged before her friend Maud, who was at least three years older. But, of course, she was very careful not to give herself airs, or to unduly flaunt her happiness in poor Maud's face; indeed, she was really anxious that her friend should be as fortunate as herself. At least as fortunate as was possible, for naturally there was only one Arthur in the world, and he was to be her own husband. But there were plenty of other men, really quite nice ones—she must see what she could do for Maud.

They were sitting together, Maud had come to tea with her friend to talk about her trousseau and the presents.

"Yes, I am very happy," said Phyllis, presently; she had been giving Maud a list of the wedding presents.

"You must be!" said Maud. "That silver tea service is lovely! You are a lucky girl," and she sighed a little.

Phyllis was reminded of her friend's lonely state. "I do wish you were as happy, dear," she said. "But I believe you will be very soon," and she smiled meaningly.

"Why? What makes you say that?" asked Maud.

Now Phyllis had meant nothing definite, she only wished to be comforting, and vaguely to suggest. There was no actual prospective lover in her mind; but she could not bear to raise poor Maud's hopes only to destroy them the next moment; so she smiled again mysteriously while she ran over in her thoughts every probable suitor.

"I wish you wouldn't look so knowing, Phyllis," said Maud, impatiently. "Who were you—whom did you mean?"

"Ah, I mustn't say; besides it was only an idea—a mere suggestion."

Maud looked disappointed, and it distressed Phyllis' kind heart, so she said, yielding to a sudden impulse: "Don't you think George Stratton seems rather—? Don't you think so, dear? It has struck me so several times."

"Oh, nonsense, I'm sure I've never noticed anything—at least—" and she paused and blushed a little, and wondered if Phyllis had any good reason for her suggestion.

"There! Now you know you have thought so!" said Phyllis, delighted to find she had made so good a guess. "Don't pretend you were blind, and he is such a nice fellow, nearly as nice as Arthur."

"But I don't believe he means anything; you know what men are," said Maud; and she sighed as she remembered the fickleness and flightiness of men, and she looked wistfully at her friend.

Phyllis answered the look boldly. "Some men are," said she; "but not Mr. Stratton."

"I don't know; he has always been very friendly, and all that, and perhaps if I had encouraged him—"

"Why, of course; every man wants encouragement. I expect he has been miserable," said Phyllis. "And you do like him?"

Maud put down her cup, and arranged the cushions at her back before she answered, and Phyllis felt quite anxious for her reply. "I suppose I like him," she said at last, with proper maiden hesitation.

"Then why are you so horrid to him? I expect you've snubbed him dreadfully."

Phyllis was full of sympathy for the young man of whose devotion for her friend she was now assured. Maud laughed; she imagined she had been cruel to Mr. Stratton.

"Oh, it won't hurt him!" she said, carelessly. "I can't help laughing at men when they say silly things, can you? Even George—Mr. Stratton."

"Oh, call him George. I'm sure you think of him as George," Phyllis said, gayly. "And I'm sure you would be awfully sorry if he went away and you never saw him again!"

"I might get over it," Maud answered, with the light indifference of a conqueror.

"No, you wouldn't; you're really very fond of him. Now do tell me, dear, when did you first suspect he cared for you?"

Maud could not give an exact date; indeed, had she told the truth she would have said "five months ago;" but then that is what she did not do. She began to believe she had known of George's attachment for a long while. The feminine imagination is such an adaptable thing that it can evolve a lifelong devotion from the chance remark of a friend. So she answered carelessly: "I hardly know; gradually, from different things. He was always at the houses I went to, at the Jervis-Carters, and—and everywhere."

"You will be kind to him, won't you Maud? Wouldn't it be delightful if we were both married on the same day?" said Phyllis.

"Oh, there is plenty of time for that; besides, he may not care about me now, though."

"You will have yourself to blame if he doesn't," Phyllis said, severely.

"Do you really think so? I don't want to be horrid," Maud exclaimed, with some anxiety.

"You must be very nice to him then. Let him see you do care for him just a little. Oh, I do want to see you as happy as I am, dear!" cried Phyllis.

"A sensible woman can be just as happy unmarried," said Maud, who had dabbled in serious literature.

"Nonsense, you know she can't; and we're not going to discuss those silly questions, we had much better settle about the bridesmaids and where we shall live. We'll live somewhere near each other, won't we?"

"Yes, dear, of course. Chelsea is nice, isn't it? George has a married sister there, though that might be a drawback," answered Maud.

"It would be," assented Phyllis; "Arthur likes Campden Hill."

"But after all, Phyllis, I'm not at all sure I care enough about George—"

"How annoying you are!" exclaimed Phyllis. "Just when everything was settled. Look here, Maud; write him a nice little note and ask him to lunch or tea, or something; your mother won't mind, or say you'll be at home on Sunday, and then—then you can arrange things, you know. That will be the best way, for it is silly to pretend you aren't in love with him."

"Shall I really write?" said Maud, with a show of hesitation.

"Certainly; here are the paper and pen and everything. Write it here, and I'll send Jane to the post with it at once."

Maud succumbed to her friend's determination and wrote a carefully-worded note to Mr. Stratton, in which she gently reproached him for not having been to see her mother and herself lately, and she said how glad they would be if he came to lunch on the following Sunday.

Phyllis was satisfied with it, and rang the bell for the maid. "Now, darling, everything will come right," she said. "How happy he'll be! I may call him George, too, mayn't I?"

Maud blushed and said she supposed she might, and just then the servant came in.

"Take this to the post at once, please, Jane," said Phyllis.

"Yes, miss, and this letter has just come for you," answered the maid.

Phyllis took the letter and the girl left the room with Maud's note.

"Whom is your letter from? I seem to know the writing," said Maud.

"Only from Ethel Jervis-Carter; she does write to me sometimes about nothing in particular," answered Phyllis. She had not read many lines of the letter before she gave a little cry of dismay.

"What's the matter?" asked Maud, seeing her emotion.

"Nothing," stammered Phyllis. "At least, nothing interesting; and I don't believe it's true."

"Don't be silly, Phyllis; tell me what it is?"

"There; read it!" said Phyllis, and Maud read—

"You will be glad to hear of my engagement to George Stratton; you and Maud know him, so you will understand how happy I am. We hope to be married soon—" Maud read more; she was very pale.

"Thanks," she said, giving the paper back; "it is very interesting."

"I'm so horribly sorry—" began Phyllis.

"For having made a fool of me? You ought to be," said her friend, stonily.

"I never meant—" said Phyllis.

"You made me write that wretched note, I shall never forgive you," said Maud, drawing on her gloves, and rising from her chair with the air of casting the dust of her friend's house from her feet.

"It was a mere suggestion," Phyllis pleaded.

"It was extremely bad taste."

"But you agreed with me!"

"No; it was entirely your doing," answered Maud. "However, of course, it does not really affect me at all."

"Of course not," said Phyllis.

Maud swept out of the room, went home, and wrote a second note to Mr. Stratton to congratulate him on the delightful news she had just heard, and would he bring Ethel with him to lunch on Sunday?

Phyllis remorsefully resolved that she would never again try to provide consolation for desolate friends.—Madame.

WATCH THE COUNT

Bryan's Advice to Democratic National Committeemen.

MUST GUARD AGAINST MISTAKES

Populist Headquarters in Washington Not Yet Ready To Give Up the Fight—Faulkner Even Says He Is Still Hopeful.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 5.—Mr. Bryan has received a number of telegrams asking for definite information in regard to the election and has given out the following general answers: "The democratic national committee claims enough states to give a majority in the electoral college, but the vote is very close in several of the states and the result cannot be known positively until the entire vote is counted. In all close contests it is wise for both sides to watch the returns to guard against the possibility of a mistake, intentional or unintentional."

NOT READY TO SURRENDER.

Populist Headquarters Still Assert That They Have Hopes.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Populist headquarters was quiet this morning, but a number of hopeful followers of Mr. Bryan were there and declined to give up the fight. A statement was given out to the effect that Mr. Bryan had carried every southern state except West Virginia, Maryland and, possibly, Kentucky, but it was thought the latter state would swing into line. Bryan, it was held, had carried every state west of the Missouri river except California, Oregon and North Dakota, all of which, it was claimed, would probably go for him on later returns. Indiana and Minnesota were in doubt, and if they went for Bryan it would elect him. Silver men, it was claimed, would have 150 members in the house of representatives, and it was absolutely certain that the silver men would control the next senate. It was further stated that the populists had elected over twenty congressmen, have secured governors in three states, and certain officials in two or three more states. At democratic headquarters Senator Faulkner still declines to to concede Bryan's defeat. He is still hopeful, he says, that later returns will prove faborable to the democratic candidate. He is anxiously awaiting official returns from Kentucky which would change the complexion of the situation.

JOY IN NEWFOUNDLAND.

McKinley's Election Believed To Assure a Reciprocity Treaty.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 5.—General satisfaction is expressed throughout Newfoundland with the result of Tuesday's presidential election in the United States. It is believed here that the accession to power of a republican administration will make practicable the arrangement of a reciprocity treaty with the United States providing for the free entry of Newfoundland fish into American markets in return for the free admission of American flour and pork to this colony. The local banks will remove the embargo in American silver coin to-day and accept it at its face value.

Predicts a Period of Prosperity.

New York, Nov. 5.—Gen. Powell Clayton made the following statement last evening: "In my judgment the immediate effect of our victory will be the restoration of public confidence, which is all that is necessary to cause money to come from its hiding places and go industriously to work again. If it shall turn out that we have a working majority in the United States senate the country may look for prompt legislation for the procurement of ample revenue to meet all proper public expenditures. After March 4 I confidently look for the commencement of a period of prosperity never excelled in the history of America."

Claims of Kansas Populists.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 5.—Fusion headquarters this morning claim Bryan electors by 19,000; state ticket by 13,000; seven out of eight congressmen; five out of the six judges of the appellate court, and a majority of twenty-six in the legislature on joint ballot.

New York Assemblymen.

New York, Nov. 5.—Careful revision of the returns for assemblymen in the 150 districts in the state make little change in the list previously published. The totals show that 115 republicans and 35 democrats were elected.

Effect on the Rome Bourse.

Rome, Nov. 5.—The victory of McKinley in the presidential election in America has made an excellent impression in banking and business circles here. The bourse showed a great deal of animation and rentes have risen.

New York City.

New York, Nov. 5.—Revised returns from all the districts of this city make McKinley's plurality in the city 19,663. Jacob E. Bausch, Tammany's candidate for coroner, the highest city officer voted for, was defeated by 5,496 votes.

Texas' Democratic Majority.

Houston, Tex., Nov. 5.—Corrected returns place Bryan's plurality in Texas at over 160,000; and Culberson's, for governor, at 80,000. All the democratic congressmen, thirteen in number, are elected.

Virginia's Congressional Delegation.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 5.—Walker, rep., is elected in the Ninth district. The result as between Yost, rep., and Flood, dem., in the Tenth, is close. Both sides claim it. The rest of the delegation is democratic.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:32 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:55 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:55 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Y. M. C. A. team will practice tomorrow night at the Washington avenue grounds.

The Alis team expected to go to Elizabeth today to meet Pingry's School second team, but the game has been postponed on account of the rain.

The attendance at the game election day morning was the largest of the season, nearly 200 paying to see the game besides numerous "deadheads." Martine's flield is an excellent gridiron, quite smooth and soft.

The only fear now is that the Y. M. C. A. team will get too exalted an opinion of themselves on account of the easy victories. Everybody thought that the Rutgers' boys would give them a hard tussle, but as it was, the college team proved a cinch for the Plainfield boys. Milne was certainly missed in the second half, however, when the Rutgers boys hit the line so effectually. Both Lewis and McClure put up an excellent game, but is impossible to expect a man weighing 165 pounds to accomplish the work of one weighing 200.

Sad is the history of the football team of Stevens Institute for the last year. Defeated by everybody and with most of her good players laid up, the eleven has disbanded for the season. Harry L. McGee, of this city, has been playing fullback on the team and Election Day acted as captain, as the regular captain was laid up. Another player held the office in the first part of the season, but he met with hard luck. McGee felt the effects of the hoodoo and strained his ankle enough to keep him at home yesterday. Meanwhile the other members of the team decided that it was time to stop.

WHIST.

One of the rules governing the play for the State Challenge Trophy, which the officers of the New Jersey Whist Association will strongly insist upon being fully complied with, is the rule requiring each team playing in a game for the State trophy to provide a scorer whose duty it shall be to make a copy of the play of each hand of the team of the club he represents. In some cases last season, this rule was not observed, and the penalty for the non-observance was not enforced, but this season a team not complying with all the rules governing the playing for the trophy will be charged with the loss of the match. As each club challenging knows this is one of the fixed rules governing the playing in these games, and a claim of arbitrary ruling can not honestly be charged against the officers of the association. A club that can not or will not conform to the rules had better not enter the contest.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Meredith Dryden, of West Seventh street, was kept at home yesterday by a strained tendom. He received his injury while trying to solve the mysteries of triplet riding.

Growing Fast.

On the evening of Thursday, November 12th, Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., will meet in the Exempt Firemen's rooms in the Coward building when seven new members will be admitted to the lodge. The grand lodge officers of the State will be present and they will be suppered in great style.

Returns from Middlesex county with two districts estimated gives McKinley a majority of 3,100. Benjamin F. Howell, (Rep), for Congress, received 3,400 majority. In spite of unprecedented majority for the head of the ticket George J. Litterst, Democratic candidate for Sheriff, defeated Andrew S. Church by 1,200. Church's nomination was forced upon the people at the dictation of the Republican bosses.

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STRIKES AND SPARES.

Probably the strongest bowling league that has ever been organized along the line of the Jersey Central Railroad will open its battle for championship honors on Wednesday night. It is the Central Journal Bowling League, and is now fully organized and its contests will attract the attention of the bowlers of this part of the State. That enterprising newspaper, the Elizabeth Journal, has been very successful in securing all the powerful teams of the neighborhood for its league. Seven clubs now compose the league—Elizabeth A. C., Cranford Country Club, New Jersey A. C., Roselle Casino, Westfield Club, Park Club of this city, and the Bayonne Rowing and Athletic Association. All of these teams have a good record and the fight promises to be a lively one. The dues are fixed at $10 a club, and the prizes are of the following values: First team, $30; second team, $20; highest individual average, $10; highest average spares, $5. No player will be entitled to receive more than one prize, and nine games must be rolled to qualify, but the averages will be computed from the actual number of games rolled. The visiting clubs are entitled to the use of the alleys from 7:45 o'clock until the games begin, and also that the games be called at 8:15 o'clock. The Park Club will be represented in the league by the younger bowlers of the club, who have already showed their ability to cope with the best of the neighboring teams. The schedule has been arranged as follows:

Date.	Club.	At.
Wednesday, Nov. 11,	Westfield	Roselle
Wednesday, Nov. 11,	Bayonne	Elizabeth
Thursday, Nov. 12,	Park	Cranford
Monday, Nov. 16,	Cranford	N. J. A. C.
Monday, Nov. 16,	Elizabeth	Park
Wednesday, Nov. 18,	Roselle	Bayonne
Wednesday, Nov. 18,	Elizabeth	Westfield
Friday, Nov. 20,	Cranford	Roselle
Monday, Nov. 23,	N. J. A. C.	Elizabeth
Monday, Nov. 23,	Bayonne	Cranford
Tuesday, Nov. 24,	Westfield	N. J. A. C.
Wednesday, Nov. 25,	Roselle	Park
Wednesday, Nov. 25,	Elizabeth	Bayonne
Tuesday, Dec. 1,	Cranford	Westfield
Thursday, Dec. 3,	N. J. A. C.	Roselle
Monday, Dec. 7	Park	Elizabeth
Tuesday, Dec. 8,	Westfield	Cranford
Thursday, Dec. 10,	Bayonne	N. J. A. C.
Monday, Dec. 14,	Westfield	Park
Thursday, Dec. 17,	Cranford	Bayonne
Friday, Dec. 18,	Roselle	Westfield
Tuesday, Dec. 22,	Park	Roselle
Wednesday, Dec. 23,	Westfield	Elizabeth
Monday, Dec. 28,	Roselle	Cranford
Wednesday, Dec. 30,	Elizabeth	N. J. A. C.
Wednesday, Jan. 6, 1897,	Bayonne	Park
Thursday, Jan. 7,	N. J. A. C.	Bayonne
Monday, Jan. 11,	Park	Westfield
Thursday, Jan. 14,	Bayonne	Roselle
Monday, Jan. 18,	Roselle	Elizabeth
Wednesday, Jan. 20,	N. J. A. C.	Cranford
Tuesday, Jan. 26,	Roselle	N. J. A. C.
Friday, Jan. 29,	Cranford	Park
Wednesday, Feb. 3,	Westfield	Bayonne
Monday, Feb. 8,	N. J. A. C.	Westfield
Monday, Feb. 8,	Elizabeth	Cranford
Thursday, Feb. 11,	Park	N. J. A. C
Monday, Feb. 15,	Bayonne	Westfield
Wednesday, Feb. 17,	Cranford	Elizabeth
Wednesday, Feb. 17,	Park	Bayonne
Thursday, Feb. 18,	Elizabeth	Roselle
Friday, Feb. 19,	N. J. A. C.	Park

C. W. Nichols, of Rahway, is in town today on business.

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OLD AGE BRINGS RESEMBLANCE

When Years Creep Upon Them Members of Families Look Like Each Other.

"Age brings out family likenesses or resemblance as nothing else can or will," remarked a scientist who has given much attention to the study of physiology and its running mate, physiognomy," says the Washington Star. "In the ordinary life of a man or woman they are so much occupied by other things—that is, with the pleasures, passions or business of the world—that they do not show any of the lineaments of their parents. When old age comes on them, however, they show many of the resemblances of the parent stock. Take your own circle, for illustration.

"If you are old enough to remember the parents of any of your friends or relatives you will notice that as they in turn grow old the family likenesses come out. There are, of course, some people who have the general features and appearances of their parents, and in many cases of both father and mother, though in most cases of but one, and that most likely of the father, in their youth and through their life. There are others, though, who had none of the marked family likenesses until they reached an advanced age. By this I mean 50 years or so. In many cases persons have shown in their own faces none of the family likenesses until they reached very advanced ages, and it grows more and more marked as they leave the milestones of age behind them."

HIS CREDITORS FOUND HIM.

Mr. Jones Had Been Unable to See Them During a Long Search.

George Washington Jones, a colored gentleman, was sad, very sad. He was a calciminer when he had work to do, says Harper's Round Table, but, as he expresses it:

"Dem dere white trash hab gone into de trade, an' now Ise got no work to do." But this was not what made him sad. "Dis yere life," he said, "am not wuth livin'."

"What's the matter, George?" inquired his friend.

"Why, Ise got a little money on dat last job, and Ise went round to settle de bills Ise owed."

"Didn't you attend to it all right?"

"Dar's de strange part of it. De butcher he wuz out, an' de grocer he wuz out, an' every one Ise wanted to pay wuz out, an' den what's I do but lose dat money."

"Well, that was unlucky, and no mistake; but still you showed your good intentions, and no doubt they won't press their claims."

"Press dere claims! Yah, dat's de trouble. When Ise got 'ome found ebery one of dem waitin' to press dere claims, an' as Ise couldn't fix dem, dey done an' fixed me."

WITH ROD AND GUN.

The open season for quail and rabbit begins next Tuesday, November 10th.

Harry Campbell and Jack Teeple went hunting on Election Day and secured two woodcock and one partridge.

James Voorhies, of Clinton avenue, captured two carp in Tier's pond yesterday. One weighed 10 pounds and the other 16 pounds. The last one is probably the largest ever taken from this place.

Fish Warden George W. Dunham has placed 2,000 trout in two of the South Branch that empty in at Califon. The fish were brought from Plymouth. Mr. Dunham says he expects 100,000 wall-eyed pike from Toledo, O., which will be placed in the Branch.

The change in the State game laws has made a harvest for the deputy game wardens, who receive one-third of the amount of fines imposed. The city sportsmen who anticipate making their usual raid on Jersey game this fall will do well to paste in their hats the following authentic guide: [The penalties mentioned are for each animal unlawfully taken or had in possession. In case of non-payment of fines and costs, the convicted persons are subject to imprisonment.

Hare, Rabbit, Quail—Between Nov. 10 and Jan. 1 inclusive. Fine $20.

Deer—Between Oct. 25 and Nov. 5 inclusive. Fine $100.

Woodcock—The month of July, and from Oct. 1 to Dec. 10, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Gray, English, or Wilson Snipe—The months of March, April and September. Fine, $20.

Ruffed Grouse and Partridge, European Grouse, Partridge and Pheasant—Oct. 1 to Dec. 10, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Reed Bird, Rail Bird, or Marsh Hen—The month of September. Fine, $20.

Gray Fox or Black Squirrels—The month of September and from Nov. 10 to Dec. 10, inclusive. Fine, $20.

Geese, Duck, and other Web-footed Wild Fowls—Between Sept. 13 and May 1, inclusive. Fine, $20.

What is always unlawful:

To take, or attempt to take, any game except by the use of guns held at an arm's length. Fine, $50.

To have trapped game in possession. Fine, $20.

To hunt on Sunday or carry firearms in fields or woods on Sunday. Fine, $20.

To permit the erection and maintenance of unlawful contrivances for taking game. Applies to lessees and tenants of lands. Fine $25.

To capture, kill, injure, or to have in possession any birds, excepting English sparrows, cranes, hawks, crows, ravens, crow-black birds, kingfishers, red-winged black birds. Fine $20.

To hunt geese, ducks, or any web footed wild fowl except between one hour before sunrise and one hour after sunset. Fine $25.

To hunt on posted land. Fine $10 or more.

EFFECT OF MUZZLES.

Their Enforced Use Has Changed the Breed of London Dogs.

The muzzling order has now been so long in operation that one is able to see its practical results, at all events so far as London is concerned, says the London News. They are really very remarkable, especially from a point of view not likely to be immediately taken.

The supremacy of the fox terrior is gone. One misses the little, vivid white spots that moved about so quickly and made streets and thoroughfares gay, and, it must be admitted, noisy. Most of these dogs were mongrels, and, being of no appreciable value, and probably of no clearly defined ownership, they passed quickly in a wholesale way into the lethal chambers. London is rid of them, but at all our towns the white terrier with the odd markings is still in the ascendant.

On the other hand, here in town we have the Irish and the Scotch. These are as yet pretty pure; they keep rather to themselves, after the manner of the provincials, but in a couple of years mongrelism will assert itself, and London will be overrun. As it is, the hardy little Aberdeen, with his long body, short legs and nondescript markings of black and gray and mustard, holds the street, and the Irish terrier loafs about, social and easy-going.

They are both excellent in their own way, but, for all that, one misses the sharp, quick vitality of the fox terrier. Even as a mongrel he seemed to concentrate in his active little body all doggy qualities, especially fidelity and hatred of cats.

Fasted Nearly Two Years.

Dr. Tanner's famous fast of 40 days is thrown into the background as a starvation feat by the performances of the big anaconda at the Philadelphia zoological gardens, which was only recently tempted to eat a nice fat rabibt after going hungry for 22 months. It may have been even longer, but the keepers have no record of the creature's doings previous to its captivity, and so can't tell. It is not very unusual for a snake to abstain from food for several months, at the end of which time death generally results; but the anaconda case is distinctly different from any other. Its fast lasted more than twice as long as any in the history of the "zoo," and during the whole of its continuance there was no evidence of ill health. The spell now seems to be entirely broken, and the anaconda calls regularly for its meals.

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AN HONORABLE RECORD.

Career of the New Quartermaster General of the Army.

President Cleveland's Selection of Gen. Charles G. Sawtelle for This Post Has Been Favorably Received —Other Changes.

The president has filled a vacancy in the quartermaster's department of the army, and filled another caused by the first, by the appointment of Col. Charles G. Sawtelle to be quartermaster general, with the rank of brigadier general, vice Gen. Richard N. Bachelder, retired, and First Lieut. Carroll A. Devol, of the Twenty-fifth infantry, to be an assistant quartermaster, with the rank of captain. The appointment of Col. Sawtelle to the higher office makes the following additional promotions in the quartermaster's department: Lieut. Col. William B. Hughes, to be colonel; Maj. J. B. Furey, to be lieutenant colonel, and Capt. C. A. Booth to be major. The vacancy in the lower grade named was filled by the transfer of Lieut. Devol from the line.

The selection of Col. Sawtelle for the quartermaster generalship was predicted soon after the retirement of Gen. Bachelder. Gen. Sawtelle stood at the head of his corps, and was next in line of promotion. He was senior in service to Gen. Bachelder, and was jumped when the latter was made quartermaster general several years ago. He has had a long and creditable career in the army. He was born in Maine May 19, 1834, and was appointed to the military academy from that state July 1, 1850. Graduated July 1, 1854, he was appointed a second lieutenant of the Second infantry, and a year later was transferred to the Sixth infantry. He served as regimental quartermaster from February 15, 1857, to June 19, 1861. He was appointed a first lieutenant June 5, 1860, and a captain and assistant quartermaster May 17, 1861. In August, 1862, he became an acting lieutenant colonel in the quartermaster's department, and rose through the grades in the regular establishment until he became colonel and assistant quartermaster general, September 12, 1894.

Gen. Sawtelle has an excellent record for active service during the civil war. He received the brevet rank of major, lieutenant colonel and colonel March 13,

GEN CHARLES G. SAWTELLE.

1865, for faithful and meritorious services in the quartermaster's department during the same period.

The official record of his services is as follows: He served with his regiment in Minnesota from September, 1854, to July, 1855; in Nebraska and in Kansas (participating in the Sioux expedition June to October, 1855) to April 1858; on frontier duty at posts in California (quartermaster of the Colorado River expedition, California, February to April, 1859,) to July 10, 1861.

In charge of quartermaster depot at Perryville, Md., August, 1861, to March, 1862; at Fort Monroe, Va., forwarding troops and supplies to Army of the Potomac, to May, 1862, and as assistant in charge of transportation in that army to September, 1862; acting chief quartermaster Army of the Potomac, September 7 to November 12, 1862; chief quartermaster Second army corps, November 12, 1862, to January 24, 1863; chief quartermaster right grand division, Army of the Potomac, to February, 1863, and of the Cavalry corps to June, 1863; assistant chief quartermaster Army of the Potomac, June 21 to August 6, 1863; chief quartermaster of the cavalry bureau to February 15, 1864; chief quartermaster United States forces on the Rio Grande, Tex., to April 30, 1864; in charge of transports and supplies for Gen. Banks' army in the field in Louisiana, to June 6, 1864.

Chief quartermaster military division west Mississippi June 6, 1864, to June 2, 1865; of the military division of the southwest to July 17, 1865; of the department of the gulf and Fifth military district to August, 1867; in charge of clothing depot and assistant to the depot quartermaster in New York city to April, 1869; chief quartermaster department of California to August, 1872; of the third quartermaster's district, department of the east and division of the Atlantic, to July, 1874, and of the first quartermaster's district to October, 1876; post quartermaster at New York city to November 10, 1877; chief quartermaster, department of the east, to March, 1878; of the department of the Columbia, also depot quartermaster at Vancouver, Washington, May, 14, 1878, to April 9, 1881.

Chief quartermaster department of the south April 27, 1881, to April 27, 1882; of the division of the Atlantic and department of the east May 1, 1882, to October 29, 1883; on duty as assistant in office of quartermaster general, Washington, D. C., to September 20, 1890; depot quartermaster Philadelphia, Pa., to September 1, 1894, and at Governor's island, N. Y., as chief quartermaster department of the east, which assignment he still holds.

Gen. Sawtelle will retire from the active list of the army in May, 1898.

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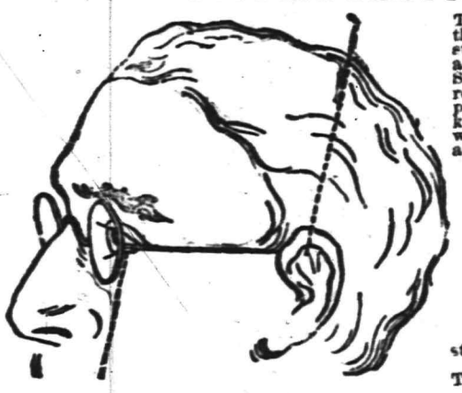

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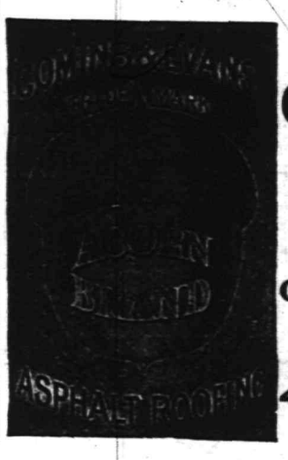

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G.O.P. TO HAVE A SPREE.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY TO BE JOYOUSLY CELEBRATED IN THIS CITY.

A Big Torchlight Parade to be the Principal Method of Jubilation—Line of March, and Details of the Ratification.

The battle has been fought and the victory won and the victors have cause to rejoice. The many weeks of active campaign work is over and the efforts of the "sound money" Republicans and Democrats have not been in vain. The entire country responded to the call and party lines disappeared in the effort to rout Bryan and his free silver followers. The attempt was successful and Plainfield, as well as the State of New Jersey, has given to McKinley the victorious champion of the present gold standard, the largest majority ever given to a candidate for the presidental office.

Now is the time for rejoicing and tomorrow night will see the "sound money" men of Plainfield and North Plainfield gather together for a final demonstration to ratify the result of Tuesday's national election. The impromtu parades on the night of, or rather the morning after, election relieved the enthusiastic rejoicers of some of their surplus enthusiasm but everybody wanted a grand ending for the hard campaign and the exciting election. So it was that last evening the Republican campaign committee laid their plans for a monster parade for Saturday evening at which time workingmen, storekeepers, bankers and brokers, and all might join together and march through the streets of the city and borough with flags flying, torches blazing and colored, fire illuminating paraders and spectators.

The paraders will form on Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets, facing Park avenue, and then march down that thoroughfare to North avenue, to Watchung avenue. to East Front street, to Washington avenue, to Mercer avenue, to Grove street, to Central avenue, to West Eighth street, to Plainfield avenue, to Stelle avenue, to Central avenue, to West Ninth street, to Madison avenue, to West Seventh street, to East Seventh street, to Watchung avenue, to Franklin place, to LaGrande avenue, to Watchung avenue, to North avenue, and disband.

The column is to be divided into three divisions, and the divisions into into two or three battalions. One battalion will will be composed of the New York and Plainfield business men, another of the young voters, the members of the Young Men's Republican Club. The citizens of North Plainfield will make up another. The workingmen of Pond's, Potter's and Scott's will each compose a battalion while the colored voters of city and borough will make up two more. Some will carry torches, some brooms, some flags, all of which will be furnished by the Republican campaign committee. Then there will be colored fire, fire crackers and fire works while the residences along the line of march will illuminate and decorate to show their loyalty and express their satisfaction at the signal victory of McKinley. There will be lots of music, for two bands and three drums corps have been secured.

Councilman Chas. J. Fisk will be grand marshall of this parade with Councilman Elliot T. Barrows as a very efficient chief of staff. The order of formation has been decided upon and most of the commanders have been selected.

The order of formation is as follows:

Police.
Plainfield Cornet Band.
Grand Marshal—Charles J. Fisk.
Chief of Staff—Elliot T. Barrows.
Aides—Wm. N. Runyon, R. F. Murray.
Staff—Alexander Gilbert, J. B.Coward, Ernest R. Ackerman, Charles A. Reed, S. A. Ginna, J. Frank Hubbard, J. Fred MacDonald, Andrew McCardell, B. A. Hegeman, Wm. T. Kirk, Wm. R. Codington, J. W. Murray.

FIRST DIVISION.
Marshal—John B. Dumont.
Staff of Six.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—John T. Baker.
Aide—
New York and Plainfield business men.

SECOND BATTALION.
Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps.
Major—
Aide—
Citizens of North Plainfield.

THIRD BATTALION.
Major—J. H. Case.
Aide—
Young Men's Republican Club.

SECOND DIVISION.
Drake's Band of Elizabeth.
Marshal—James T. MacMurray.
Staff of Six.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—John Arden.
Aide—
Pond Tool Works and other Fourth Ward Workingmen.

SECOND BATTALION.
Major—
Aide—
Potter Press Works and other Third Ward Workingmen.

THIRD BATTALION.
Independent Fife and Drum Corps.
Major—Charles W. Smith.
Aide—
Scott Press Works and other First Ward Workingmen.

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LANDLORD AG'IN EDITOR.

WOES OF A MEMBER OF THE FOURTH ESTATE IN JERSEY.

Landlord Thinks That the Editor's Printing Machinery Afflicts His Building With Ague and Keeps Away Tenants

Editor J. Alfred Potter, of the Cranford Chronicle, is beset with all the trials and tribulations common to members of the fourth estate in New Jersey, and just at present he is the victim of some that are not classified in the category of a newspaper man's ills. Editors have dissensions with persons of pretty nearly every avocation and standing in the community in which they wield the pen, but Editor Potter is particularly unfortunate. He is having trouble with his landlord. This would not be unusual if the editor did not pay his rent. But Mr. Potter pays his rent and still has considerable trouble.

According to the editor's version, the only opinion that a "man up the tree" can form is that the landlord was satisfied when Mr. Potter was merely doing business enough to exist, but as soon as he evidenced more prosperity the landlord objected. That is, he objected to the machinery which the editor has equipped his office with.

Last week The Daily Press published the story of the trouble between Mr. Potter and the owner of the building—Hugo C. Fett is his name—on account of the severing of a connection of an exhaust pipe with the gas engine by a plumber employed by Fett while the editor and his employes were at lunch. This, it would seem, was the beginning of the trouble, unless the start primarily originated when the editor bought the engine. At any rate, Editor Potter had the plumber arrested for his overt act. In his next issue the editor classified Mr. Fett as a champion mean man, and to prove it he related a few instances. One of them was that when nurse maids persisted in perambulating past Fett's residence with their charges in the four wheeled vehicles in opposition to his wishes, he reconstructed his sidewalk by laying long boards lengthwise and leaving great cracks between each board, thus making it impracticable for the nurse maids to wheel their charges along that particular point with any degree of safety.

Now it seems that Fett followed this sally up by instituting a suit in the District Court of Elizabeth for the recovery of $200 damages from the editor because the latter's printing machinery shook the building, and, it was alleged, bothered the other tenants. Whether or not the other occupants of the structure complained of the building having the ague is not known. Among the tenants of Fett is an Italian and a Chinaman, one a peanut vender, the other a shirt cleaner. Neither one of these complained of the shaking of the building, and they were the editor's closests neighbors.

But when the landlord ascended the witness stand the reason was explained. It seems, according to Fett, that several people had inspected the vacant apartments in the building and gone away and not rented them. Fett immediately concluded that it was because the trembling of the building, superinduced, as he claimed, by the printing machinery frightening them. He swore that he felt that it was his moral right to warn prospective tenants of this shaking, but when pressed he admittted that he had not told any of them.

A dozen or more other persons had been subpœaned by the landlord, but from none of them could he really get anything that favored his side.

Finally, the case was given to the judge and he reserved his decision. All Cranford expectantly awaits the outcome of the fight between the editor and the landlord.

FINTIN HIBBITS TAKES A WIFE.

Married in a New York Church Last Sunday Evening.

The marriage of Miss Nora Cook, of VanDuyne street, New York, and Fintin Hibbits, of Liberty street, this city, was solemnized last Sunday evening at 9 o'clock at St. Anthony's church, New York. One of the assistant fathers of the church performed the ceremony. Miss Cook was attended by her sister, Miss Lizzie Cook, as bridemaid, while John Hickey, of this city, was best man. Outside of the bridal party there was no one present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibbits returned to Plainfield the same evening and took up their residence at the groom's home on Liberty street. The bride is well known in this city, where she has often visited. She is an accomplished woman. Mr. Hibbits has conducted the mason business for many years and is also well known. The many friends of the bride and groom wish them success and a happy journey through life.

HALF DOZEN RASH GIRLS

EXPERIMENTED WITH ETHER IN A WAY THAT WAS RISKY.

Sprinkled the Fluid on a Shawl Under Which They Breathed in the Fumes and Became Nearly Unconscious

There were six badly frightened girls at the Plainfield High School yesterday, and all as a result of a little experimenting. One of the number brought a bottle of ether to school in the morning unknown to the teachers, and at recess showed it to her friends. The young ladies had often heard of the fluid but none of them knew exactly its effects, and anticipating no harmful results they did a little experimenting with it. They covered their heads with a shawl and sprinkled the ether on it and then waited. When the bell rang for the close of recess the shawl was removed and the girls found that they could hardly stand. The now thoroughly frightened girls managed to reach their respective class rooms in safety to find that they could hardly see, and in terror at the results of their little fun, they went to Superintendent Maxson.

They told him their woes and explained the whole matter. They felt the effects of the ether all the rest of the morning. In the afternoon one of the party went to sleep at her home, and it was only after repeated efforts that she was awakened. Several others had somewhat similar experiences and it is not likely that this same party will undertake any experiments with ether again. They are very lucky to escape without much more serious consequences.

COPPER'S UNENVIABLE POSITION

Serious Charges Said to be Soon Investigated by Councilmen.

It is understood that a very serious charge now hangs over a member of the police force in this city and that the police committee of the Common Council will soon start an investigation. The charge is that the policeman assaulted his wife. What makes the matter all the more interesting is that the wife's brother is said to have arrived on the scene and virtually wiped up the earth with the offending officer, and even went so far as to take his club away from him, afterwards returning it at the conclusion of the chastisement with the admonition "to go out and play cop now." The officer accepted the rebuke meekly rather than to make a scene and a subsequent public scandal.

The Councilmen are also said to be on the point of investigating a serious charge against another officer that has been hanging fire for some months.

Birthday Surprise.

Randolph Dunham, of Madison avenue and Fifth street, was tendered a birthday surprise, at his home, last evening, when about twenty of his relatives and friends assembled at Mr. Dunham's home during his absence. Mr. Dunham was 70 years of age yesterday, and he has lived here for the past 55 years. He was married near New Market, 47 years ago. Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dunham, Miss Bessie Dunham, O. M. and F. M. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. James Clawson, Dr. Marc Clawson, Miss Lulu Clawson, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, Mrs. Isaac Dunham, Misss Lucy Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Leber, of Carteret, the latter a daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Dunham, were unable to be present on account of illness in the family. During the evening Mr. Dunham was presented with a handsome gold headed cane.

Civil Service Examination.

A civil service examination for the grade of clerk and carrier in the postal service for this city will be held by John Whitenack, the secretary of the Board of Examiners in Plainfield, on December 5th. Applications must be filed before November 21st.

Graceley's License Granted.

The liquor application of J. H. Graceley, for the Manhattan Hotel, which was presented to the Somerset County Court five weeks ago, was granted this morning, the court finding that there were no objections to the same. Mr. Graceley opened his hotel at noon today.

Mr. Carter Badly Hurt.

William H. Carter, of Fanwood, a member of the present petit jury of Union County, was badly hurt election night. He was thrown from a horse. The animal was knocked down in a collision with another horse. Mr. Carter was delerious yesterday from his injuries.

—W. L. & J. M. Smalley, the Somerset street butchers, are displaying a choice lot of poultry and country pork. They make a specialty of poultry and pork at this season of the year, and when they once serve a customer they keep him, as their goods are of the very best quality.

CURFEW IN JERSEY.

AGITATION FOR SUCH AN ORDINANCE GATHERS SUPPORT.

Intended to Keep Children off Streets After 8 in Winter and 9 in Summer—Playing in Streets at Night Not Allowed.

The agitation for the ringing of the curfew at night to clear the streets of children has extended all over the State. The question is being considered by the people of twenty towns. The agitation began in the Mercer county branch of the State Charity Aid, and now it has extended to the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the New Jersey Home Societies, which have branches all over the State.

The Rev. George B. Maddock, the Chaplain of the State Prison, has become the curfew apostle. He was the first one to bring the subject to the attention of philanthropic persons in the State, and he is now kept busy writing letters to those who are seeking information. He finds that the subject is growing, and he thinks that the curfew will be put in operation soon in some of the smaller towns.

The matter was discussed at the various county conventions of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and is now the uppermost theme in many of the local branches.

The Elmer Branch has passed resolutions indorsing the plan, and the matter is being agitated in Bridgeton, Millville, Cap May, Salem, Mount Holly, Trenton, New Brunswick, Elizabeth, Orange, Hackensack, Newton, Hackettstown, and Belvidere.

The friends of the curfew have gone so far as to draft an ordinance which embraces the best features of the several ordinances of the curfew towns of the West, principally Lincoln, Neb. The provisions of the proposed ordinance provide that it is unlawful for any person under fifteen years of age to be or remain in or upon any of the the streets, alleys, or public places at night, after the hour of 9 o'clock p. m., from Marsh 1 to August 31, inclusive, of each year; and from September 1 to the last day of February, inclusive, of each year, after the hour of 8 o'clock p. m., unless such person is accompanied with a parent, guardian, or any other person having the legal custody of such minor person, or is in the performance of an errand or a duty directed by such parent, guardian, or other person having the care and custody of such minor person, or whose employment makes it necessary to be upon said streets, alleys, or public place during the night time after said specified hours.

It is provided that no child or minor person arrested under the provisions of this ordinance shall be placed in confinement until the parents or guardian of such minor persons shall have been notified of such arrest, and shall have refused to be responsible for the observance of the provisions of this ordinance by said minor person."

Mrs. John D. Townsend, of New York City, is doing much to enforce the curfew both in New Jersey and in New York. She is interested in the Boys' and Girls' National Home and Employment Association.

It is not the idea to provide a bell that will ring the curfew, except in small communities where there is no striking town clock. When there is this ringing off of the hour it will be sufficient.

Still a Bryan Man.

A Press reporter asked J. E. Martine whether he thought Bryan would still be a political factor? "Yes!" said he, "If he is alive and in good health he will be nominated by the Democratic party in 1900—by acclamation. It is but the case of Andrew Jackson over again."

A Distinguished Member.

At a meeting of the Gesang and Turn Verein Society last night three new members were added to the rolls, among whom was Senator-elect Chas. A. Reed. It was decided to hold a dance on Thanksgiving Eve. Repairs were also ordered to be made to the building.

G. A. R. Fair Still Going.

The bazaar and fair of the G. A. R. will continue both this and tomorrow evening. Tonight the dancing will continue until 2 o'clock, and tomorrow evening the remaining articles will be auctioned off.

Republican Headquarters to Remain Open.

The Republican Association rooms will remain open until after the city election in December and the leading daily papers, including the Plainfield Daily Press, will be on file there.

Mrs. E. VanNamee, of Third place, expects to leave for Seattle, Washington, in a few days, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank D. Schuyler, who is dangerously ill.

FREE OF ANY PROMISE.

WILLIAM T. KIRK MADE NO PLEDGES TO GET THE SHRIEVALTY.

Will Take Office at One Minute After Twelve o'Clock Next Tuesday Noon. He Has Not Selected a Deputy Yet.

If there is one man in Union county who is receiving more than usual attention at present, that man is William T. Kirk, who has just been elected Sheriff for the term of three years. This genial personage, who certainly deserves the recognition accorded by his party, has been sought by all kinds of men who have attempted to secure from him whatever it is in his power to give. This fact remains, however, that Mr. Kirk will enter upon the duties of his office at 12:01 next Tuesday noon a man free from all pledges and promises. On Monday morning next he will appear before Judge McCormick at Elizabeth and take the oath of office.

In regard to pledges Mr. Kirk is probably able to say that he accepts the office as free as any man in this county, and it is no doubt true that he knows who supported him and who tried to defeat him. His canvass has brought out this fact that the very people who demanded pledges are just the ones who cut him at the polls, and they are just the ones who have no reason to look for any favors. It is true that the Liquor Dealers Association sought him for a representation on the juries, but Mr. Kirk showed his fairness by refusing to make any promises. Before the election Mr. Kirk stated that is elected he would fill the office to the best of his ability, and if he does, surely Plainfield and the whole county will be thoroughly satisfied.

Mr. Kirk is obliged to have five bondsmen, and they have to be freeholders of property in this county. Just who these bondsmen will be Mr. Kirk has not yet stated. There is no truth in the item published in the New York and Elizabeth papers yesterday that Mr. Jacques, of Plainfield, will be Deputy Sheriff. Mr. Kirk does not know him, and in fact, he has not decided who will fill this position.

A Fractious Steed.

A horse owned by Stephenson, the North avenue caterer, gave a most remarkable exhibition last night between 5 and 6 o'clock. The animal was in the barn on Watchung avenue and in some way got out in the lane. Before he could be caught he ran through the lane at full speed and when the gate was reached he made a plunge and turned a complete somersault. In coming down the horse landed on his neck and those who saw the exhibition thought the animal's neck was broken. It was not, however, and he soon recovered himself. It was with difficulty that the horse was caught in a lot across from where the accident happened.

An Evening of Whist.

That most successful organization, the Thursday Night Whist Club, opened the season, last evening, in a most auspicious manner, at the home of Mrs. B. R. Western, Washington Park. There were four tables to which number the club is limited, and the playing was excellent. Mrs. B. R. Western and Mrs. J. E. McClintock were awarded first and second prizes, while Charles Western and Arthur T. Gallup secured the first and second for the gentlemen. Dainty refreshments were served at the conclusion of the play. Mrs. Arthur T. Gallup will entertain the club next Thursday evening.

A Pleasing Entertainment.

Prof. Bolden, of this city, gave a magical entertainment in Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, on West Fourth street, last evening, which was attended by about one hundred colored people. The entertainment also included some difficult feats at mind reading and at its close a festival was held in the parlors of the church. The committee of arrangements consisted of Miss Ida Burchen, Miss Estella Houton, Miss W. Jones and Miss Sarah King. The receipts were very satisfactory.

A New Orchestra.

The LaVere Orchestra has just been formed and played for the first time at a reception at New Market last Tuesday evening. At present it is composed of Benjamin LaVere, cornetist and leader; Anthony Parouck, violinist, and Herbert Harold, pianist.

Going to Be Lawyers.

A. H. Cornish, Robt. M. Clark, Geo. H. Bird and Irving Brady go from this city to Trenton today to take their examinations for attorney at law.

– Rheumatism is a foe which gives no quarter. It torments its victims day and night. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures the aches and pains of rheumatism.

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PLOT TO BREAK JAIL.

ELMER CLAWSON WAS READLY TO MAKE A DESPERATE DASH.

But His Plans Were Frustrated When the Sheriff Found an Iron Bed Post and a Blade of Steel Secreted in His Cell.

Evidence has been brought to light indicating that Elmer Clawson, who is in the Somerset County Jail under sentence of death for killing George Hodgetts, intended to take desperate measures to effect his escape.

Clawson and Jacob Johnson, who is also a condemned murderer, have been confined in cells in a part of the jail separated from the other prisoners, and an extra watch has been kept upon them. On Tuesday night it was discovered that one of the iron legs of Clawson's bedstead on the side next to the wall had been wrenched off. A search was made, and the piece of iron was found secreted in the matress, in which a hold had been cut to receive it. Further investigation by Sheriff Wyckoff yesterday resulted in the discovery of a short blade of steel, shaped into a key, which when tried was found to fit the lock of the cell door from the inside.

How Clawson got this piece of steel is a mystery. The theory is that he had planned to unlock the door of his cell, then use the iron from the bedstead upon the keeper and turnkey and make his escape.

While the search of the cell was being made Clawson stood by, sullen and ugly, and when, upon the discovery of the steel blade, the remark was made, "Your fun in this line is at an end," his reply was: "What's the difference? I'm already sentenced to die and they can't stretch my neck but once."

Counsel for Clawson have been circulating a petition to secure his pardon.

The death watch was placed over Clawson at once, after his sentence, one deputy sheriff guarding him in the day time and another at night. No person outside of the jail officials has since been allowed to see him, with the exception of members of his family and his lawyers. To all of them he talks in a flippant, careless way, and declares that he is ready to hang at any time. He makes no effort to deny his guilt, nor does he seek to mitigate his crime in any way, except to reiterate what he said while on the witness stand, that "something told him to do it, because Hodgetts talked about my mother."

He also admitted that after killing Hodgetts he had intended proceeding on his bicycle to Bernardsville, five miles distant, to kill Railroad Station Agent Abel for the same reason. Clawson was captured before he could carry out his plan.

William Steele, of the Somerville firm of Steele & Mehan, who defended Clawson, expresses his belief that the prisoner is insane.

Mr. Steele added that a petition will be presented to the Board of Pardons at Trenton asking for a commutation of his sentence to life imprisonment.

If Clawson is hanged on December 16, his will be the first legal execution which has taken place in the county since the year 1787, when a negro was hanged at Somerville for having set fire to a barn.

NO NEW TRIAL FOR JOHNSON.

The Colored Preacher Who Murdered for $48 Must Suffer the Penalty.

The State Supreme Court yesterday affirmed the conviction of Jacob Johnson, a colored minister, of the murder of Annie Rogers, colored, at Somerville.

The body of Annie Rogers, a young mulatto woman, it will be remembered was found murdered in a lonely spot near Somerville on the morning of September 14th, 1895. She had been strangled to death.

The murdered woman was last seen alive in his company the night before the body was found. He had accompanied her to Neshanic, where the woman received $48 from Calvin Corle, who had collected it for her on a note. It was to obtain possession of this money that Johnson committed the crime.

Although suspicion was directed toward Johnson from the first, he had an opportunity of destroying many evidences of his guilt before he was arrested. He was convicted of murder in the first degree on January 11th last.

A Valuable Work.

From Mr. W. D. W. Miller and from Mr. Isaac L. Miller, the Public Library has received the valuable work entitled "Picturesque America, or the Land We Live in," edited by William Cullen Bryant. The work is illustrated with many steel plates and engravings and will form a valuable addition to the library's collection of books relating to this country.

THE LATEST FIGURES

A Number of Electoral Votes Still in Dispute.

RESULT IN KENTUCKY IS VERY CLOSE

Official Count May Be Necessary To Decide---North Dakota and Wyoming Also Very Close, But Republicans Claim the Latter.

New York, Nov. 6.—The election returns to-day indicate that McKinley is certain of 257 electoral votes, with 7 more votes, the Dakotas, considered safe for him. In Kentucky the official count will be needed to decide. Wyoming is still in the doubtful column with Kentucky. It is claimed that the republicans have carried Tennessee. California and Indiana are safe for McKinley with good pluralities. It is believed that McKinley has carried all the doubtful states. The electoral vote as it now stands follows:

Electoral Vote.

	McKinley	Bryan
Alabama		11
Arkansas		8
California	9	
Colorado		4
Delaware	3	
Florida		4
Georgia		13
Idaho		3
Illinois	24	
Indiana	15	
Iowa	13	
Kansas		10
Louisiana		8
Maryland	8	
Michigan	14	
Minnesota	9	
Missouri		17
Mississippi		9
Montana		3
New England	39	
New York	36	
New Jersey	10	
North Carolina		11
Nebraska		8
Nevada		3
Ohio	23	
Oregon	4	
Pennsylvania	32	
South Carolina		9
Texas		15
Tennessee		12
Utah		3
Virginia		12
Wisconsin	12	
West Virginia	6	
Washington		4
Totals	257	167

Doubtful States.

North Dakota	3
South Dakota	4
Kentucky	13
Wyoming	3

The Situation in Wyoming.

Canton, O., Nov. 6.—Senator F. E. Warren of Wyoming telegraphs from Cheyenne, as follows: "The republican national and state tickets have carried eight counties, the democratic national and state tickets four counties, one county not heard from, but it is certainly republican. We have elected one elector and supreme judge. Two electors and a congressman in doubt, with chances in favor of republicans."

Complexion of Connecticut Legislature.

Hartford, Nov. 6.—The voting-off of the ties for representatives in both Marlborough and Branford makes the Connecticut house of representatives stand 221 republicans to 33 democrats. Mr. Griswold, representative from Bethlehem, heretofore classed as a republican, is a democrat. The senate being solidly republican, 24, the republican majority on joint ballot will be 212.

People's Party Headquarters Closed.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Chairman Washburn closed the Chicago headquarters of the people's party national committee last night and departed for his home to-day. In about ten days he will go to Washington to confer with Senators Jones and Butler in regard to the future policy of the allied silver forces.

Indiana's Vote Complete.

Indianapolis, Nov. 6.—Returns from all counties in Indiana show McKinley's majority to be 22,145. Republicans elect 53 members of the house; democrats elect 47. The senate stands 34 republicans and 16 democrats. The congressional delegation will be 8 republicans and 4 democrats. One is still in doubt this morning.

McKinley's Advices from Tennessee.

Canton, O., Nov. 6.—Advices from Tennessee received this morning indicate that the state may give McKinley a small plurality. William A. Rule of Knoxville wires that east Tennessee will give a plurality of 37,000 for McKinley and Hobart.

Breckinridge Will Contest the Election.

Louisville, Nov. 6.—Information was given out at republican headquarters this morning that Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge will contest the election of E. Settle, free silver democrat, as congressman from the Seventh district on the ground of fraud.

Gov. Black's Inauguration.

Troy, N. Y., Nov. 6.—The Troy Citizens' corps (Sixth Separate company, N. G., S. N. Y.) has tendered its services to Governor-elect Black as military escort at his inauguration.

Carlisle Urged for Senator.

Louisville, Nov. 6.—Carlisle is being pushed for United States senator despite the fact that the republicans have seventy votes, or enough to elect on joint ballot of the legislature.

New York City's Vote for President.

New York, Nov. 6.—The complete vote of the city for president is: McKinley, 154,565; Bryan, 134,772; Palmer, 5,634. McKinley's plurality, 19,733.

Vote for Governor in New York.

Albany, Nov. 6.—The total vote for governor in New York state follows: Black, 780,509; Porter, 571,830; Griffin 22,196. Plurality for Black, 208,679.

KENTUCKY'S VOTE.

Official Count Necessary To Determine Its Standing.

Louisville, Nov. 6.—Both sides continue to claim Kentucky this morning. The republicans give figures, but Secretary Richardson of the silver democratic committee declines to give out any information in the possession of his committee except to make the statement that Bryan has carried the state. Chairman Roberts of the republican committee says that McKinley has carried Kentucky by at least 600, and cannot be counted out. The Times gives McKinley the state by 478 plurality. It will take the official count to determine the result.

Election Irregularities at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Nov. 6.—An examination of the returns of the First assembly district was made and it was found that a large number of votes are unaccounted for. An application will be made to the supreme court by P. J. McDonnell, rep., the defeated candidate, for permission to count the ballots of this district. It was carried by Cornelius Coughlin, dem., by 77 plurality. In the Fourth and Fifth districts similar action will be taken by John C. Mohring and Henry Streifler, dem., who were beaten by very small pluralities by William Schneider and Charles Braun, republicans.

Latest Estimate in North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6.—Bryan carries North Carolina by 15,000, according to the official statement made at democratic state headquarters. The republican state chairman concedes his victory, but declares the majority is only 6,000. The republican state chairman announces the following as congressional majorities: Skinner, pop., 2,000; White (colored), rep, 3,000; Fowler, pop., 2,500; Stoud, pop., 4,200; Kitchen, dem., 840; Martin, pop., nearly 2,000. Shuford, pop., over 4,000; Linney, rep., 2,600; Pearson, rep., 1,400. He also announces that Russell, rep., is elected governor by 12,000 plurality.

Very Close in South Dakota.

Pierre, S. D., Nov. 6.—Both democrats and republicans are much excited to-day over the closeness of the returns, and charges and countercharges of fraud are freely made. At Fort Pierre a number of arrests were made, and twenty more are to follow. The situation is one of extreme tension. It is now conceded that whichever way the election goes the plurality will not exceed 600 or 700. The republicans are gaining slightly, and assurances are repeated that McKinley will get the state by a small majority.

Ocean Record Broken.

Quebec, Nov. 6.—The new steamer Canada of the Dominion line arrived here yesterday, beating all previous records to the St. Lawrence. The Canada made the passage from Liverpool to Quebec in 5 days, 23 hours and 30 minutes, corrected time. She was detained somewhat by fog between Father Point and this port.

Death of Capt. F. E. Pierce.

Washington, Nov. 6.—The war department has been informed of the death at the Presidio, California, of Capt. Francis E. Pierce, First infantry He was a native of New York and commanded the 108th New York infantry in 1862, rising to the rank of brigadier-general, being brevetted for gallant services during the war.

Capt. Marriott Released.

London, Nov. 6.—A dispatch from Smyrna says that Capt. John Marriott of the Norfolk regiment of England, who was capured by brigands a few days ago while out shooting near Smyrna, has been released. The brigands demanded £10,000 ransom for his surrender, but it is not stated whether the money was paid or not.

Founder's Day at Carnegie Library.

Pittsburg, Nov. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie were present yesterday as special guests of honor at the ceremonies attending founder's day at the Pittsburg Carnegie library. They held a reception in the art gallery, where everybody was welcomed. Mr. Carnegie will remain in Pittsburg until Monday.

Removed from Office.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Attorney-General Harmon has removed James H. Couch, assistant United States district-attorney for West Virginia. Mr. Couch was an unsuccessful candidate for office in the recent election in that state and declined to resign his official position or relinquish his candidacy.

Cheering News for 2,500 Workmen.

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.—King, Gilbert & Warner, proprietors of a large steel making plant have notified their employes that the plant will be put in operation in a few days. Several departments started yesterday. They will employ about 2,500 men. The plant has been idle nearly all this year.

Wages Increased.

Louisville, Nov. 6.—The Louisville Chair works, employing 125 men, have increased wages 10 per cent. The Ohio Falls Car works of Jeffersonville, Ind., employing 2,500 men have a contract for 2,000 cars contingent on the result of the election and the plant will start up in a few days.

Fire Caused by Lightning.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 6.—A fire which originated from a stroke of lightning, completely destroyed the large storehouse and lumber sheds of J. H. Feroe at Tivoli dock late last evening. The whole town was at one time threatened. The loss is heavy.

Fears for Safety of an Overdue Schooner

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 6.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of British schooner Iona, which left Apple River, N. S., on Oct. 11 for New Haven, with a cargo of grindstones, and since which time nothing has been heard of the vessel or her crew.

PROVES TO BE A PUG.

Polite Girl Gives Up Her Seat to a Supposedly Baby-Laden Woman.

The in-bound Clark street cable train was crowded. Every seat was taken and many men were compelled to stand, when at one of the crossings a lady entered the car bearing in her arms a burden of her special care and attention. Wrapped in a soft warm shawl she carefully carried it, protected and safe from the raw, chilly air. Although restless and moving its tiny head from side to side, she watchfully held the shawl over its head. She walked to the center of the car, and, seeing no vacant seat, took one of the straps. The men kept industriously reading their papers, says the Chicago Chronicle.

"These gentlemen can keep their seats," said a young woman as she arose and proffered her seat to the woman with the burden. The car gave a sudden lurch forward as the woman accepted the offered seat with a "Thank you," the shawl became loosened, and, eluding her grasp, the little object freed itself from the folds.

The men tittered and the polite young woman, looking around for the cause of the unwonted mirth, beheld on the woman's lap, not a baby as she supposed, but a very frisky and bright-eyed pug dog.

WHAT TO SAY.

A List of Remarks to Make About the New Baby.

One is always expected to say something when looking for the first time on a new baby, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, and as it is neither kind nor safe to tell the truth and say that the little red, podgy creature doesn't look like anything, we give a list of unpatented and uncopyrighted remarks to be used on such occasions:

"Isn't he sweet? He looks like you!"

"I think he's going to look like his father!"

"Hasn't he dear little fingers? Do let me see his dear little toes!"

"Isn't he large!"

"Isn't he a tiny darling!"

"How bright he seems!"

"Did you ever see such a sweet little mouth?"

"Isn't he just too sweet for anything!"

"The dear little darling! I never saw so young a baby look so intelligent!"

"Do, please, let me hold him just a minute!"

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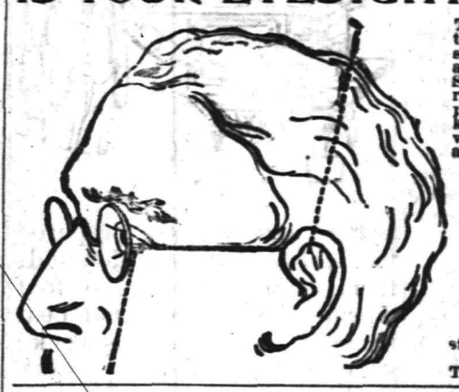

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ELECTRIC STROKE.

Affects Workmen as Does Fierce Sun Heat.

One of the most extraordinary modern diseases is a peculiar affection, most aptly termed electric stroke, which not infrequently befalls workmen employed in melting metals by means of electricity. It appears from observations made at the great steel and iron works at Cruzot, says the Boston Journal, that the intense voltage are between the carbon and the metal to be melted emits rays which, even at the distance of ten meters, produce a painful, hot, pricking sensation, like that of a burn, on such uncovered portions of the body as the throat, face, and more especially the forehead.

The skin of the parts affected becomes either copper-colored or assumes a bronze hue; the eyes, in spite of black glasses, are so intensely dazzled as to be useless for some minutes, after which xanthopsia (yellow vision) sets in, everything appearing saffron-colored, the conjunctive are inflamed, and there is a gritty feeling, as of sand under the eyelids. There is frequently great pain, accompanied often by sleeplessness, and in some instances fever.

After a few days these symptoms subside and the skin of the affected parts peels and the patient is restored to health.

Now, the remarkable thing about all this is that very little heat is radiated from the electric arc used; all the trouble arises from the light rays, and, although it has not yet been experimentally proved, there can be little doubt that the blue and violet—that is, the chemical—rays are to blame.

UNIVERSAL COLLECTING MANIA.

Head of the House at Last Succumbs to the Disease.

"For heaven's sake," he cried, relates the Chicago Times-Herald, "I never saw anything like this collecting mania."

"It's a very instructive amusement."

"Yes, maybe, but not for me. There's my daughter Agnes, she's collecting buttons and asks me every day to go around to the headquarters to get her some, and I must buy of every street fakir I pass or she doesn't like it. There's my daughter Lucy, she goes over all of my letters and cuts off the monograms, destroying them. I don't like her to do it, but I can't stop it. She says some infernal nonsense about it being 'all the rage.' Then my son Tom is just as bad. He asks me for postage stamps and cuts them off the letters before I read them in the morning. And they are always having something new to collect. Every member of my family is a collector."

"How about your wife?"

"Oh, she's worse than any of them. She says she is collecting coins and makes it an excuse for going through my pockets every time. She calls it being a numismatist. I think it should be called kleptomania." Just then a man with a bill entered the office.

"I am," he began, "a collector for—"

"Confound you, then, get," cried the infuriated man; "I am a collector myself. I am trying to collect my senses."

An Old City.

Toulouse is the chief city of Gascony. Its authentic record is older than Paris can attest. It was a metropolis before Christ was dreamed of; the Caesars were sheltered within its walls; Charlemagne so esteemed the town 800 years after Christ that he left it as the crown jewel of the inheritance of his heir; its possession was the cause of fierce and vengeful wars; about its devoted walls the soldiery of the "Albigenses reformation," which anticipated Luther's revolt, waged their desperate and hopeless warfare in defense of their homes and their faith, besides giving a line of princes to the thrones of France and the Roman empire.

A Queer Happening.

Among the thousands of telegrams received by the duke and duchess of York upon the birth of the young prince was one from the captain and crew of the Faraday, which was, at that moment, in the middle of the Atlantic, engaged in laying a new cable to America. The end of the cable on board was attached to a signaling instrument, and by this they had received the news of the birth of an heir to the throne.

FLOODED WITH GOLD

Storage Vaults of the Different Sub-Treasuries Overtaxed.

PEOPLE BRING OUT THEIR HOARDINGS

Many Factories and Mills Resume Operations or Increase Their Present Force---Unmistakeable Symptoms of a Big Business Boom.

Washington, Nov. 6.—More gold is pouring into several of the sub-treasury offices than the officals have storage capacity for or have the legal tender currency to give in exchange. This is notably the case in Boston. This gold has been brought out of safe deposit vaults by the owners who have been paying storage charges upon it. Baltimore and New York also have large deposits of gold. In respect to gold deposits, the treasury department has sent out this letter to the nine assistant treasurers: "Referring to the instructions communicated to you by my letter of November 23, 1895, authorizing you to receive gold coin in exchange for paper currency, I have to say that the department desires to be informed in advance of any large transactions, in order that steps may be taken to accommodate the depositors if the stock of notes and silver certificates available in the cash of this office will admit of the exchange being made. The payment of express charges by the government on remittances of gold to the offices of the treasury and on the currency returned therefor will be discontinued. Gold coin below the least current weight will be received, as heretofore, in exchange for paper currency under the regulations now in force."

GREAT DAY FOR IRONTON.

Formal Opening of the Niagara Foundry the Occasion of a Big Demonstration.

North Tonawanda, N. Y., Nov. 6.—One of the biggest demonstrations ever witnessed in Niagara county took place here yesterday afternoon, when the Niagara Iron foundey at Ironton was formally opened and 300 additional men given employment at the new plant. The event marks the beginning of an era of prosperity here and it was fittingly celebrated. At 2:30 o'clock a procession was formed at Main and Foundry streets, and, preceded by a brass band, marched to the iron works. There the furnaces had been prepared for lighting, and promptly at 3 o'clock President-elect McKinley touched a button in his house at Canton and the electric wire connecting it with the furnace emitted a spark which ignited the inflammable material and the new blast furnaces were put in operation. A telephone message was sent to the Northside Water works, where a signal was given by a steam whistle, and so on every whistle and fire alarm gong in the city rang out the glad tidings. The day was observed as a holiday.

Resumptions in Indiana.

Anderson, Ind., Nov. 6.—The Arcade File comany's plant has been idle for some time, but the company to-day announced that it will resume operations in full next Monday. The National Tinplate company says that it had orders conditional on the election sufficient to keep it busy many months. The Anderson Iron & Bolt company put all its men to work yesterday. The American Wire Nail company, the largest in the trust, will start its mill next week. The Columbia Encaustic Tile company reports that its forces will be increased. The window and plate glass factories are preparing to start. Reports from other gas-belt cities are the same.

Big Hardware Factory Resumes.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 6.—The hardware manufactory of the Sargents in this city has started up on full time and with a full force. The factory, which employs about 2,500 hands, is the largest in the city, if not in the state. It was established by Joseph B. Sargent, candidate for governor on the democratic ticket at Tuesday's election, and he has continued as its leading spirit. The action of the Sargents in starting up their factory is attributed to confidence in returning prosperity.

Trade Resumption at Syracuse.

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 6.—A number of manufacturing plants which have been either idle or have been running short handed have started up this week. Among the establishments which have added largely to their forces are the Solway Process company, the Whitman-Barnes company, the Sanderson Steel works, the Syracuse Cycle company, the Barnes Cycle company, E. C. Stearns & Co. and Frazer & Barnes. The Syracuse Cycle company is now running night and day.

Iron and Steel Trade.

Pittsburg, Nov. 6.—The American Manufacturer in its edition to-day will say concerning the iron and steel outlook: "The result of the election this week has given renewed confidence to the iron and steel trade, but it is too soon to note any change in the market. Our reports from Philadelphia and New York shops that while the market was feverish there was little business transacted. The west shows up better. Chicago reports quite an active week.

New Steel Furnace Put in Blast.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6.—The North Carolina Steel & Iron company's furnace at Greensboro was this morning put in blast for the first time. Ore for its use comes from nearby mines.

Employment for 150 Men.

Dowagiac, Mich., Nov. 6.—The Dowagiac Manufacturing company's drill works will start up Monday morning. They employ 150 men.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Saturday; Cooler Tonight; Warmer Saturday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 58 Degrees.

IS HE A DEMAGOGUE?

With boastful words Editor Frank W. Runyon prates of his honesty and outspokenness in matters of public policy. The essential quality needed to prove the honesty of a man is a conformation of his deeds with his words. Words avail nothing; acts prove everything.

Last Saturday, three days before election, The Press asked Editor Runyon three simple questions. They applied to the question of whether Editor Runyon is a demagogue or a consistent man. He has had six days in which to answer the queries, yet not a word has he written in reply.

Under the circumstances the only natural conclusion to be formed is that he is a demagogue—that is, he is preaching a principle that he does not practice.

The questions are here propounded again:

Does Mr. Runyon believe that the payment of $2.50 per week for typesetters is the conception of fair wages as intended by the Republican platform?

Does Mr. Runyon believe that a typesetter receiving $2.50 per week should be "docked" at the rate of $12 a week for lost time?

Does Mr. Runyon believe that an era of prosperity and good wages can come to the laboring masses of this country when girls are compelled to work in newspaper composing rooms for one month without pay, and then are compensated at the rate of seventy-five cents per week?

These are simple questions. If Editor Runyon can answer them with truthfulness and consistency The Press and an inquisitive public will be highly gratified.

Gov. Griggs yesterday appointed George T. Wurtz, editor of the Paterson Press, as state commissioner of banking and insurance, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Geo. S. Duryea. The term expires next February, when Mr. Wurtz will undoubtedly be appointed for the full term of three years. The office pays $4,000 per year.

The following is the comparative Congressional pluralities of 1896 and 1894 in New Jersey:

Dist.	1896.	1894.
1. Henry C. Loudenschlager	13,800	12,380
2. John J. Gardner	8,600	9,741
3. Benj. F. Howell	10,000	3,976
4. Mahlon Pitney	3,600	1,807
5. James F. Stewart	10,150	5,972
6. R. Wayne Parker	15,477	8,473
7. Thomas McEwan, Jr.	4,954	293
8. Chas. N. Fowler	11,138	6,236
Totals	77,719	48,479

Now that the National election is ended Plainfield is already to jump into the excitement of a municipal contest next month. Though no plans seem formulated as yet, the election is likely to be a hot one.

The message of congratulation sent by William J. Bryan to President-elect McKinley was a clever and commendable act.

MR. MARTINE ON THE RESULT.

Addresses Words of Encouragement to the Defeated Ones.

To the Democrats of the City of Plainfield—The contest between the classes and masses has been fought and the Democracy has been outvoted—not crushed nor annihilated. Democrats, the principle for which we contended—Bimetalism—is as old as the Constitution of our country; its success meant better prices in wages for the toiling masses and increased prices for the products of humanity. Wealth, syndicates and plutocracy were an unequal foe for us, but our thoughts shall yet prevail. As President of the Democratic Association of Plainfield let me thank true Democrats for their steadfastness.

J. E. Martine,
Pres. Dem. Asso.

—Tomorrow "only," Saturday, November 7th, VanEmburgh will sell three hundred men's winter shirts and drawers at the ridiculous low price of 23 cents. Now is your time. Don't miss it.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

City Judge DeMeza was in Jersey City on business yesterday.

Miss Charlotte Cave, of Sandford avenue, has been ill at her home.

Thomas Davenport, of New York, called on friends in town yesterday.

John H. Doane, of LaGrande avenue, was detained at home yesterday by illness.

Miss Frankie Demarest, of Park avenue, has returned from a visit at Bolton, Mass.

Howard Martin, of Sandford avenue, has been visiting relatives at Fairlawn, N. J.

Mrs. A. J. Moore, of Westervelt avenue, has entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. and Miss Hellwig have moved to 152 East Fifth street, above Hebard's drug store.

Miss Lottie Ryno, of Dunellen, is visiting her aunt on West Second street for a few days.

Jed Smalley, of Craig place, attended the wedding of a friend in Brooklyn Wednesday night.

Miss Addie Lewis, of Grove street, entertained a few friends at her home on Wednesday evening.

Although Sergeant Kiely has not entirely recovered from his recent illness he is able to go out occasionally.

Miss Grace Lyons, of East Orange, has returned to her home after spending a few days with Plainfield friends.

Miss Bloomer, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Lillian T. Glenn, of Craig place, has returned home.

C. M. Fine, of this city, attended the funeral of his brother, which was held at Lebanon, Hunterdon county, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs Edward Sebring and daughter, Edna, of Monticello, N. Y., are visiting at the home of John H. Carney, on Craig place.

Franklin P. Noble, of Mendham, returned home today after a visit at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. F. T. Ketcham, of East Fifth street.

William Shotwell, delegate to the State Synod from the First Presbyterian church, read his report at the church prayer meeting on Wednesday night.

Miss Underwood and Miss Sheean, of Canton, O., are guests of Mrs. E. D. Barrett, of East Fifth street. They are neighbors of President-elect McKinley.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Boss, of Central avenue, went to Lebanon yesterday to visit relatives. Today Mr. Boss left on an extended southern business trip.

H. N. Spencer, Dr. J. H. Cooley and J. A. Smith have gone to Virginia on a two-weeks hunting trip. They will live in a house boat and enjoy life in a masterly manner.

Freeman Shotwell, of the borough, Edward Petrie, of East Sixth street, and Herbert Martin, of Sandford avenue, spent Election Day in Elizabeth and took part in the celebration there that night.

THEATRICAL.

It is a pleasure to see any play that is correctly dressed. This is why the "Kennedy Players" have been so successful during the past three seasons. H. Brooks Hooper, the manager of Mr. John J. Kennedy and the Kennedy players, has costumed every drama and comedy that will be presented at the Academy of Music all next week in the same gorgeous manner as any one night or high price company would dress the characters. When you take into consideration that this organization presents eight different plays during their engagement in our town, giving an entire change of programme.—Exchange.

"Lost, Strayed or Stolen" at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York, has settled into a run and a succession of audiences that tests the capacity of the theatre. "Lost, Strayed or Stolen" is undoubtedly J. Cheever Goodwin and Woolson Morse's ablest work. It is full of catchy music, sparkling comedy and strictly original business, and it is rendered by a company of clever comedians and remarkably pretty girls. The numerical strength of the organization presenting this work is about seventy-five artists, and include Louis Harrison, Joseph Herbert, M.A. Kennedy, Cyril Scott, Claude Brooke, Henry Bergman, Miss Georgia Caine, Fannie Buckley, Rose Beaudet, Florence Thornton, Caroline Leign, Irene Verona, Sue Meade, Emma Janvier and a male and female chorus. The scene of the comedy is laid in Paris, and in speaking of the action and production, Vance Thompson, the well known critic, says: "It is Paris. A great success and moral."

—Harness thieves seem to have shifted their field of operation from Westfield to Cranford. The barn of William Ludlow was broken into and two sets of harness stolen last night.

Many lives of usefulness have been cut short by neglect to break up an ordinary cold. Pneumonia, bronchitis and even consumption can be averted by the the prompt use of One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

IN GERMAN AND ENGLISH

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH PRESENT TO LAUCHABLE FARCES.

Recitations, Music and a Monologue by John Carney Made up the Ladies Aid Society's Pleasing Social Affair.

The Ladies Aid Society of the GermanReformed church gave a pleasing entertainment in the Sunday school room of the church last night. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Hauser, with a few appropriate words welcomed all to the church and hoped that each one would thoroughly enjoy themselves. The first number on the programme was a recitation by Miss Lizzie Hoagland, entitled "Learning to Skate." This was followed with a farce in one act, entitled "He Must be Deaf." Those who took the parts were: Father, A. Wolf; Freda, his daughter, Mrs. Goller; Butler, Paul Postler; Hunter, G. O. Kellar; constable, Fred Mentzenback. The sketch was given in German and was well received. The vocal solo by Chas. Dresselt won hearty applause. Another sketch, "The Cowboy Cousin or Don't Judge by the Hat," in three acts, was given in English by the following:

Husband Theodore Martin; his wife, Mrs. Bach; Anna Belle, the daughter, Miss Mamie Wilson; the niece, Miss Anna Doeringer; cowboy, Fred Bach.

The parts were all well taken and the entire sketch won commendation. A recitation by Miss Lizzie Hoagland given in a most excellent manner, preceded the appearance of John H. Carney who captured the audience by storm. Although "Jack" has been before the public in this locality for nineteen years, he has lost none of his good tricks and he has just the same ability to making his audience laugh as when he first started in. Last evening he reviewed a little history of recent date and when he stated that Mrs. McKinley, being jealous, was going to secure a divorce because her husband was too intimate with Hanna, the audience went wild with applause. As an encore he gave "The Bicycle, Pug Dog and Bloomers," This concluded the programme and Rev. Mr. Hauser then announced the results of the several contests among those who have been collecting money to pay off the church debt. Miss Anna Doeringer brought in the largest amount, $185 and received a costly gold watch. Miss Lucy Caspar and Miss SadieBlimm were awarded rings as second and third prizes. For the women, Mrs. Mentzenback secured first prize, a handsome lemonade set. Among the girls, Florence Wolf and Minnie Freiz, were given hats, while Karl Hauser was presented with building blocks and Willie Bechtle with a tool chest. Each brought in gratifying amounts to pay off the debt.

Y. M. C. A. Directors Meet.

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors was held last evening with the following officers and directors present: William D. Murray, E. L Bonny, A. B. Beers, H. O. Newman, George H. Batchelor, Stephen Cahoone, George R. Cornwell, A. C. La Boyteaux, Nelson Runyon and George A. Strong. Written reports were received from various committees, as well as from the treasurer, general secretary, assistant secretary and physical director. A. B. Clemens, secretary for Educational Work of the State Y. M. C. A., gave a very interesting address on "Educational Work" and exhibited charts, which showed the importance of this branch of Association work. The secretary was authorized to convey to John Lindsay the appreciation of the Board for his faithful services as janitor of the Association.

—All persons who intend to celebrate the sound money victory on Saturday will find an assortment of red fire, lanterns, flags, etc., at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Eleven dooryard gates were found in Boice's apple orchard a night or two ago. They were stolen from dooryards in the immediate vicinity and piled up there in a heap.

—A regular meeting of the local branch of the New Jersey State Game and Fish Protection Society will be held in Frank Day's office, on Monday evening next. All the members are requested to be present, as at that that time explanations and questions will be given and answered concerning the hunting on the club's grounds.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong druggist.

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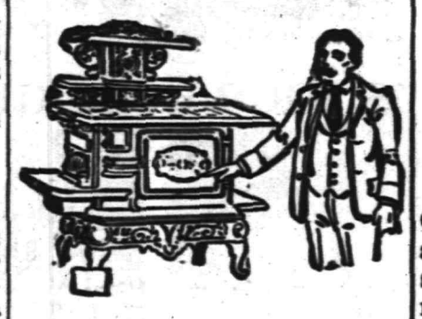

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Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Mrs. Watson Emery arrived home from her New York visit yesterday.

Mrs. G. Earl, of New York, will today move in the Hardingham house.

Miss Sadie Barrett, of Rockview Farm, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

The case of Haley against Lyons, on contract, will be tried in Justice Storms' court tomorrow.

Justice Storms leaves on Monday for Mexico, to visit his son. He expects to be absent nine months.

John Huff captured a lizzard in his dooryard yesterday morning, which measured nearly four inches from "tip to tip."

The Washington Avenue Card Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Jessie Haynes for an evening of progressive euchre.

A force of railroad laborers have been at work for a day or two leveling off a part of the low swamp land opposite the depot and grading about the tracks recently laid thereon.

Some of the enthusiastic Republicans here are talking strongly of holding a "sheep roast" within the next ten days. The word "sheep" has been substituted for "ox," because the latter is considered out of place just now.

Butcher W. R. Hetfield was cutting meat in his wagon, near New Market, yesterday afternoon, when he accidentally sliced off a section from a finger on his left hand. The wound is painful, though not dangerous.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sampson, of New Market road, entertained the school teachers and friends on Tuesday night. An evening of unalloyed pleasure was enjoyed by all present and appetizing refreshments were served.

Some mean person administered a dose of Paris green or some other poison equally as effective to Mrs. Charles Richardson's valuable dog, Wednesday night, but the dog still lives. The animal is a good one, both for hunting and with children, and in the latter instance is far more attentive to children than a half dozen nurses would be.

Dunellen is proud to have included among its citizens Conductor Charles Dodwell who runs the 8:15 a. m. express train from here, with club car attachments. "Charley," as he is familiarly called, is one of the most popular conductors on the road and when he arrives here at 6:40 each evening, his first and main desire is to report to and be with his family.

Frank Stites and his brother, Cyrus, came within an ace of being swept from the Maier building yesterday morning. They went on the roof to haul in the Republican banner when a genuine northeast gale of wind sent them scurrying through space and had it not been for their catching hold of the guy-ropes they would have, in all probability, been blown from the roof.

People getting off the street cars at the Dunellen end of the line, especially in stormy weather, have to wallow through mud ankle-deep. There is not even a crosswalk, to say nothing of the poor grading and the pools of water, standing there all the time, into which the unwary traveler steps and then speaks disrespectful of the Board of Borough Commissioners for tolerating the nuisance.

Burglars are plying their occupation here. Wednesday night they tried to force an entrance into Neil Scott's wine rooms and would have succeeded, undoubtedly, had not Mr. Scott been awakened by the breaking of a pane of glass in a side window. Mr. Scott rushed out to see two men running away in the darkness, but his only articles for warfare at hand were some beer bottles, which he hurled at the intruders. One of the men he struck with a bottle, but the fellow did not stop to exchange cards.

Miss Lottie Taylor is visiting her aunt in Bayonne.

Mrs. J. B. Sproul, of Jersey City, returned home Wednesday after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jennings are just now receiving the congratulations of their friends. It's a son, and was a day old yesterday.

Charles Vanderbilt, of New York, paid a flying visit to friends in the borough yesterday, returning to the city on an evening train.

Miss Maud Wilcox, of Front street, who has been visiting friends in Westfield, returned home yesterday.

Brakeman A. F. Warden will leave for Pennsylvania early next week for a few days hunting. "Gus" is a member of the Middlesex Gun Club.

Up to 6 o'clock last evening, an hour after dark, Dunellen was again in its lethargical state. Not a street light was burning, and people on their way to and from the postoffice and stores had to grope around in the darkness.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Turton & Co. have on hand a full line of green vegetebles, fruits and canned goods.

The Misses Maggie and Sadie Lee have gone for a carriage drive to Raritan today.

Judge Clark has issued summons in the case of Turton against Reed, on contract. The papers are returnable Nov. 13th.

The sidewalks in the Plains are in a most deplorable condition. Last night an aged woman with an armful of groceries, stumbled and fell on one of the uneven walks and her groceries were ruined.

An employe of S. C. Odell, of No. 219 West Forty-sixth street, New York city, was in town this week looking for a horse and buggy that had been stolen from the stable. The rig was finally located in Freehold, where the thief was arrested.

On complaint of John Miller, four young men of this place, all of respectable parentage, have been summoned to appear before Judge Clark this evening at 7 o'clock, to answer to the charge of malicious mischief. The main charge is for throwing stones and breaking windows.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Union County Farmers' Institute will be held in Westfield on December 16th.

—The official board of Grace M. E. church will probably hold a meeting at an early date.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will meet this evening and consider some important matters.

—At the next meeting of Unity Lodge, K. of P., Walter Linbarger, of the borough, will take the first degree.

—Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, has been presented with a very handsome chart by Wm. Hamilton, a member of the council.

—James M. Fink, inspector of county roads, reports that the repairs on the roads in the county have been about completed for this year.

—Rev. C. E. Herring will give the first of his illustrated lectures on his trip abroad, Tuesday evening, November 24th, in the First Presbyterian church.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Many political speakers, clergyman singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and larnyxitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financialy able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinan, & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

BITS OF BRIEF NEWS

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—The Alert Hose Company met last evening and transacted routine business.

—Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will hold its regular meeting this evening.

—Dr. James M. Whiton, of The Outlook, will preach in All Souls church on Sunday morning.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will give a sociable this evening.

—The Women's Association of the Congregational church held a regular meeting yesterday afternoon.

—The Plainfield Cornet Band has been secured by the Republicans for their Saturday night demonstration.

—Crane & Clark, hatters, have something to say about seasonable goods they are offering at 120 West Front street.

—A harvest-home supper will be given by the ladies of Grace church, in the guild room, this afternoon from 4 to 10.

—A. V. Lunger, of Somerset street, has removed his business to the store at the corner of Fourth and Liberty streets.

F. W. Bird, of East Front street, has gone to Wilmington, N. C., for a few week's business trip. He left town yesterday.

—There is only one thing wrong with Edward Love's wall paper and that is the price—it's only half as large as it should be.

—The Plainfield members of the New Jersey Naval Reserve will be present at a drill on the Portsmouth, at Hoboken, Monday night.

—A very excellent likeness, in charcoal, of A. M. Griffen, of Prospect place, has been submitted for approval by Julian Scott, the artist.

—The members of Plainfield Conclave, No. 58½, Ancient Order of Adhesive Mogullians, will bray for admittance at their meeting this evening.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the German Reformed Church are arranging an elaborate entertainment which will be held about the middle of January.

—Chas. Lewis, bass of the Crescent Avenue church choir, is now teaching singing in the Plainfield public schools, in the position formerly held by T. E. Hazell.

—John King, a local drummer, and Drum Major Galbraith, of this city, went to Westfield last evening to assist in training the Lincoln Drum Corps of that place.

—The ladies of the Church of the Redeemer will hold a cake sale at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Faber, Jr., 92 Mercer avenue, tomorrow morning from 11 to 1 o'clock.

—The pupils in the North Plainfield Public High School received their tickets yesterday for the school reception, which is to be held this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

—A big flock of black birds passed over the city from the south going north, early this morning. This is said by the older inhabitants to indicate and open winter and an Indian summer.

—Members of the evening class in the gymnasium will be graded according to percentage and assigned to a division, Saturday evening at 8.15. A leaders corps will be formed the same evening.

—This is the season for placing palms and plants for the winter. Garret Q. Packer, the West Front street furniture dealer, is showing an especially fine line of palm and jardeniere stands.

—The residences of Messrs. Terhune and Murphy, of Sandford avenue, were illuminated Wednesday evening in honor of the election of their neighbor, Assemblyman W. R. Codington, of Sandford avenue.

—A special meeting of Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., will be held tomorrow evening, when seven candidates will be received. Next Thursday evening the lodge will initiate thirteen candidates. The Grand Lodge officers will be present and the event will be a notable one.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

For Toilet BRUSHES for the body, for the Teeth, for the Hair, Brushes for the Clothing, and the AND BATH! hat we wear "Quite Pat." Brushes for this and Brushes for that. In fact, with us, Brushes are

Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. **T. S. ARMSTRONG,** THE APOTHECARY. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

—No. 2 Engine Company will hold a fair in Central Hall, Park and North avenues, December 14th to 20th.

—Tomorrow "only," Saturday, November 7th, VanEmburgh will sell three hundred men's winter shirts and drawers at the ridiculous low price of 23 cents. Now is your time. Don't miss it.

—A meeting of the managers of the Children's Home was held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday afternoon, when arrangements were completed for the lecture to be given in this city by Ian Maclaren.

—Tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the valuable property of the late Patrick and Mary Day, located on West Third street, will be disposed of at auction. This sale will afford a great chance for bargains. Terms will be made easy.

THE GUILD OF

The Church of the Redeemer

will hold a CAKE SALE at the residence of MRS. A. E. FABER, JR., 92 Mercer avenue, Saturday Morning, November 7, from 11 to 1 o'clock. 11 2t

Colored Fire,
Roman Candles,
McKinley Pictures,
Japanese Lanterns,
Festooning,
Flags—small sizes,
In stock.

R. C. RAND,
140 West Front street.

Sewing Machines Repaired!
RENTED AND SOLD. 225
Cash or Instalment. Music Hall.
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H. DeMott,
Undertaker and Embalmer,
59 Somerset st., Plainfield, N. J.
Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—A sober, industrious man, to collect and work insurance; $8.00 a week steady, with big commissions. Apply O. M. Pier, 8 to 9 a. m., 5 to 6 p. m., room 6, 221 Park avenue.

FOUND—A bicycle tool bag, containing air pump, oilcan, wrench, etc. Call Press office. 11 6 2

FOR SALE—House of five rooms with large lot. Price $1000, easy payments. Wm. D. Thickstun, 197 North avenue. 11 6 eod-tf

WANTED—A general housework girl, good cook, no washing. 97 Mercer avenue.

LOST—Silver watch and chatelaine on street. Reward at this office.

LOST—On Madison avenue, between Eighth and Ninth street, string of silver beads with cross. Return to 822 Madison avenue and receive reward. 11 5 2

TO RENT—Part of fine house, centrally located, all improvements. Address R. care Press. 11 5 3

FOR SALE—A $4,000 house, big lot, near station, only $250 cash required, balance $32.50 per month; opportunity of a lifetime. Address B., care Press. 11 5 2

FOR SALE or to let, No. 622 La Grande avenue, price $2100. Rent $14. Edward C. Mulford, broker. 11 5 tf

HOUSE to let, 416 East Fourth street. Inquire 407 New street. 11 4 6

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, one cheap work horse, and fine carriage. J. Emery, Stelle farm, Park avenue. 11 4 3

YOUNG man wants position in store or office. Best city references. Address E. C. W., 22 Norwood avenue. 11 4 4

FOR SALE—Good draught horse cheap. Thos. Mair, Leland ave. 10-31-6

TO RENT—Part of house; all improvements; rent low; 149 East Fifth street. 10 31 6

BOARD—Large rooms with board; terms moderate; 214 East Ninth street. 10 31 6

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 10 2 1m

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

HORSES boarded by the month. Terms reasonable. W. H. Rogers Washingtonville. 9 16tf

Plainfield's Busiest STORE.

You Spend Too Much Money

for your gloves. You would not spend so much if you bought the **"Kayser Patent Finger-Tipped" CASHMERE Gloves.** We GUARANTEE them best-fitting and warmest gloves made. Look in the hem, the name **"Kayser"** is in the genuine.

25c., 35c. and 50c.

No. 1, 2, 3, 4,
OF
The series of trade makers that
WHITE, OF PLAINFIELD
will offer you tomorrow only.
We guarantee every article worth double.

No. 1.
Ladies' fleeced lined vests and pants, 19c each.

No. 2.
Men's white heavy shirts and drawers, 19c each.

No. 3.
Ladies' fine hose, double sole and high spliced. 14c the pair.

No 4
Your choice of 25 pieces of 54 inch all wool fancy boucle cloth in colors and blacks. 49c the yard.

'Twill be to your interest to watch this space every day as we will offer certain lines of seasonable goods every day at business bringing prices.

Housefurnishing Department.

It is the push that keeps a moving—the best goods for the least money and courteous treatment to all is the marked rule of the busiest store in Plainfield.

Glassware.

Thin blown engraved tumblers 5c each	
Wine glasses	2c
Goblets	2½c
Tumblers	1½c
½ gal pitchers	19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles	9c

Granite Ware.

Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:

Wash basins	10c
Oval dish pans	48c
Cullenders	19c
Fry pans	29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans	19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots	43c

EDWARD WHITE.

OYSTERS BY THE QUART, 30 CENTS.
PRIMES, $1 AND $1,50 PER HUNDRED.
-AT ROGERS.-

New Restaurant
AT 146 NORTH AVENUE.
WILLIAM J. STEPHENSON
has added a restaurant department to his already established business as caterer where can be had a first-class dinner from 10:30 a. m. to 3 p. m. for 50c.
Competent Cooks and Polite Attendants
only employed. Open until 12 p. m.

BIG BARGAINS.

Outing Flannels, 8c. yard, worth 10c. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x2 1-2 yards, only $1.50. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x3 yards, only $1.75. Children's Natural Wool Underwear from 10c. up. Ladies' Rib and Flat Underwear, from 25c. up. Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, best in market for 50c. Men's White and Natural Wool Drawers, from 50c. to $1.50. Men's Canton Flannel Drawers, 50c. Men's Seamless 1-2 Hose, f-om 5c. pair up.

PUTNAM & DEGRAW.

WALL PAPER
SAMPLES FREE.

Cheaper than ever before. Over 100,000 rolls in stock. It will pay you to call and look over line. Beautiful bedroom papers 3 and 5 cents a roll. Our high grade "Specials" 10 cents and up. For this week only we will give a handsome delft blue Paper suitable for Dining rooms and bed chambers for 6c. a roll.

EDWARD LOVE, The New Jersey Wall Paper Jobber. North and Watchung avenues.

GIVES UP THE FIGHT

Mr. Bryan Concedes the Election of Major McKinley.

SENDS CONGRATULATIONS TO CANTON

"We Have Submitted the Issues to the American People and Their Will Is Law," He Says in His Dispatch.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Chairman Jones of the democratic national committee issued a bulletin last night giving up the fight and conceding McKinley's election.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 6.—Senator Jones telegraphed to Mr. Bryan last night that he had given up the fight. The message was handed to Mr. Bryan at his residence. To a United Associated Presses representative, who was present when the message was received, he said: "You may now announce that the election of McKinley is conceded." He then wrote the following dispatch: "Hon. William McKinley, Canton, O.: Senator Jones has just informed me that the returns indicate your election, and I hasten to extend my congratulations. We have submitted the issues to the American people and their will is law. WILLIAM J. BRYAN."

Mr. Bryan paused only during the writing to tell a humorous story apropos of a remark made by one of those about him. When he had finished he handed the dispatch to a messenger boy and then told another story. There appeared to be nothing forced about the pleasant manner of the young political leader. He seemed actually happy that the strain was over. Mr. Bryan said he did not care to say anything about the result of the election at present, but in response to a question as to whether he thought McKinley's election was a blow to the cause of bimetallism he responded: "The fight has just commenced."

NEW JAPANESE SHIPS.

One Each Awarded to the Cramps and the Union Iron Works.

Washington, Nov. 6.—It is announced that the Japanese government has finally closed contracts with the Cramp Shipbuilding company, Philadelphia, and the Union Iron works, San Francisco, for two steel cruisers similar in essential respects to the United States steamer Olympia, now flagship of the Asiatic station. Each firm will build one vessel, and their completion will be a race against time.

Floods at Kingston, N. Y.

Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 6.—A steady downpour of rain for twenty-four hours has raised the Esopus and Rondout creeks so that the water is many feet over their banks. At Higginsville and Mutton Hollow the water from the Esopus covers the roadways and the lowlands look like a vast sea. A dozen cows were drowned in the town of Ulster, and thousands of feet of lumber are being carried down the stream. At Ponckhokie the streets are covered with water and the residents are compelled to use rowboats to reach their homes.

Guy Fawke's Night at Portsmouth.

Portmouth, N. H., Nov. 6.—Guy Fawke's or pope night was celebrated in this city last night, as has been the custom for years. Bands of young people carrying jack o'lanterns made out of pumpkins and cigar boxes and having most hideous faces, paraded the streets. The youngsters were also equipped with tin horns and made plenty of noise. Portsmouth and Marblehead are said to be the only two places in the United States where the custom of celebrating the anniversary of the gunpowder plot is observed at the present time.

Death of Ansel Nickerson.

Pawtucket, R. I., Nov. 6.—Ansel L. Nickerson, who died yesterday, was one of the most prominent citizens of Pawtucket. For thirty years he was connected with the Pawtucket Gazette and Chronicle, the pioneer of Pawtucket journalism. From 1880 to 1884 he was managing editor of the Providence Press and Morning Star.

Boot and Shoe Makers' Troubles.

South Framingham, Mass., Nov. 6.—Yesterday was the time set for the starting of the boot and shoe factory of Gregory, Shaw & Co., but work was not resumed and the employers and employes had not come to any agreement. The union workmen have voted not to accept the list of prices for 1897, and the matter is still unsettled.

Death of Julia A. Brooks.

New York, Nov, 6.—Julia A. Brooks, wife of Horatio G. Brooks, who was one of the largest manufacturers of locomotives in this country and who established the extensive works bearing his name at Dunkirk, N. Y., died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick H. Stevens of Buffalo, whom she was visiting.

Nomination Rejected.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 6.—At a meeting of the governor and council yesterday Hon. Henry Robinson, mayor of Concord, was nominated by Gov. Busiel for railroad commissioner, but the executive council immediately rejected the nomination.

Chicago Stock Exchange Resumes.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Without fuss or flurry the local stock exchange resumed business yesterday after a three months' recess. Trading was not active.

More Armenians Enroute to Boston.

Quebec, Nov. 6.—Four families of Armenians have arrived here by the steamer Sicilia from Hamburg. They are enroute to Boston

GUAIMORE CAPTURED.

Rebels Now in Possession of the Cuban Town—Besieged Since Oct. 11.

Havana, Nov. 6.—Information has been received here of the capture of the town of Guaimore, in the province of Puerto Principe, by the rebels who have besieged the place since October 11, making a number of attacks upon the town and its stronghold, Fort Reus, in the meantime. The insurgents had three cannon, which they used effectively. The Spanish in the course of the fighting in defense of the place had eight men killed and four officers, including a major, and eighteen privates wounded. The fort and the town were captured by the insurgents on October 28, and it is said that the garrison were obliged to surrender owing to their lack of officers.

SPAIN'S CRUEL LAWS.

An American Citizen Sentenced in Cuba to Life Imprisonment in Chains.

Havana, Nov. 6.—Gen. Gonzales Munoz reports that his command has had an engagement with the rebels under Perico Delgado and Perico Diaz at Mannelito, near Cabanas, province of Pinar del Rio. The rebels held strong positions in the hills, but were dislodged after several combats, in which Gen. Inclan assisted Gen. Munos. The troops captured and burned the rebel camps. They also captured a number of cattle and a quantity of arms. The losses of the rebels are not given, but are believed to have been heavy. The Spaniards lost two killed, and a captain, a lieutenant and twenty-two privates wounded. In the case of Luis Someillan, an American citizen, who is charged with rebellion, the attorney-general yesterday asked that he be sentenced to life imprisonment in chains. The representatives of the American government will appeal against such a sentence. It is rumored that Maceo was seriously wounded in his last engagement with the Spanish troops; but the rumor finds no credence among the Cubans here.

Consul Lee at the White House.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, who arrived in Washington last evening, called at the White House at noon and was at once closeted with the president. He expects to leave here for his home in Virginia to-morrow, but his arrangements are not definite. He declined to discuss Cuban affairs.

HISTORIES IN SCHOOLS

The New York G. A. R. To Investigate What Books Are Used.

Albany, Nov. 6.—The state G. A. R. will endeavor to find out what histories of the United States are being used in the schools throughout the state. This action is brought about by the use of a history of American literature in certain schools in Hempstead which is claimed to be especially favorable to the south in its treatment of authors and the notable figures on both sides during the civil war. This information will be collected by the G. A. R. with a view of taking action upon the question at the annual encampment to be held in May next.

FAILURES IN PHILADELPHIA.

Two Firms Go Under, with Aggregate Liabilities of $340,000.

Philadelphia, Nov. 6.—John B. Brenniser, trading as J. B. Brenniser & Co., woolen dealers, has made an assignment to John F. McCracken. The assets of the firm are said to exceed $100,000, and the liabilities are placed at about this amount. Frank W. Parrell and Burritt H. Sawyer, individually and trading as the Nescochague Manufacturing company, paper makers, have also made an assignment to Frederick M. Leonard. The liabilities are estimated at $120,000, and it is believed that the assets will probably meet this amount.

Business Boom at Huntington, W. Va.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 6.—All the lumber mills of the Ensign Car works at the mouth of the Guyan resumed this morning. They have been idle for many months. The large car shops of the Ensign company will resume work next week.

Jewelry Concern Resume.

Providence, Nov. 6.—Several jewelry concerns here have started up on full-time schedules after a considerable period of idleness.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Continues weak, with lower prices. Nov., 79½c.; Dec., 80⅝c.; May, 83⅜c.

Corn—Spot easy; fair local demand. Nov. 30¼c.; Dec. 31⅛c.; Jan. 33c.; May 34⅜c.

Oats—Poor demand; easy prices. Dec. 23¼c.; March, 25c.; May 25⅝c.

Pork—Demand moderate; old prices. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.25; family, $10.50@12.00.

Lard—Market weak; slight demand. $4.55.

Eggs—Prices lower; market dull. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 18@20c.; ice house, 15@16c.; western, 18@20c.; duck, 18½@22½c.; goose, 22@24c.; western, case, $3.25@3.90.; limed, 14½@15c.

Butter—Receipts light; trade quiet, feeling steady and firm. Fresh creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 12½@19c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—In moderate supply. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—Prices are held about the same as when last noted; trade quiet. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

THE HUMAN TARGET ACT

How a Circus Canvasman Won Fame and Fortune.

Pat Clancy Was the First to Introduce the Feature, and His Assistant Was an Escaped Lunatic from Mount Pleasant.

"The knife-throwing-at-a-human-target act is now an old turn," said the old showman to a Chicago Record reporter.

"See here," he said, and he drew from the inside of his ragged old coat a greasy old pocketbook; then, undoing the string that bound it, he opened it and displayed a lot of dirty old letters and frayed newspaper clippings. From the latter he selected the following advertisement:

WANTED.—A MAN OF NERVE TO stand as a target for an expert knife thrower. ROBINSON'S CIRCUS.

"It's 30 odd year since this first appeared," he said, "and times is changed since then.

"We was down in Texas with old John Robinson's circus. I was a canvasman then, and my right-hand bower was Pat Clancy, a canvasman, too. Pat was an ambitious feller, and was all the time thinking up schemes to better himself. 'I don't see,' says he, 'why I should be sledging stalls and piling ropes when other fellers without half my brains or muscle is getting big money faking.'

"So Pat went in training for a performer, but he was a dead failure, and only got the laugh on all sides, till one day he struck a bright idea, and the next thing I knew he had a dozen big, ugly-looking knives, and was putting in his spare time throwing 'em at a target.

"He'd discovered himself at last, for the way he could throw them knives was really a wonder, and astounded even himself.

"After he was able to plant his knives in the target at just about where he wanted to, he drew a figger of a man on it, and took delight in seeing how near he could come to the outline without teching it.

"Finally he was perfect. 'Now's yer chance, Billy,' he sez to me; 'you be the target. I'll throw the knives; we'll be the Lorezo brothers and be famous. Will yer do it?'

"'Not on yer life,' sez I.

"Then he gits mad and walks away. And the next day the papers has this advertisement in it. I've kept it here

THE SENSATION OF THE SHOW.

among all the other missed opportunities of my life—you can see there's a lot of them, too.

"But about Pat. Well, a couple of weeks passed and nothing had been heard from the advertisement, and Pat was in despair. But one day an odd-looking stranger, a tall, well-built fellow with a far-away look in his eyes, applied for the posish—and got it.

"I was there when Pat and the stranger, who said his name was Juan, had their first rehearsal, and I never seed a feller look so happy as that Juan did when he stood up before the target and let Pat stick knives around him from 20 feet off.

"We had got up into Iowa now; Pat's act was the sensation of the show, and old John Robinson gave him big money and 'featured' the act on the three-sheet posters.

"But, howsomever, things went all right until we struck a little town called Mount Pleasant, and Juan announced that he was too sick to appear and went to bed.

"The Rubes was dreadfully disappointed 'cause there was no Roman knife throwing at a human target, as advertised, and they hissed Sig. Palanci (as Pat was called) when he just threw at an ordinary mark.

"'We'll git mobbed if Juan don't do his turn to-night,' said old John Robinson to Pat. 'He must do it.'

"So out Juan was dragged; he was skeered, I could see that, but it wasn't the knives he was skeered of; he seemed frightened of some one in the audience.

"Nothing happened, though, and the next day Juan, bright and smiling, was waiting to go on in his best act, when a tall, fine-looking man, with two big fellows in uniform, entered the dressing tent.

"'That's the man I want,' sez he. 'I'm the superintendent of the Mount Pleasant lunatic asylum, and that man is an escaped patient of mine.'

"Juan recognized him, too, and said: 'Well, if I must go with you I must, that's all.' And up he gets and goes.

"The superintendent afterward told us that Juan was crazy as a bedbug on one thing, and thought he would lose his soul if somebody didn't kill him some day with a knife. Outside of this he was as sensible as you or I.

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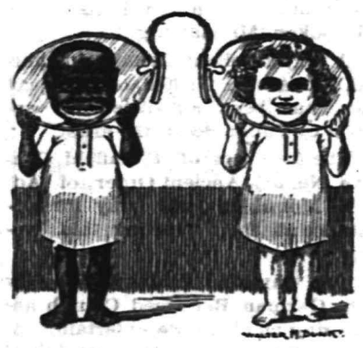

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 36, 7 01 8 23 8 32 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35, 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 2

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 59, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43 5 14, 6 35, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48. 2 05 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 8 05, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 40. 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 08, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 08 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Boynton Beach 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m., 1 15 3 30, p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 4 48, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 48, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14* 6 48 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, 6 35*, p. m., 1 17 night.

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AN ARIZONA MUMMY.

Once a Very Rich Person of the Ancient Aztec Nation.

An Indian mummy has been found in Arizona, near Prescott, that is believed to have once been one of the great men of the Aztecs, says the New York Journal. It was found by John F. Blundy, who communicated the facts to George F. Kunz, the New York diamond expert, says the Chicago News.

Beside the mummy was a basket filled with a half peck of torquoises. With the Aztecs green was a sacred stone and wealth was gauged generally by the number of green stones the person owned. Every man's treasure in those days was buried with his bones, and neglect to do this was regarded as highly sacrilegious. For the nourishment of the departed soul a few ears of corn were added.

The torquoises Mr. Bundy found were in the form of beads. These the Aztecs firmly believed saved the wearer from fevers, serpents' bites and diseases.

The mummy is a singular specimen, altogether unlike the Egyptian variety. The skin is dried firmly over the bones, giving it a withered appearance. This is due to the rare air in Arizona, which dries but seldom has the decomposing effect of our atmosphere.

Chinamen Buying Wives.

The Chinamen of Australia, when they take a notion to marry, write to a matrimonial agent in Hong Kong somewhat as follows: "I want a wife. She must be a maiden under 20 years of age, and must not have left her father's house. She must also have never read a book, and her eyelashes must be half an inch in length. Her teeth must be as sparkling as the pearls of Ceylon, her breath must be like unto the scents of the magnificent odorous groves of Java, and her attire must be from the silken weavers of Ka-la-Ching, which are on the banks of the greatest river in the world—the everflowing Yang-tse-Kiang." The price of a Chinese woman delivered in Sydney is $190, but two Chinese women only cost $260; therefore, the Chinese import the women in couples. The importer never sees the women before they arrive, and then he generally selects the best one. The other is shown around to a number of well-to-do Chinese, and after they have inspected her she is submitted to what may be called public auction.

Dance in Church.

There was a curious, and to many English people an incredible, sight to have been seen in Seville recently, viz., a dance in a church. Saturday was the feast of the assumption and one of the four days on which the dance is performed, the others being the first two days of the carnival and the feast of the eurilication. It is danced by eight small boys, and its measure is slow. That of the minuet.

REST FOR M'KINLEY

The President-Elect Will Leave Canton in a Few Days.

TO VISIT A FRIEND IN CLEVELAND

Mrs. McKinley's Condition Improving, But Still She Needs a Change of Scene —Messages of Congratulation Continue To Pour In.

Canton, O., Nov. 6.—The telegraph companies are still compelled to keep six or eight operators at their Canton office to receive the messages which are pouring in upon Major McKinley by hundreds. The successful candidate is in good health, but Mrs. McKinley, although much improved, is still confined to her bed. All last night and so far this morning these messages have been delivered to Major McKinley as rapidly as the operators can receive and transcribe them. Many cablegrams of congratulation have also been received from Americans abroad. C. W. Atkinson, republican governor-elect of West Virginia, sent the following: "Accept congratulations on your great triumph. Our state gives you about 13,000." This one comes from Somerset county, Pa.: "Frosty Sons of Thunder send you greetings and congratulations. Her majority for you is the largest ever given." Ex-United States senator Henry L. Dawes telegraphs: "Massachusetts is congratulating the whole country to-day." Among other telegrams from well known people, are messages from Judge Grosscup of Chicago, Russell D. Harrison, and John W. Noble, ex-secretary of the interior. After Major McKinley had pressed the button which yesterday set the Tonawanda Iron & Steel Co. works in operation, he received the following message from North Tonawanda, N. Y.: "The new Niagara furnace has been started by you and the principle you represent upon what we hope is a career of usefulness in this community. As this act is typical of a widespread starting of the wheels of industry, the Tonawanda Iron & Steel Co. and its employes and assembled guests unite in congratulations upon your election and in expressing hope and belief that your administration will bring peace, prosperity and plenty to the whole nation." Major McKinley, yielding to the pressure of friends and physicians, has at last consented to absent himself for a time from Canton and will, with Mrs. McKinley, leave for Cleveland in a few days. His friends, heedful of the great task which confronts him, think he ought to have a season of rest, so he will spend a week or so quietly with Col. M. Herrick, who was on his staff, at the latter's home. He has made no arrangements to speak and expects to control his time absolutely.

DISCUSSES THE ELECTION.

Hanna Says the Republican Tariff Plank Won Many Votes.

New York, Nov. 6.—Chairman Hanna, who arrived in New York yesterday to meet his wife and daughter and to arrange for closing the eastern national republican headquarters, said this morning that he expected to remain in New York about a week, as he believed it would take that time to settle up the affairs of the campaign here. To a group of newspaper men this morning he spoke at some length about the work of the campaign and the result of the election. He was naturally in the best of spirits and shook hands cordially with each of the reporters. He said he had never had a single doubt of McKinley's election. He said he was not surprised at the result in New York state, but he had not expected so large a majority in New York city. The farmers of the middle western states, he said, at the beginning of the campaign confounded the gold standard with monometalism and feared that silver would be entirely driven from circulation by it, but that as the campaign progressed they had been convinced of the error. He also said that the attitude of the republican platform on the tariff question had won many votes for McKinley. The chairman said that one result of the election would be the beginning of the end of the free silver agitation, and that both the senate and the house of representatives would be for sound money. Mr. Hanna praised the action of the sound money democrats and said that he appreciated their services in the campaign. He said that he believed the appreciation of values would be permanent, and that, while speculative values might rise and fall, the advance of all industrial interests which are based upon confidence, would be steady.

Salem's Tidal Wave.

Salem, N. J., Nov. 6.—The loss to Salem county as a result of yesterday's tidal wave, that swept along the coast of the Delaware river, will foot up thousands of dollars. All the creeks and tributaries were swollen to a great height, causing the banks to give way before the heavy pressure of water lashed by a southeasterly gale. Boatmen were engaged in rescuing horses and cattle which were pasturing on the meadows.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani Pardoned.

Honolulu, Oct. 29, via San Francisco, Nov. 6, per steamer Australia.—At the meeting on October 23 of President Dole and the council of state it was voted unanimously to extend a full pardon to ex-Queen Liliuokalani.

Troops Ordered to Oxford, N. C.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 6.—Adjutant General Cameron last night received an application for the use of troops at Oxford to prevent a threatened riot. A company of infantry was at once ordered on duty.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:32 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:55 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:55 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Y. M. C. A. team will meet tonight on the Washington avenue grounds for practice.

All of the Y. M. C. A. team that can will practice on the Martine field tomorrow afternoon, and all the football players of this city are invited to take part.

Louis E. Waring is now at Worcester Academy coaching the football team of the academy. He will return to Plainfield, however, in time for the Westfield game.

The Scotch Plains boys are much elated over the fact that they scored against the Alis football team last Tuesday, and have challenged the latter team for another game. The challenge will probably not be accepted, however, as the Alis players think that two victories over one team is sufficient and they wish also to meet other teams.

Dupee has made a great record for himself this year on the Y. M. C. A. eleven, and last Tuesday he made a great impression on the minds of the Rutgers boys by his wonderful interference. He assisted Peck in his famous run and succeeded in blocking three dangerous men single handed. The first man he pushed into another and thus upset both and obstructed the third so that he could not tackle Peck. He ran well with the ball and did some pretty tackling.

The Y. M. C. A. team will not play football again until they meet the Westfield eleven on the latter's grounds Nov. 14th. The game for tomorrow with the Orange Y. M. C. A. has been cancelled, as over half the team is laid off on account of injuries. Almost all the backs are unable to play and the line is badly crippled. The Orange Y. M. C. A. has the strongest team in this part of the State outside of the Orange Athletic Club and Elizabeth Athletic Club, and is not far behind them. Plainfield boys are anxious to meet them with their regular team, and an effort will be made to secure a game with them for some future date, when an eleven can be collected.

FRANKLIN'S SMOKER.

Mechanics Entertain Fellow Members of This District.

With speeches and song, mingled with a smoker, Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., last evening entertained visiting councils from Newark, New Brunswick, Bound Brook, Dunellen, New Market, Scotch Plains and Westfield. It was one of those events where everybody has a good time, and it has been a long time since the council rooms has held such a large and enthusiastic audience. The business of the evening was quickly dispatched after which the pleasant features of the evening were introduced. Excellent tobacco and pipes bearing the inscription, "Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M. Welcome," were distributed and it was a late hour when the guests left for their homes. There was was good speeches and songs and every number was loudly applauded.

Franklin Council decided last evening to conduct a fair at an early date.

The members of Somerset Council, No. 104, who were present, extended an invitation to all to attend their smoker to be held Friday evening, December 4th.

Miss Ginna's Tea at "The Pines."

The storm and dullness of the weather yesterday afternoon only served to bring out in contrasting relief the brightness and beauty of Stephen A. Ginna's home, "The Pines," where Miss Ginna, the daughter, gave a tea in honor of her friend, Miss Perkins, of Rochester. A large number of young people enjoyed the pleasant occasion. In the parlor receiving, with Miss Ginna and Miss Perkins, were Miss Ginna's mother, and the Misses Marion Dumont, Kittie Stewart and Edith Hyde. In the dining room, Mrs. Evarts Tracy and Mrs. Delanore served tea and chocolate and the assistants were Mrs. Fred Yates and the Misses Minnie Word and Florence Huntington. The floral decorations were beautiful white chrysanthemums from Mr. Ginna's greenhouses.

Telegraphers to Dance.

The seventh annual ball and reception of Newark Division, No. 118, Order of Railroad Telegraphers of North America, at the Cycle Adademy on the evening of Tuesday, Nov 17th, promises to be an elaborate affair.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is an antiseptic, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. L. W. Randolph, 145 West Front street.

G.O.P. TO HAVE A SPREE.

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THIRD DIVISION.
Cypress Drum Corps.
Marshall—Rev. P. S. Gibson.
Staff of Six.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—James Babbitt.
Aide—Spencer Conway.
Colored Citizens.

SECOND BATTALION.
Major—William Connett.
Aide—James Scott.
Colored Citizens.

Should any desire to parade who, on account of lack of time, have not received any notice, they can do so individually or by companies of twelve men and a captain.

The procession starts at 8 o'clock sharp. The residents along the line of march are requested by the committee to aid in making it a success by illuminating and burning colored fire.

All the paraders who have not arranged with the major of their battalion beforehand are requested to report at 7 o'clock as follows: Business men at the Casino; young men on East Seventh street, right resting on Park avenue; workingmen to the nearest of the above-mentioned places, viz., Pond's, Potter's and Scott's. The battalions will form promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

A large turnout is expected. The workingmen have promised to be largely represented in line and the commuters are going to turn out. Everybody, marshals, staff and all are going to walk and the "sound money" jubilation promises to be something to be long remembered and a fitting closing in Plainfield of one of the hardest-fought political battles the country has ever seen.

PARK CLUB COMMITTEE.

Those Who Will Have Charge of the Social Features the Coming Year.

The following committees have been appointed by President Charles A. Reed, of the Park Club:

House committee—Elston M. French, chairman; Wm. N. Runyon, Edwin T. Douglass.

Entertainment and reception committee—Wm. N. Runyon, chairman; S. St. John McCutchen, Walter M. McGee, A. L. C. Marsh, Fred. O. Ball, Laurens H. VanBuren.

Junior entertainment committee—Fred Taylor, Charles S. Cook.

Billiard and pool committee—Geo. C. Worth, chairman; Augustus VanDeventer, Percy Sandford.

Bowling committee—Geo. C. Worth.

Whist committee—Samuel Townsend, chairman; George T. Rogers, S. St. John McCutchen.

A Contemptible Act.

The Democratic flag which was swung across Front street was stolen by parties on election night. Certainly no Democrat would participate in tearing down a Democratic banner. This is but the mean work of men who have neither principle nor decency. If the Republican party of Plainfield had no part or knowledge in the theft, let them renounce it.

James E. Martine.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

In Justice Newcorn's Court the case of Ivins & Co. against Brown has been adjourned two weeks and the case of Sternberger against Dickenson has been adjourned one week. The cases of Mellick against Richards, were tried this morning and judgment was given the plaintiff in each case.

Assessment Maps Received.

The sewer commissioners held a meeting in the Council chamber last evening and listened to suggestions from a number of citizens. Only a few were present, however. The assessment maps were received and adopted.

Sixteen to One.

Sixteen ladies and one gentleman from Morristown are today taking in the beauties of Plainfield, and are much impressed with the autumnal appearance of the city.

Mrs. Tuston, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother, Dr. J. B. Probasco, of East Front street.

Francis N. Buck, United States bank examiner, for New Jersey and Delaware, is in town today examining the accounts at the First National Bank.

Mrs. E. B. Titsworth, of New street, arrived here this afternoon on the 2:11 train from Jersey City. She is suffering from rheumatism so badly that she was taken to her home in the ambulance.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kirch, of Somerset street, was brightened on Election Day by the arrival of a young son. Mr. Kirch says that the young citizen came too late to vote, as the polls were closed.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Dupee, of Rockview avenue, who was so badly injured about the face while engaged in outdoor sports a few days ago, has so far recovered from his injuries as to go out today for the first time since the accident. It required some eight or nine stitches to sew up the wound.

Speed and safety are the watchwords of the age. One Minute Cough Cure acts speedily, safely and never fails. Asthma, bronchitis, coughs and colds are cured by it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

New Books Added to the Public Library.

Barrie, Sentimental young; Bunner, Love in old Cloattus; Chambers, Early Germans of New Jersey; Compayre, Intellectual and moral development of the child; Crawford, Adam Johnston's son; Dole, Talks about law; Dowden, Shakespeare, his mind and art; Durny, History of France, (abe. & tr. fr. 17 Fe. ed.); Hinsdale, Teaching the language arts; Kipling, Ballads, etc.; Longstreet, From Manasses to Appomatox; Lothrop, William Henry Seward; MacElvoy Chickamauga; Masson, Mazarin; Mandeville, Voyage and travayle; Meredith, Diana of the crossways; Mollett, Watteau; Morris, Historical talks, Greek; Morris, Historical talks, Roman; Morse, Life and letters of Oliver Wendell Holmes, two vols.; New Jersey General Statutes, three vols.; Parker, Seats of the mighty; Pascal, Thoughts; Peabody, Lectures to Kindergartens; Perkins, France under Mazarin, two vols.; Perkins, France under the Regency; Redgeave, Century of painters; Riley, Afterwhiles; Saint-Simon, Memoirs, three vols.; Saintsbury, Specimens of French literature; Smithsonian Institute, Contributions to knowledge three vols.; Smith; Tom Grogan; Stimson, King Noanett; Stockton, Mrs. Cliff's yacht; Sully, Memoirs, four vols.; Thaxter, Poems; Teaill, Social England, vol. fifth; U. S. Bureau of Education, Report of the Commissioner, 1893-'94; U. S. Census Bureau, Crime, pauperism and benevolence, part first; Ward, E. S. P. Supply at St. Agatha's; Ward, Mrs. H. Sir George Tressady, two vols.; Watson, Kate Carnegie; Watson, Mind of the Master; Weyman, Red Cockade.

Trial of King Alcohol.

The Roselle Division, No. 227, Sons of Temperance, will hold a trial this evening in the Marshall Street Church Roselle. It is called the "Trial of King Alcohol," and among those who will take part from this city are S. S. Swackhamer, John H. Sayers and Neil McLeod. They will serve on the the jury and Mr. Swackhamer will discuss the following political question: "Claim of saloon ownership of voters, the right to nominate candidates and to direct their conduct while in office."

—Three medical cases were received at Muhlenberg Hospital today.

—An enjoyable dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, of Stone street, last evening.

—J. R. Blair, the hatter and furnisher, of 126 Park avenue, has as fine and unexelled stock of goods as any other store in Plainfield.

—The whole amount realized from the collections received at the German Reformed church to remove the debt from the church is $253.

—An exhibition of the phonograph, reproducing political speeches and national and popular airs, was given in Mt. Olive Baptist church last evening before an appreciative audience.

—Edward Kelly, of this city, was admitted to Muhlenberg Hospital this afternoon suffering from an aggravated attack of pneumonia. Three other patients were also admitted today.

—Egel's Grandview Market, corner Somerset street and Grandview avenue, is the place to get corn-fed country pork, sausage and handpicked poulty. First-class goods, fair prices.

—Tomorrow "only," Saturday, November 7th, VanEmburgh will sell three hundred men's winter shirts and drawers at the ridiculous low price of 23 cents. Now is your time. Don't miss it.

—The members and friends of the Park Club who are to join in the parade and ratification meeting tomorrow night are requested to meet at the Park club-house tomorrow night at 7 o'clock.

—A report was circulated on the streets and at the depot this morning to the effect that a woman had been waylaid and robbed last night on Monroe avenue. The police claim to know nothing of the matter.

—A fire in the chimney of the house of Frank Conshee, of Pearl street and Watchung avenue, this afternoon, resulted in an alarm being sent in from box 141. The North Plainfield fire department soon responded and the fire was easily extinguished.

—Harry M. Jaquett has the finest tie display in his window ever produced in this city. The back ground is of the latest shade of green, arrrnged in rays at the top, with the nickel fixtures and the arrangement of the latest styles in ties shows already the study Jerry VanWinkle, (Jaquett's manager,) has given to the French art of window dressing.

The Number Thirteen.

For those who believe in the fatality of the number thirteen, the American quarter-dollar is about the most unlucky article they can carry, says the Argonaut. On the said coin there are 13 stars, 13 letters in the scroll which compose its wing, 13 feathers are in its tail, there are 13 parallel lines on the shield, 13 horrizontal stripes, 13 arrowheads, and 13 letters in the words "quarter-dollar."

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Dated October 8th, 1896.
JAMES LESLIE.
WILLIAM R. CODINGTON.
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NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Tucker Dunham deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, within nine months from the seventh day of October 1896, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.
MARY THANKFUL DUNHAM,
MAXSON MARVIN DUNHAM,
Executors.
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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY-To Valerie Baird and Z. Taylor Baird: By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the date hereof, in a cause wherein Charles A. Reed is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of said complainant on or before the twenty-eighth day of December next, or the said bill be taken as confessed against you.
The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Z. Taylor Baird to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, dated April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you, Valerie Baird are made the defendant because you were the owner of said premises and claim to be entitled to and inchoate right of dower therein. And you Z. Taylor Baird are made defendant because you were the owner of said premises and may still claim some interest therein.
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You can't duplicate them elsewhere for 30c.
Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed bottoms, per doz. - 23c
China Creamers, with lustre finish, in all colors, and beautifully embossed, - - 16c
Large size, first quality brooms, 4 rows stitching, - - 25c
You pay for the same article elsewhere 35c.
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CHARLES FISK MAY BECOME HIS HONOR.

The Republican Chairman Mentioned As the Next Mayor.

COUNCILMAN FROST ALSO TALKED OF

Democrats Disrupted and Bitter Among Themselves Are Not Likely to Pull Together and Will Probably Present no Opposition Ticket to the Republicans—Mr. Fisk Has Never Said the Word Yes, But Still He Has Never Said No.

Even while the National campaign was raging with all its fierceness during the past four months and everyone was absorbed in the thoughts of silver and gold and protection and tariff for revenue only, now and then a side talk took place over the possibilities of the city election that was then in the misty future, but that is now coming nearer and more prominently to the mind of the Plainfielder. Now the political talk is all edged that way. Whether or not there will be a hot contest for the offices between the Democrats and the Republicans or whether it will be simply a preliminary contest in the Republican convention for the nominations remains as yet to be determined, but it looks like the latter.

In the campaign just ended, of course, the Republicans were organized and working as a unit for party success, but when it is considered how it was that a large portion of the *support* of the Independent ticket in the municipal contest a year ago came largely from the Republicans themselves, it is an unsolved proposition whether or not they will maintain their present unity when city affairs are solely concerned in an election. It is possible that the unanimity with which they have worked during the last four months, followed up by such a victory, may so cement the feeling of party loyalty that there will be no break in the ranks when the time comes for putting candidates in the field on local issues. The supposition that there will be dissensions in the ranks of Republicans this year is derived from the fact that the present administration will without a doubt control the nominations and pledge a city government on almost the same lines as now conducted, and this same policy was what many Republicans objected to a year ago and which lead them to support the Independent ticket.

Whatever is done in the endeavor to defeat the regular Republican ticket that will be nominated will depend largely on what the Democrats do.

But just at present the Democrats can be said to be neither here nor there—they are somewhat of an unknown quantity. A Presidential campaign has left them disrupted and bitter among themselves. The Palmer and Buckner supporters seem to think that they will evolve into the regular organization and control the party machinery; the Bryan and Sewall people swear by the eternal that their own party enemies shall come to them, not they to them. It may result in still further disruption and estrangement. If this spirit pervades, the Republicans will have an easy time of it—probably easier than they did last Tuesday, because there will be no contesting ticket in the field. If there is no singleness of purpose among the Democrats with regard to party policy there will be no nominations. Empty honors have all been amply gratified in the contest just closed—now no sensible man will consent to a nomination unless there bechance of victory—divided among themselves the Democrats may as well let the Republicans go it alone. And without the Democrats united it would be useless for bolting Republicans to attempt to accomplish anything. So every indication point to uninterrupted—and even uncontested—rule of the Republicans with a policy very much the same as that now in vogue.

The officers to be elected are a Mayor, Treasurer, Councilman, Collector and a Councilman from each ward.

First and foremost comes the Mayor. Who will he be? Charles J. Fisk, the Mark Hanna of Plainfield Republicanism, seems the most formidable, and it is more than possible that other prospective candidates may retire and leave the field to him alone. For two years close observers of political affairs in this city have believed that the Mayoralty bee buzzed very near to Mr. Fisk's headgear. But he has never said so openly. He is popular among the boys and to them his name is legion. They say he will be next Mayor of Plainfield. Oftentimes the boys, that is, the rank and file, know how the political cat is going to jump as well as do those who lead on.

But then there is Councilman Frost.

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THE SCHOOL RECEPTION

PLEASANT SOCIAL FEATURE OF THE BOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL.

County Superintendent Mets Present and Extended Words of Congratulation—A Lecture on Literature by Prof. Warde.

The reception given at the North Plainfield Public High School yesterday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock was a delightful event. It was the second reception in the series and they give promise of being a feature in the school life. There was a large attendance of parents and friends, who were pleased with the programme, which opened with a selection by the school choir. Miss Anna D. Cooper, of Westfield, was then introduced. This talented elocutionist and reader is not a stranger in this vicinity and her work is of the highest order. She gave "Royal Princess," "Aunty Doleful's Visit," and "Mr. Martin's Scalp," with a finish that was pleasing. County Superintendent Mets was present and he was asked to say a few words. He congratulated the school on its fine appearance and spoke highly of Dr. Warde's work. Miss Cooper then recited "Little Boy Blue," by Eugene Fields; and "Jimmy Brown," by Alden. At this point Dr. Wade introduced a new feature by giving a study in literature. His subject was "James Fennimore Cooper." It was an exceedingly able paper and brought out the many fine points in the life and history of this literary man. Dr. Warde also read some of his writings in poetry. The next number on the programme was the singing by Miss Eugenia Barker soprano soloist, of New York. Miss Barker has a remarkably fine voice and the ease and grace in the rendition of her solos were delightful. She was obliged to respond to several encores.

Miss Cooper then gave the Amazon drill with statue posing, assisted by Miss Etta Raybert on the piano, and the closing number was given by Miss Cooper. It was "Jesus Lover of My Soul" in pantomime.

Each selection given was well received and hearty applause was accorded.

Dr. Warde thanked all for their presence and hoped soon to have the pleasure of inviting them to the school again. Many remained to get better acquainted with the superintendent. Among the guests present were Superintendent Blackford, and Principal I. Winthrop Travell, of the Plainfield High School.

A NOVEL SOCIABLE.

Given by the Christian Endeavor Society of Congregational Church.

Very novel were most of the features of the sociable held in the parlors of the Congregational church last evening by the Christian Endeavor society of that church. When they came in, the guests were seated in three large circles and played at raquet shuttlecock until all had tried their hand. Then a large sheet of canvas was produced on which was painted the picture of a young woman but there was an opening in the canvas instead of the nose. Through this the different young people thrust their nasal applendage and the rest had to guess the identity of the owner of the nose by its appearance. Refreshments and a social time followed and everybody pronounced the sociable a delightful one. It was arranged by the regular social committee of the society of which Miss Julia Belknap is chairman.

From Bad to Good.

At the Salvation Army Hall, West Second street, the meetings tonight and all day tomorrow will be conducted by two interesting specials, Ensigns Russell and Dean, of New York. Ensign Russell has been a member of the Army for several years. Previous to his conversion he led a very wild, reckless life. He will relate some of his thrilling experiences. Ensign Dean went into the Army at Duluth, Minn., and has been connected with the organization for a number of years. He is now in charge of the tailoring department at headquarters.

Wheelbarrow Ride With Ice Cream.

An amusing election bet will be paid today by William Trembath, of this city. He wagered on the election with Mrs. Oliver Voorhees, of East front street, that Bryan would be elected, while Mrs. Voorhees picked McKinley as the winner. The agreement was that the loser was to push a wheelbarrow containing the winner from East Front street to the Babcock building and back to Tier's lake house where cream is to be served. The event will take place probably this evening, as both agreed that the bet shall be paid.

—You are safe in depositing your money with Peck in exchange for his new fall kid gloves.

AGED, SICK, HOMELESS!

THE PITIABLE CIRCUMSTANCES OF MR. AND MRS. KELLY.

Ran Behind $1 on the Rent and Were Ousted Into the Street—Husband Taken Sick and Sent to the Hospital Yesterday

The Daily Press has had occasion recently to refer of the difficulty now exisiting between Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly, Mrs. Tobin and Peter Collins. The more the case is investigated the more pitiable the circumstances appear.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are aged people and from all accounts have tried to mind there own affairs. They were unfortunate, however, in being poor, and not possessing much of this world's goods. Early in the year of 1860, Mr. Kelly enlisted in the army and for four years and six days he served his country well. Years afterward he came to Plainfield and ever since has tried to make an honorable living for himself and wife. Some time ago he secured rooms of Peter Collins, through the latter's agent, Mrs. Jane Tobin, who occupies a part of the house on West Fourth street. It is admitted that at times Kelly was behind in his rent, but as fast as possible he made up the deficiancy. The last deficit was one dollar and this was paid. However, Mrs. Tobin was not kindly disposed toward the aged couple, and it appears that they were asked to get out. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly not having any too much money were not inclined to move. Mrs. Tobin, it is believed, then adopted stronger measures by taking the law in her own hands. In this she was aided and assisted by Collins. Between the two a three-days dispossess notice was drawd up and served on Mr. Kelly. The latter did not pay much attention to this, and the next thing he realized was that he and his wife were thrust out of the house as was also their goods. This treatment was too much, and Chief Grant was sought. After hearing their story he found quarters for them in Stiger's alley, where they were made as comfortable as possible. As before stated, Overseer of the Poor Ernest Marx was asked to tem porarily assist Mr and Mrs. Kelly, but he did not feel called upon to act in the matter.

Since their ejection, Mrs. Tobin has grown indignant, and yesterday she called at Justice Newcorn's court, and was very persistent that the Justice should listen to her and give his opinion, and she gave evidences of her dislike that he was sitting on her case. The three-days dispossess notice was shown and she read it all through, laying stress on every word. The Justice advised her as a friend to secure the services of a lawyer, but she could not see any advantage in it.

Another sad feature in connection with the case is that yesterday Mr. Kelly was taken ill with pneumonia and had to be committed to the hospital, thus leaving his aged wife alone. An attempt is being made to prove that Kelly and his wife were intemperate and disorderly people, and that there presence was unbearable. This, it is said, will be the main point offered by the defendants in the action which has been brought by Kelly against them for $200. The case will be tried next Monday before Justice Newcorn.

Tonight.

The remnants of Edsall's grocery department will be closed out regardless of the cost of the goods. There is many good things left yet, including 150 bags of National Best flour, which was on back order, and will now be sold at the old price, and doubtless this will be the last opportunity for some time to buy flour at such a low price. The quality of the flour is the best in the market.

Miss Blatz Entertains.

A few friends were entertained by Miss Etta Blatz at her home on Somerset street, last evening. Dancing was the chief feature of the evening, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Crosson, Miss Sadie Blimm, Miss Edith Hurlbut, Miss Martha Denehan, John DeMeza, Bert Steiner, Frank Blatz, A. Cannon, William Morrison and Frank Vail.

Sentenced to State Prison.

Daniel Calabrado, who assaulted Miss Mamie Van Fleet, whose parents live near Raritan, while she was walking from the railroad station at Califon, to her uncle's house, was sentenced be Judge Herr in the Hunterdon County Court on Monday to five years in the State prison.

—Vocal sight reading classes. Miss Anna O. Marsh, of 915 Madison avenue, will form an evening class for mixed voices just as soon as possible. Prompt applications are desired. The instruction will be similar to that of the Frank H. Damrosch of New York. More names are also wanted for the class of boys from eleven to fourteen years old.

CELEBRATING A VICTORY

RED FIRE AND REPUBLICAN ENTHUSIASM TONIGHT.

Charles J. Fisk Will be the Grand Marshal of the Parade, Which Will Include People in All Walks of Life

Everything is in readiness for the celebration of the victory of the "sound money" men today. The parade promises to far surpass the original plans, for the gold advocates are preparing to turn out in such numbers as was hardly expected. Flags will wave, torches sputter and flare, red fire will burn, and everybody will shout loud and long for McKinley and Hobart.

Grand Marshal Charles J. Fisk is very fortunate in having a chief of staff who understand the value of a perfect organization. Councilman Barrows has been directing the preliminary arrangements of the parade with careful hand and has the entire affair right under his control.

The line of march, as published in yesterday's Daily Press, did not suit many people, especially the residents of North Plainfield, and it was decided to extend the line of march in the borough from Washington avenue, to Myrtle avenue, to Sycamore avenue, to Mercer avenue, to Washington avenue, to Linden avenue, to Somerset street, to Craig place, to Grove street, to Central avenue, etc. Another change was made in the line of march in the eastern part of the city. Instead of going up Watchung avenue to Franklin place and so on, the column will march up Watchung avenue, to Carleton avenue, to Putnam avenue, to La Grande avenue, etc.

The revised line of march is now as follows:

Down Park avenue, to North avenue, to Watchung avenue, to East Front street, to Washington avenue, to Myrtle avenue, to Sycamore avenue, to Mercer avenue, to Washington avenue, to Linden avenue, to Somerset street, to Craig place, to Grove street, to Central avenue, to West Eighth street, to Plainfield avenue, to Stelle avenue, to Central avenue, to West Ninth street, to Madison avenue, to West Seventh street, to East Seventh street, to Watchung avenue, to Carleton avenue, to Putnam avenue, to LaGrande avenue, to Watchung avenue, to North avenue, and disband.

The line of march will be five and one-half miles long.

All sorts of preparations are being made by those who are to take part in the parade and the city is being scoured for torches, fireworks, etc. A great stock of brooms, flags and torches has just been received at Republican headquarters for the parade tonight. North Plainfield promises to have a troop of fifty horsemen in line. The officials have nearly all been selected.

The order of march is as follows:

Police.
Plainfield Cornet Band.
Grand Marshal—Charles J. Fisk.
Chief of Staff—Elliot T. Barrows.
Aides—Wm. N. Runyon, E. F. Murray.
Staff—Alexander Gilbert, J. B. Coward, Ernest R. Ackerman, Charles A. Reed, S. A. Ginna, J. Frank Hubbard, J. Fred MacDonald, Andrew McCardell, B. A. Hegeman, Wm. T. Kirk, Wm. B. Codington, J. W. Murray.

FIRST DIVISION.
Marshal—John B. Dumont.
Staff—Edwin H. Frost, D. A. Ginna, O. T. Waring, J. E. Kelley, E. C. Petrie, James E. Kimball.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—John T. Baker.
Aide—William T. Kaufman.
New York and Plainfield business men.

SECOND BATTALION.
Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps.
Major—
Aide—
Citizens of North Plainfield.

THIRD BATTALION.
Major—J. H. Case.
Aide—
Young Men's Republican Club.

SECOND DIVISION.
Drake's Band of Elizabeth.
Marshal—James T. MacMurray.
Staff—Chas. Foster, James Stewart, Fred W. Stack, Fred Viewig, Geo. Titsworth, Chas. Dunham.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—John Arden.
Aide—
Pond Tool Works and other Fourth Ward Workingmen.

SECOND BATTALION.
Major—George E. Stillman.
Aide—
Potter Press Works and other Third Ward Workingmen.

THIRD BATTALION.
Independent Fife and Drum Corps.
Major—Charles W. Smith.
Aide—
Scott Press Works and other First Ward Workingmen.

THIRD DIVISION.
Cypress Drum Corps.
Marshall—Rev. P. S. Gibson.
Staff of Six.

FIRST BATTALION.
Major—James Babbitt.
Aide—Spencer Conway.
Colored Citizens.

SECOND BATTALION.
Major—William Connett.
Aide—James Scott.
Colored Citizens.

—Rheumatism is a foe which gives no quarter. It torments its victims day and night. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures the aches and pains of rheumatism.

Hoods Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

PROPOSES AN ICE PALACE

J. L. WISEMAN WANTS TO TRANSFORM THE CYCLE ACADEMY INTO SUCH.

It Would Cost $35,000 to Establish an Ice Making Plant, But is is Believed it Can be Made to Pay a Profit.

Joseph L. Wiseman, manager of the Jersey Cycle Academy, a building that has been somewhat of a white elephant ever since the craze of roller skating died out, has now under a consideration a plan which if put into operation he believes will make it a popular amusement resort in the winter and a money making concern in the summer.

Mr. Wiseman's scheme is none other than to equip the immense structure with an artificial ice making plant in which the smooth surface of congealed water will afford opportunity for skaters to enjoy themselves in cool weather, and in warm weather the plant may be used to manufacture ice for commercial purposes, thus conducting it at a profit every month in the year.

Last night Mr. Wiseman visited the Ice Palace Skating Rink, 108th street and Lexington avenue, New York, and inspected the system which he wants to establish in this city. The projector of the rink in New York is Stewart St. Clair and he is more than pleased with the results attained in its operation. Mr. Wiseman broached the scheme of such a venture in Plainfield and Mr. St. Clair expressed himself as confident that it could be made to pay. It is calculated that it would cost $35.000 to equip the Jersey Cycle Academy with the ice making plant. Mr. St. Clair said that he would be willing to invest 25 per cent of the capital if the remainder could be raised among Plainfielders. In the summer when the rink was not in use for skating purposes the system could be operated at a big profit by freezing ice and selling it for $1 per ton. Mr. Wiseman intends to lay this plan before the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company and see if he cannot get them to enter into the scheme.

Mr. Wiseman will be at his office in the Academy all day Monday to explain his plans to all interested and that evening he expects to take a party to the rink in New York which opens for the season at that time.

BACK YARD PRIZES PRESENTED.

The Golden Half Eagles Received by Mrs. Workman and Mrs. Webster.

According to the plans of the Town Improvement Association, the executive board met yesterday and arranged to present the two prizes offered to the persons having the best kept back yard along the railroad, which were won by Mrs. Matilda Workman, of 35 Cottage place, and Mrs. Daniel Webster, of 420 West Secoud street.

The president, Mrs. Pierre Malli, together with several members of the executive board, went to the homes of the successful competitors and were kindly received.

The two prizes, consisting of $5 gold pices, were placed in neat boxes, tied with ribbon, and presented with a few words of encouragement and praise by the president. At the home of Mrs. Workman the women saw a fine cactus with one bud. This is the first specimen of the kind in this city to produce a bud. Mrs. Webster had a remarkably fine display of hardy chrysanthemums, and she presented each one of the committee with a bouquet. The winners of the prizes were deeply grateful and appreciated their gift exceedingly. It is now thought that this will prove an incentive to others to strive for the prizes next year.

Kappa Delta Phi Reorganized.

After three years of various experiences, the Kappa Delta Phi, the literary and secret society of the Plainfield High School has begun on another year of its existence. The first meeting of the society was held yesterday afternoon and there was a large attendance. A number of applications were read and plans for the future work discussed. The election of officers was laid over until the next meeting.

Grandma.

Dear grandma's happy once again, her face is radiant with cheer, her heartbeats sound the old refrain that's gladdened her for many a year; the earth again to her seems fair and all is beautiful and bright, at Collie's she secured a pair of glasses that renewed her sight.

A New Vice-President.

An adjourned business meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church was held last evening after the prayer meeting. George Watts was elected to the office of vice-president, and the revised pledge was adopted.

—Gunners will find a large supply of hunting coats, caps and gloves, and bargains, too, at Crane & Clark's hat store, 120 West Front street.

THE AVENUE MUST BE BUILT RIGHT.

Mayor Hegeman Speaks Pointedly About the Matter.

ROAD COMMISSIONER TO SUPERVISE.

Contractor Bowden Tells the Borough Council That the Responsibility for Cutting Below the Grade of Watchung Avenue Lays With His Men—Mayor Hegeman Insists That Specifications be Followed—Other Business.

The Borough Council held a lively session last night and a considerable amount of business was transacted. Conncilman Lounsbury was the only member absent when Mayor Hegeman called the meeting to order. Clerk Arnold's financial statement was as follows:

	Balance.	Deficit
Borough	$517.21	
Fire Department	$342.79	
Lights	452.52	
Roads	690.24	
		1,975 76
Poor		380.99
Total balance	$1,594.77.	

There was reported $66.70 collected as licenses money and etc.

The name of H A. Voehl was presented as a member of Warren Engine Company, and it was referred to the fire, water and lamps committee.

A communication was received from Charles Keller, Edward Vroom, J. Kennedy, George Kliner, Herman Hansen, Jacob Kliner, Gus Fiering, Peter Stram, Louis Bimble, Peter Stites, Frank Hull and William Pasch, which stated that the above men had realized the necessity of there being a hose company in "Prideville, and had organized themselves into one, choosing the name of "West End Hose Company, No. 2." The matter was placed in the hands of the fire, water and lamps committee.

Among the claims presented was one of Contractor David Bowden for $1,003.92, on account of the work done on Watchung avenue. All claims were audited and ordered paid.

Mr. Valiant reported that the laws, ordinance and election committee were still investigating the petition offered against the establishment of the Washingtonville ice pond and dam, and could only report progress.

Mr. Woolston stated that $188.19 had been expended on streets during the past month. He also asked for the different amounts from Mr. Reynolds and the residents of Harrison street, being their share for the work of macadamizing. The money will be secured as soon as possible.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Peck that the fire, water and lamps committee be authorized to place three lights on Coddington avenue, it being the request of the property-owners of that street. The permission was granted. Another resolution by Mr. Peck provided for the renewal of the fire department note for $1,169. Mr. Peck said that the petition from the residents of Harrison street asking for fire protection was under consideration, that plans for a house had been submitted and that the matter would be presented at an early date.

The Mayor asked Mr. Woolston for his opinion regarding the progress of the work on Watchung avenue, and the Councilman said that he had no fault to find with the progress. He also said that there had been a mistake made in the grade, but that the street was now being filled in with three or four inches of stone, which was more than the contract called for. In his judgment, he thought that the borough would have a better roadbed. Mr. Bowden, the contractor, he said, had asked that someone be appointed to supervise the work, and Mr. Woolston thought it would be well if Street Commissioner Emmons could be assigned to look after the work.

Mr. Bowden was present and he was given permission to speak. He said:

"As a contractor on the Watchung avenue work I am very sorry that a mistake in the grade was made, but I believe that there will be a better road now that the decomposed material has been removed. The greatest cut would hardly have averaged fourteen inches. If the above material had been left the road would not have been so good. As a road builder with twenty-eight years experience I will state that my sole interest is to give the borough a first-class job."

Mr. MacLaughlin stated that he thought Mr. Dunham was to be inspector of the work according to the contract.

Mr. Dunham was given the privilege of the floor and said:

"Several mistakes have been made in the work on the avenue. I was away when the mistake in the grade was made, but better material has been put back than that which was removed. I didn't want to put the bor-

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THE ELECTORAL VOTE

McKinley's Total, Without Kentucky and Wyoming, 264.

FORMER, NO DOUBT, REPUBLICAN

Both, Nevertheless, Are Still in Dispute To-day---Indications of a Number of Congressional Contests. Belated Returns.

New York, Nov. 7.—Omitting the votes of Kentucky and Maryland, which are still in dispute, McKinley now has 264 electoral votes. Reports from Kentucky this morning indicate that the state is surely safe for the republicans by a majority of several hundred. This will increase the vote of McKinley to 277, and dispatches from Wyoming give assurances that the republicans have also captured that state, which would add three electors, making McKinley's vote in the electoral college 280. Until the votes cast last Tuesday are officially declared, it is not probable that any further changes will be made in the list of representatives-elect to the Fifty-fifth congress as published in these dispatches. Whatever may be the result of the canvass of the votes, it is evident that a number of contests before the house to establish claims to seats alleged to have been fraudulently withheld from those rightfully entitled to hold them will be made. A letter from Mr. Brady, read at republican headquarters before Chairman Hanna and several members of the committee, opens the way for half a dozen contests from Virginia alone. Representative Josiah Patterson of the Memphis, Tenn., district, a gold democrat, has, according to reports sent out from there, already entered upon a contest to prevent his recent antagonist, E. W. Carmack, a free-silver democrat, from occupying a seat. A contest is likely to occur also between the candidates in the Seventh Kentucky district—W. C. P. Breckinridge, gold democrat, and E. E. Settle, silver democrat, the latter being reported as elected. Reports from Ohio indicate that contests may be expected from the Dayton and Columbus districts, unless the defeated candidates should be satisfied that fraud or substantial irregularity had nothing to do with shattering their hopes of success.

PENNSYLVANIA COMPLETE.

McKinley's Plurality 297,005 — Twenty-seven Republican Congressmen Elected.

Philadelphia, Nov. 7.—Complete returns from every county in Pennsylvania show the total vote to be as follows: For president — McKinley, rep., 720,971; Bryan, dem., 423,966; Levering, pro., 18,263; Palmer, Jeff., 10,931. McKinley's plurality, 297,005. For congressmen-at-large—Grow, rep., 703,433; Davenport, rep., 700,810; Dewitt, dem., 410,071; Ailman, dem. and pop., 412,209. The republicans elect 27 congressmen, including congressmen-at-large, and the democrats three. The three democrats are William McAleer, gold dem., Third district; Daniel Ermontrout, Ninth district, and George J. Banner, Nineteenth district. The delegation to the present congress is composed of 28 republicans and 2 democrats. The new legislature, which will elect a United States senator to succeed J. Donald Cameron, whose term will expire March 4, 1897, is divided politically, as follows: Senate—Republicans, 44; democrats, 6. House—Republicans, 170; democrats, 34. Republican majority on joint ballot, 174.

TENNESSEE'S TARDY RETURNS.

Both Sides Are Accused of Playing a Waiting Game.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 7.—Complete returns upon which may be based certain results of the election in Tennessee may not be available for three or four days, but those already received indicate republican success. Both sides are accused of playing a waiting game in sending in returns. Taking official returns so far as received the democrats lose 8,000 in west Tennessee, as compared with '92, and 1,000 in middle Tennessee, while in east Tennessee the republicans show an increased majority of 20,000 to 25,000, the lower figure being admitted by the democrats. Josiah Patterson, sound money democrat for congress, has mandamused the sheriff of Fayette county, where wholesale frauds are reported to such extent as to give Carmack, free silver democrat for congress, a majority on the face of the returns in this district.

KENTUCKY REPUBLICAN.

McKinley's Plurality Will Be Between 600 and 700.

Louisville, Nov. 7.—Leslie, the last of the missing counties, gives McKinley a plurality of 841. This indicates that the state is republican by between 600 and 700.

Bryan Declines a $25,000 Position.

New York, Nov. 7.—The big department store that recently sent to W. J. Bryan an offer of $25,000 a year to take charge of its law department has received the following message in reply: "During the next four years I expect to devote as much time as possible to the advocacy of bimetallism and therefore cannot consider the proposition made by you. I appreciate the confidence which your offer implies. "W. J. BRYAN."

McKinley to Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 7.—Wm. J. Bryan has received the following message from Major McKinley in reply to his telegram congratulating the successful candidate on his election: "I acknowledge the receipt of your courteous message of congratulations with thanks and beg you will receive my best wishes for your health and happiness. WM. M'KINLEY."

TO ENLARGE THEIR PLANT.

The Carnegie Company To Begin Improvments Involving $1,000,000 Expenditure.

Pittsburg, Nov. 7.—The Carnegie Steel company have decided to go forward at once with extensive improvements and additions to their plants, involving an expenditure of half a million dollars. The order includes the completion of two blast furnaces, work upon which stopped about three months since. It was also decided to complete the Butler & Pittsburg road to the lakes, which the Carnegie company was building, on which work was partially suspended. In addition to the other improvements mentioned, contracts amounting to a quarter of a million dollars were let.

Business Booming in Wisconsin.

Racine, Wis., Nov. 7.—The J. I. Case Plow works will resume in about two weeks. A full force of hands will be put on, and the plant will be run ten hours a day. The J. I. Case Thrashing Machine company's plant will resume Dec. 10, with a full force of hands. The Racine Woolen mills will resume Dec. 1 with a full force on full time. The Racine Wagon & Carriage Co., a concern employing nearly 1,000 people, is getting its force of traveling men together and will start them on the road next Monday morning.

Business Revival in Rhode Island.

Woonsocket, R. I., Nov. 7.—The large cotton mills at Slatersville will start on full time next Monday morning and run at full capacity. The officers of the Glenark Knitting company in this city, said to be the largest knit goods plant in the country, which has been running several hours overtime daily for a month past, said today that owing to the way orders were coming in it was expected to shortly begin to run all night. Industrial conditions generally are much improved over two months ago.

The Boom Enters Texas.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 7.—The Galveston Rope & Twine factory, which has been idle for some time, will resume operations next Monday and will run on full time. This will give employment to 100 operatives who have been out of work some time.

Increase of Working Hours.

New York, Nov. 7.—The Erie railroad officials have just issued instructions to three of their principal locomotive repair shops to work their forces all the daylight hours during November, which means nine hours per day instead of eight.

Heavy Gain in Gold.

New York, Nov. 7.—The net gain in gold at the sub-treasury yesterday was $915,000. The day's withdrawals were $25,700 in coin and $42,700 in bars for manufacturing purposes.

Kittanning Mill Will Resume.

Kittanning, Pa., Nov. 7.—The Kittanning Iron & Steel company's mill at this place, which has been idle for months, will start up in a week.

Rate of Discount at Hartford Reduced.

Hartford, Nov. 7.—The city banks have reduced the rate of discount on short business paper to 6 per cent.

Divorce for Theatrical Manager Henderson

Chicago, Nov. 7.—David Henderson, the well known theatrical manager, has been granted a decree of divorce from Grace Roth Henderson. The latter is now playing an engagement in this city with "Under the Polar Star" company. George Alexander Ballantine, son of a wealthy Newark, N. J., brewer, was the corespondent.

New Bicycle Record.

London, Nov. 7.—At Catford yesterday afternoon Colliver and Chinn, riding a tandem bicycle, standing start, covered a quarter of a mile in 29 1-5 seconds, beating the record.

Three Convicts Escape.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 7.—John Castinetto, Hurley and Peters, three convicts from Wethersfield, escaped from the hospital for the insane in this city last night.

Twins Born to Princess Margaret.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—Princess Margaret, sister of Emperor William and wife of Prince Frederick Carl Ludwig of Hesse, has given birth to twin sons at Rumyenheim.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Decidedly higher; checking trade. Nov., 83⅛c.; Dec., 84⅝c.; May, 87⅛c.

Corn—Spot stronger; fair demand. Nov. 30⅝c.; Dec. 31⅛c.; Jan. 33c.; May 35c.

Oats—Fair demand; firmer prices. Dec. 23¾c.; March, 25c.; May 26¼c.

Pork—Demand moderate; old prices. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.25; family, $10.50@12.00.

Lard—Market dull; slight demand. $4.50.

Eggs—Prices steady; market firmer. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 20@23c.; ice house, 15@16c.; western, 19@21c.; duck, 19½@22½c.; goose, 22@24c.; western, case, $3.25@3.90.; limed, 14½@15c.

Butter—Receipts light; trade quiet; feeling steady and firm. Fresh creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 15½@19c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

IN COAL VEINS.

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Most people know that coal is full of vegetable remains, but comparatively few are aware of the fact that animal and insect bodies by countless millions also go to make up the great beds of fuel that are now being so extensively drawn upon. The vegetable impressions found in coal or in the shale just above the vein are very beautiful as well as numerous, not less than 1,500 different kinds of plants having been noticed in carboniferous seams in the different parts of the world. Some of these plants are very much like those now living, but the majority of them, even though found in Nova Scotia or Iceland, appear to be representatives of what are now tropical varieties.

Many animals and insects, says the Chicago Record, are also found fossilized and thoroughly preserved in the coal beds. These petrified creatures of the bygone age called the "coal period" are of various kinds. Huge toad-like reptiles with beautiful teeth, small tree lizards, great fish with tremendous jaws, tiny water mites, snails, "hundred-legged" worms and thousands of insects of the grasshopper and dragon fly tribes are also found. The curious fact is that there is not a single representative of these fossilized creatures now living.

MILEAGE FIENDS.

Idiots Who Ride Wheels to Roll Up a Record of Miles.

One of the things which await the easy-going, pleasure-loving cyclist in late summer and throughout the fall is the mileage fiend, says the New York Press. The warm weather of the summer usually acts as a damper even for their ambition and powers, and, like the birds of the woods, they have their seasons for rolling up their mileage records, and early spring and the fall is the time when they make themselves most conspicuous. On the boulevards, the driveways and on the country highways they bowl along with bent backs, projecting elbows, ram's horn handles and heads almost touching the tires of the front wheel. They are the material which keeps the bike cop busy, increases the coffers of the police courts and prepares the bike cop for the police races which the police commissioners seem to think necessary for advancement of the force. The mileage fiend to the average wheelman is as much an object of pity as the dude is to the average citizen. Just where the glory comes in of rolling up a record of miles is hard to see and means little more than that the rider foolishly expended time which could be used to better advantage.

Food of Mosquitoes.

It must be said in defense of mosquitoes that not one in 1,000,000 ever tastes blood. They feed ordinarily on the juices of plants. Why, under the circumstances, this insect in one sex should be furnished by nature with an elaborate blood-sucking apparatus is one of those things that no fellow can find out. Mosquitoes have been observed with their beaks inserted in boiled potatoes on the table, and they have even been seen busily engaged in sucking the juice from watermelon rinds. In one recorded instance they have shown a fondness for molasses, and Dr. E. A. Schwartz, of the government bureau of entomology, caught a specimen in the act of drinking beer.

A Deadly Poison.

The question has been asked which is the most powerful poison? So far as is known snake poison consists of a peptone which produces local ulceration, an unknown virulent substance, which causes infiltration of blood when injected into the tissues, and an albumen which is not apparently poisonous. When snake venom is concentrated by removing the third substance and retaining the other two, what is left constitutes the most powerful poison known to toxicology. It is 40 times more powerful than the original snake venom. It has been reckoned that a single thimbleful of it suitably applied would be enough to kill 25,000 persons.

Horse Butchering in Paris.

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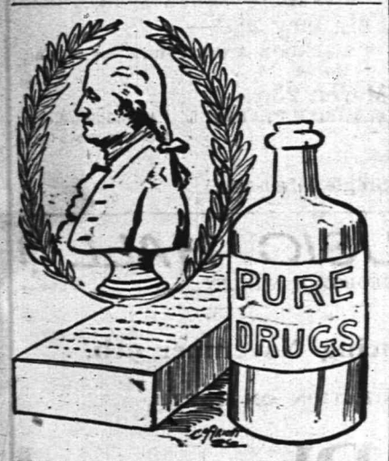

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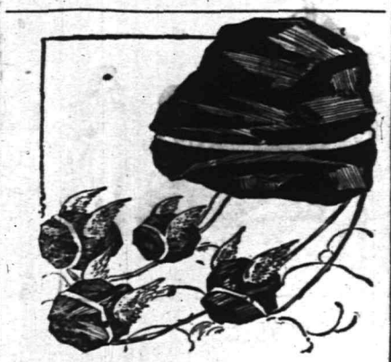

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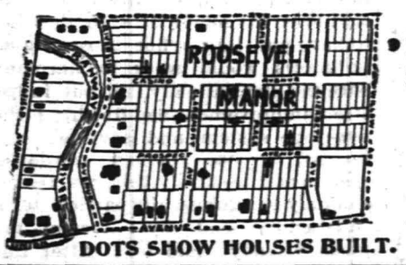

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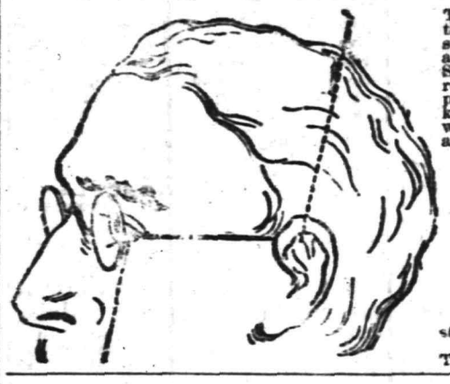

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DELAWARE'S OFFICIAL VOTE.

McKinley Electors Chosen, But Democratic State Officers Are Elected.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 7.—The counting up of the returns for this county was finished by the men on the adding machines at 7:30 o'clock last evening. No disorder occurred after 3 o'clock in the morning. The sheriff had a big force of deputies on hand all day to keep the crowds out of the court house The result showed that Flinn, rep., for sheriff, had his vote much reduced as compared with the figures given out by the election officers after the polls closed. The last count showed he had but 182 plurality against 1,021 returned by the election officers. The result in the state on president now stands: McKinley, 20,452; Bryan, 16,615; Palmer, 956; Levering, 602. McKinley's plurality, 3,837. James G. Shaw a McKinley elector, whose name had "sr." added on one ticket in Newcastle county, was counted as two men, but his vote in Kent and Sussex counties gave him more than the lowest man on the democratic ticket and he was elected. The vote for congress: Handy, dem., 16,515. Willis, union rep., 12,828; Houston, rep., 7,186; Bayard, sound money, 133. Handy's plurality, 3,687. The vote for governor resulted: Tunnel, dem., 16,604; Hoffecker, union rep., 12,669; Higgins, rep., 6,997. Tunnell's plurality, 3,935. In the legislature the latest returns give the democrats a majority of twenty on joint ballot, thus insuring the election of a democrat to succeed United States Senator Higgins.

INDIANA'S VOTE.

Gowdy Still Estimates McKinley's Majority at 20,000.

Indianapolis, Nov. 7.—Little by little the official count in the various counties are reaching Chairman Gowdy by telegraph and mail. He has not altered his estimate that McKinley's majority in the state is 20,000. He still feels confident that Indiana will send nine republicans to congress, and that there will be a majority in the legislature of twenty-two on joint ballot. There is a tie on the legislative vote in Fulton county. In 1892 the democratic majority was 216. Chairman Gowdy says that another election will be necessary in all probability. Charles W. Fairbanks' friends claim that he has the support of 70 per cent. of the republican legislators for the United States senate, and that he will be elected without any difficulty.

McKinley's Attitude Towards England.

London, Nov. 7.—The Telegraph will to-day publish an interview had by its correspondent at Canton, O., with President-elect McKinley. Mr. McKinley was asked to send a message to England. He replied: "Not directly from me, but you may say that no words will better express my feelings towards England than 'Peace on earth, good will to men.'" The correspondent says he was charmed by Mr. McKinley's genial and cordial manner, adding that nobody in such a position could be more unaffected and unassuming.

Says Bryan Will Be Nominated in 1900.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 7.—Senator Ben Tillman of South Carolina, who was here last night on his way home from Chicago, declared that Bryan would be the nominee of the democratic party in 1900.

South Dakota Safe for McKinley.

Yankton, S. D., Nov. 7.—Returns from the entire state except three counties give the state to McKinley beyond doubt.

MRS. W. K. VANDERBILT DEAD.

Passed Away Suddenly with Heart Disease at Scarborough, N. Y.

New York, Nov. 7.—Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt, the mother of Cornelius and William K. Vanderbilt, died at Scarborough, N. Y., yesterday afternoon. Her death was due to heart disease. For some time past Mrs. Vanderbilt had been troubled with the disease which finally resulted in her death, and yesterday morning, while out riding with her sister, she felt severe pains in the region of the heart She asked to be taken home, and her request was immediately complied with, but the pains and suffering increased, and at 1:30 o'clock she expired. Her daughter, Mrs. Elliot F. Shepard, and her sister, Mrs. Bromley, were present at the death-bed. Mrs. Vanderbilt was 75 years of age.

Holman Dunning Found Dead in Bed.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 7.—Holman C. Dunning, rusher on the New Bedford polo team, was found dead in bed in his boarding house in this city yesterday afternoon, probably from an epileptic fit, to which he was at times subject. He was 28 years old and belonged in Bath, Me.

Death of Loomis J. Campbell.

Oneonta, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Loomis J. Campbell, one of the best known students and literary men of the United States, died at his home at this place yesterday of apoplexy. Mr. Campbell was the author of a history of the United States and the popular Franklin series.

Duke of Wurtemberg Dead.

Vienna, Nov. 7.—His royal highness, William Nicholas, Duke of Wurtemberg, died from a stroke of apoplexy yesterday on his estates in Tyrol. He was 68 years of age.

Removed for Offensive Partisanship.

Washington, Nov. 7.—The president has removed from office P. M. Ridgeley, postmaster at Springfield, Ill., for taking too active a part in the recent political campaign.

Burns Knocked Out in Three Rounds.

Washington, Nov. 7.—At Stubener's road house last night Pat Raedy of Washington, in a fight to a finish, knocked out Tom Burns of California in three rounds.

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HER CASE CRITICAL

Three Doctors Attending Mrs. Castle in Wormwood Prison.

NO DOUBT OF HER INSANITY

Ambassador Bayard Appeals to the Home Office for the Woman's Pardon---Mr. Castle Nearly Distracted over His Wife's Predicament.

London, Nov. 7.—The condition of Mrs. Walter M. Castle of San Francisco, who was yesterday sentenced to jail for three months without hard labor on her plea of guilty to the charge of shoplifting, is reported today as critical. Two private physicians, besides the prison doctor, are attending her at Wormwood Scrubbs jail, where she is now confined. There is no one connected with the case who does not now fully believe that the woman's mind is badly affected, and as the sentence was only nominal it is believed that the appeal sent by Ambassador Bayard to the home office will result in her release in a day or so. The prison officials will not cause her hair to be cut off, as is the rule for all convicts. Mr. Castle, who was acquitted of the charge to which his wife pleaded guilty, the prosecuting attorney stating that there was no evidence to connect him with the thefts, is almost distracted over the horrible predicament of his wife. He will do all he possibly can to secure her speedy release. The scene in the court room when sentence was prounced was a dramatic one. Mrs. Castle stood dazed for a moment. Then as the full import of the sentence came to her she became hysterical, obliging the nurses and the prison warden to support her. She began to moan piteously and finally to scream and struggle violently. She was removed from the room as quickly as possible. As she was being taken away she cried out: "What does it mean? My God, what does it mean?" Many of the women in the court room exhibited strong emotion, several of them wept, and all of them expressed deep sympathy with the prisoner, whose screams could be heard faintly issuing from the underground passage through which she was taken away. Several of the merchants who testified against Mrs. Castle expressed surprise at the sentence and appeared to regret their share in the prosecution. The value of the stolen articles amounted to £43 10s.

Sympathy for Mrs. Castle.

Commenting upon the conviction of Mrs. Castle the Chronicle to-day says that if ever there was a distinct case of kleptomania it is that of Mrs. Castle. The Daily News says: "The woman's dishonesty was serious, deliberate, repeated. It is difficult to believe that she would have called herself a thief if she was not one, even at the instigation of her counsel." The Graphic will say that it is impossible for the most cynical unbeliever in kleptomania not to sympathize with Mrs. Castle. The punishment will, perhaps, fall the heaviest on her husband, who did not exercise restraint upon her.

Olney Advised of Mrs. Castle's Conviction.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Secretary Olney received the following cablegram from Ambassador Bayard: "Prosecution against Castle withdrawn. Mrs. Castle sentenced on a formal plea to minimum imprisonment without labor. Application for total remission instantly urged. Mental disorder unquestionable."

Booth's Volunteer Army Incorporated.

Albany, Nov. 7.—The Volunteers of America, the Ballington Booth section of the Salvation army, has been incorporated with the secretary of state. The directors are Ballington Booth, Maud Ballington Booth, John Greener Hallimond, of Montclair, N. J.; James Wilkerson Merrill of Brooklyn, N. Y.; James Hartwright of East Orage, N. J.; Daniel Day Walton of West Orange, N. J., and Edward Trumble, Eugene Mantz and Pattie Lindsay of New York city.

Armenian Refugees at New York.

New York, Nov. 7.—The British steamer Boyne, which arrived last night from Smyrna, Asia, brought seven Armenian passengers. Capt. Fisher reports that these passengers were refugees who were compelled to flee for their lives and take refuge on board the steamer. They were sent to Ellis island.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Increasing Cloudiness and Probably Showers Sunday; Warmer Tonight; Cooler Sunday Night.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 58 Degrees.

What's the matter with Hanna? He says he does not want office of any kind.

The makeup of the Presidential cabinet affords the guessing ones plenty of occupation just now.

President Cleveland yesterday appointed M. J. Hickey postmaster at Raritan to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Patrick Burns.

The total pluralities of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut for McKinley almost equal the total plurality of Cleveland in the United States four years ago. McKinley's vote over Bryan in these three neighboring commonwealths was 413,000.

William J. Bryan does not take a rosey view of the future in the statement that he issued last night to those who were his supporters in the contest just ended. He advances the opinion that no prosperity satisfactory to the masses of the people can come from the policy proposed by the administration of Mr. McKinley, and he advises bimetalists to prepare for the fight of 1900 which he says will be on the same issues as the one closed last Tuesday. A distinguishing feature of his statement is the portion where he speaks of appreciation of the devotion and support of his followers, and includes the name of his wife as an equal factor in the contest with himself.

THEATRICAL.

The following list of productions are presented by the Kenndy Players: "The Midnight Express," Colonel James Snellwusner's great London Comedy the "Two Thieves;" Milton Nobles great play "The Phoenix;" "The Octoroon," Oliver Twist," "The Two Orphans," "A Brother's Crime" and "Ingomar." This is a great list of plays and should pack any place of amusement to the doors. This company carries every particle of scenery used in productions, as will be seen as each play is presented next week.

Demagogue and Coward.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: I was greatly amused last Wednesday evening at the boyish ebullition of temper displayed by our respected citizen, Mr. Runyon, of the Courier-News. In fact, I asked a gentlemen if he was over 70 years of age, presuming he was in his second childhood Since then I have learned otherwise, and find he is not so old as I am myself (43). Mr. Editor, I hope he does not take those turns often; I beleive it is a blessing there is not an election every day for him; he would burst. And then what would those 75 cent a day workers do? They and Mr. Runyon are the curse of this country. You have said from the first you were independent and have remained so. Mr. Runyon preaches what he does not practice. Therefore he is the coward, not you, Mr. Editor.

Yours Respectfully.
Frederick Durand.
535 West Second street.

Entertained in Honor of a Guest.

Miss Libby Joseph, of Manning avenue, entertained a few friends at her home last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Hattie Brown, of Scranton. The evening was given up to genuine sociability, while the playing of games and dancing was not the least of the pleasures. Those present were Miss Libby Joseph, Miss Hattie Brown, Miss Holmes, Miss Sadie Holmes, Miss Anderson; Fred Ross, Raymond Carroll, John H. Van Winkle, Jr., and Charles Dolliver.

An Address by the Mayor.

A special meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club will be held at the Casino on Monday afternoon, November 9th, at 4:30 o'clock, when Mayor Gilbert will deliver an address on the "Development of the Monetary System." An invitation is extended to those interested.

—The W. C. T. U. "Festival of Days" will be held on December 9 and 10.

—Rev. J. O. McKelvey will preach at the Wilson Memorial Chapel at Washingtonville, to-morrow evening.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

That Catarrh is a Local Affection

of the nasal passages is a fact established by physicians, and this authority should carry more weight than assertions of incompetent parties that catarrh is a blood affection. Ely's Cream Balm is a local remedy, composed of harmless medicants and free of mercury or any injurious drug. It will cure catarrh. Applied directly to the inflamed membrane, it restores it to its healthy condition.

AVENUE TO BE OPENED.

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ough to a great expense by supervising the work continually and remaining on the avenue all the time. Mr. Bowden expects to remain on the work now until it is completed. I would prefer that the borough secure an outside inspector or I would be glad to help the street commissioner. From now on I shall not charge the borough one cent for supervision. I am interested in the city and borough, where I pay taxes. There have been reports that Mr. Bowden and myself are in business together, which is entirely false."

Mr. Valiant thought that the borough should have some one to look after its interests, and he made a motion that the street commissioner supervise the work. Mr. MacLaughlin thought it would be additional expense to put Mr. Emmons on the work, and as Mr. Dunham is held responsible as per contract, and was not going to make a change, he saw no reason why Mr. Emmons or anyone else should be secured.

Mr. Woolston did not agree with him and thought that Mr. Emmons should give some of his time to the work.

At this time Mr. Valiant took the chair and Mayor Hegeman spoke somewhat as follows: "When the borough started the work of opening Watchung avenue, it was in my judgment to give the borough the greatest improvement it ever had. The preliminary work was performed cautiously and in a first-class manner. We employed Mr. Dunham to furnish specifications which were expensive, but complete. Mr. Bowden offered the lowest bid and secured the contract. My attention was first called to the street when I heard that it had been cut fourteen inches below the proper grade. I learned that it had been filled in with clay which the contractor thought was all right. Some parts were not of a character to build a macadam road, which is one instance where the specifications were not lived up to. Another instance of failure is true. Between Pearl and Chatham streets the binder was put on three to four inches when it called for one inch. There was also one place where it was not rolled, and the specifications called for it. I called the attention of the superintendent to the matter and it was rolled. This new street cost the borough a large amount of money which is the people's money, and the work has got to be done properly, and I don't care who I hit in saying so. The contractor must live up to the the specifications or he won't get a cent. This filling in to make a better road don't count. We expect to have the contracts carried out and it is necessary to have some inspector there, for we want to know how the road is going to be built."

Mr. Valiant said that if it was impossible to have Mr. Dunham look after the work perhaps the latter could secure someone to look after the work for him. To this suggestion Mr. Dunham thought it best for the Council to appoint a man and he would assist him. Continuing Mr. Dunham said:—"I think the Mayor is right. I should have insisted on an inspector and then the contractor would not have made a mistake. I wish to say that it was not my mistake. If it had I would have made it right." This ended the discussion and Mr. Valiant's motion prevailed that the Street Commissioner supervise the work.

On Mr. Scutt's resolution a warrant was ordered drawn for $1,003 93 in favor of Engineer Dunham for Mr. Bowden on account of the Watchung avenue work. Another resolution by Mr. Schutt provided for the confirmation of H. N. Spencer's action in settling the monthly pay roll. On a motion offered by Mr. Woolston a loan of $1,000, charged to the road account, will be made and Mr. Woolston offered a resolution which was adopted that the petition for cross walks at the corner of Manning avenue and Somerset street and at the corner of Duer street and Greenbrook road, be granted.

In regard to the petition of N. B. Smalley and John Herman asking that Regent street and Whitewood avenue be accepted, Mr. Woolston stated that the top dressing had not been placed on either street, but he moved that the streets be accepted and it was so ordered. The same Councilman offered another resolution which provided for the macadamizing of Brook avenue as petitioned by Mr. Clawson, when the funds would permit.

Mr. Peck moved that when Council adjourn it be to meet Friday evening, November 20th. After Mr. Woolston stated that the committee was making progress regarding the Manning avenue houses being placed on a line, Mr. McLoughlin moved that the Council go into executive session.

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AN AUTUM SOCIAL.

Seasonable Event Held by Grace P. E. Church Women.

Under the ruddy glow from the red-covered lamps, the "Harvest Home Supper" in the chapel of the Grace P. E. church passed off very successfully. Great bunches of corn were grouped in the window recesses and corners, while red decorations were entwined about the harvest products, the corn, the pumpkins and the like. The tables were models of daintiness with their snowy linen and pretty china. The supper was an excellent one and an elaborate menu had been prepared, which included nearly everything from chicken salad to pumpkin pie.

The supper was given by the women of the church and for the benefit of the women's work. The doors were open from 4 until 10 o'clock. Of course there were not many visitors early in the afternoon, but as the sun disappeared and the twilight approached the guests began to come, one by one, and soon the rooms were filled with the sound of merry chatter and the rattle of knives and forks.

The supper was gotten up by a committee of the women of the church, which was composed of the following: Mrs. O. T. Waring, Mrs. D. T. Van-Buren, Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Mrs. T. H. Minford, Mrs. Charles Lawson, Mrs. G. M. Randell, Mrs. H. T. Smith, Mrs. R. M. Stover, Mrs. Howard Lapsley, Mrs. Rowland Cox, Miss E. R. Cock, the Misses Holly and Miss Fuller. The door was presided over by Morris Dumont.

The attendance was large as the evening progressed and a goodly sum was raised. There was no programme.

LOST MONEY AND CHECK BY THEFT.

The Owner Was on a Ladder When the Tramp Committed the Deed.

A clever robbery was committed this morning about 10:30 at the water works station, when J. T. Jones, the fireman, was relieved of his pocket book containing a $5 bill, two $2 bills and a check for a large amount. Mr. Jones was working on a ladder outside of the building when a tramp entered the engine room, presumably for a drink of water. Shortly after he disappeared, Mr. Jones went to the engine room to get a knife out of his trousers, which were hanging near a closet. He then learned to his great astonishment that his pocketbook had been taken with the above contents. He at once notified Chief Grant, and the latter turned the case over to Roundsman Mattox, who made a thorough search of the city, Fanwood, Scotch Plains and Glenside Park. He met three tramps on the county road and thinking that possibly the missing money might be among them he made a search, but did not find the money. The Roundsman thinks that the tramp is near Plainfield and he will keep a close watch for him.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Justina Clark, of Saratoga, is the guest of Miss Josephine Emmons, of the borough.

M. A. Haven, manager of Plainfield Beef Company, goes to Chicago today on a business trip.

Miss Anna Cooper, of Westfield, was the guest yesterday of Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue.

A young son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Long, of Summit avenue, yesterday afternoon.

James Bailey, of East Second street, is slightly improved from his severe illness, though he is not able to be out.

Arthur Williams, of Elmwood place, celebrated the sixth anniversary of his birthday yesterday in a pleasing manner.

Charles Bullman, of Third place, is a contributor to the New York Sun and Tribune on some of his recent developments in the mining interests in South America.

—Harper's, 411 Park avenue, is headquarters for red fire, lanterns, etc.

—The death of Margretta Garretson, youngest daughter of Nicholus and Elizabeth Messrschmidt, occurred at New Brunswick this morning. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 12.30 o'clock from her late residence, Suydam street station, New Brunswick, and interment will be at Millstone.

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FISK MAY BE CANDIDATE

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Since Mr. Fisk has long been considered a likely candidate for the nomination and has never said the word to clinch that sentiment, there are those who have been prone to believe that it might be that he really did not care to be at the head of the city government.

Some of Mr. Frost's friends are urging him to go into the canvass for the nomination on the ground that if Mr. Fisk wants it he should say so. I have it on the best of authority that Mr. Frost will be a candidate if Mr. Fisk is not, and it is hinted that he may be at any rate. Mr. Frost is anxious that there shall be no change in the sympathy of the incoming officials with those of the present towards the work now under progress in municipal improvement. That is said to be his sole interest in desiring to have put into office those whom he knows would work in harmony with the plans already laid out in the street improvement and finishing the sewerage system and sewage beds. So far, he has planned the latter system and he firmly believes that it can only be successfully carried to a satisfactory end by following the ideas already laid out. After this work is completed he is willing to step down and out and rest on his record. Until such a time he proposes to be an active factor in city government and that is why he is a possible Mayoralty candidate.

There is little or no doubt but what the Collectorship nomination will again go to Elias H. Bird. By a technicality of law Mr. Bird was deprived of the fruits of his victory last year, and in justness and appreciation of his sacrifice he will get the nomination.

It is likely that Alex Titsworth will be renominated for Treasurer, though there may be other candidates which have not yet loomed up.

The possible candidates from Councilmanic honors are still an unknown quantity.

But above all, the popular feeling is that Mr. Fisk, rotound, jolly, affable, substantial, progressive and diplomatic, will be the next Mayor.

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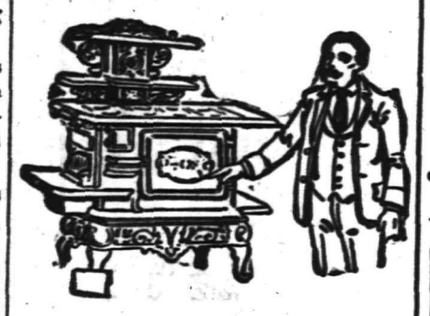

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{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Jacob Snell, of North avenue, is visiting in Somerville.

Extra Fireman Garret Quick has been laid up for a day or two by illness.

Wm. Winges, of Hoboken, was in town yesterday visiting among his friends.

Miss Lottie Taylor arrived home yesterday from a visit with Bayonne friends.

Ellis Carman, who fractured an arm by falling from a shed several weeks ago, is able to be out.

A. S. Giles was in New York yesterday on business connected with the new town hall improvement.

T. W. Sisty is quite a taxidermist. He has stuffed and mounted a fine specimen of crow for Chas. Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilhelm have gone to Easton for a few days' visit, and in the hope of benefiting Mr. Wilhelm's health.

B. F. McGovern has purchased a new Winchester rifle, and is getting in trim for the rabbit season, which opens on the 10th inst.

Mrs. Emily Apgar, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sherman Cooley, at Flemington, for a week past, has returned home.

Arthur Giddis, formerly with J. A. Smith & Bro., the Plainfield grocers, has accepted a position with Walter G. Runyon, the undertaker.

Postmaster Staats, who has just recovered from a most serious attac k of pneumonia, will go to Easton Monday for a two weeks' recuperation.

Conductor Charles Dinneen, of No. 30 engine, is the owner of a well-trained Irish setter dog, which was imported from Junction. The animal is a fine specimen of the canine species.

A carload of furniture belonging to Mrs. Earl, of Fifteenth street, New York city, who has leased the Hardingham house, arrived yesterday and was moved into the house by John Huff.

Conductor Dodwell, one of the popular conductors on the New Jersey Central Railroad, is again laid up with rheumatism. Conductor Oscar Freeman ran his train for him yesterday, and extra conductor "Bob" Prall, of Jersey City, took charge of Conductor Freeman's run.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Benjamin Singer went hunting on the mountain, yesterday, and got seven woodcock and a fine partridge.

William Lees's silver grey terrier dog killed five immense rats in the barn a day or two ago, and some of the rats were nearly as large as the dog.

William McDonough, who has been lying at the point of death for some time past, suffering from pleuro-pneumonia, is now thought to have passed the critical point. His son, Peter, from Plainfield, is an almost daily visitor.

At a regular meeting of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein, held on Thursday evening, the contract for re-tinning the roof on the Society's building was awarded to Robert Jahn of this place, who will start the work on Monday next.

Upon invitation, W. S. Emery will chaperone a party of his friends to Hilton, N. J., on Tuesday, the 10th instant, for a hunting bee. Judge Clark, the inevitable "Bob" Walpole and a Mr. Wanser, the latter from New York, are the chosen few.

The entertainment which is to be given under the auspices of the K. of P. in Excelsior Hall on the evening of the 19th instant, is already assuming gigantic proportions. Many of the Grand Lodge officers are expected to to be present, and there will be delegates from many of the lodges in the State present.

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Philip Jahn has finished his contract for the ornamental metal work on Amos Clark's house in Elizabeth, and he is now working on the roof of the new Congregational church in Washington Valley, for which Oscar O. Teale, of North Plainfield, is the architect.

FANWOOD.

Jacob Benner has started work on a $4,000 dwelling house, with a cafe, which will be located near his present dwelling at the corner of Terrill road and South avenue.

FOILED BY A WOMAN'S COOLNESS.

Thief Flees From a House, Leaving Valuable Booty Behind.

A burglar entered the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church at Raritan, early Sunday morning, and gave the pastor, Rev. J. H. Timbrell, and his family a thrilling experience. Mrs. Timbrell was first awakened by hearing footsteps in the hall. Thinking it was some member of the family, she called. The door opened quickly, and a man said in a hoarse whisper, "Woman, keep still or I will shoot you. Where is your money?"

"Did you know this was a preacher's house?" coolly asked Mrs. Timbrell. "We have no money."

Then the man began feeling about the room, which was perfectly dark. About this time Mr. Timbrell awoke, and he entered into conversation with the thief. A sister of Mrs. Timbrell, sleeping in an adjoining room, heard the conversation, and made a noise which frightened the burglar. He darted from the room and sprang downstairs and made his escape over a rear fence. He had ramsacked the lower part of the house and took some clothing. On the bureau in Mr. and Mrs. Timbrell's sleeping apartment, were two valuable watches and some money, which the burglar failed to find in the darkness.

JOHNSON IS READY TO DIE.

Convicted Murderer Says He Hadn't Long to Live Anyway and Is Satisfied.

Joseph S. Johnson, the aged negro preacher whose conviction for the murder of Annie Rodgers for a small sum of money was affirmed by the Supreme Court yesterday, was seen in his cell in the Somerset county jail by a reporter. When told that the court had decided against him he was not surprised. He scratched his woolley head and said: "Well, I could not live very much longer anyway." He seems resigned to his fate. He will probably be sentenced to death next week.

The Same Old Story.

Little Margaret Leggett, of 822 Madison avenue, lost a valuable necklace and an ad was inserted in The Press Thursday. Sydney R. Titsworth, of West Fifth street, picked up the lost article and noticing the ad in The Press, returned it yesterday afternoon. He refused to accept any reward.

Two New Districts.

The vote in the Third ward was so large at Tuesday's election that the ward will hereafter have to be divided into two districts. The vote in the First district of the Second ward also exceeded the limit of 600, and it will be necessary to redistrict that ward also.

Justice Nash's Court.

Justice Nash has issued summons in the cases of Darby against Lee, on contract, returnable on the 17th; Speer et als against Giles, on contract, returnable on the 17th; French against Delaney, on contract, returnable on the 12th.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Many political speakers, clergyman singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and larnyxitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—The Plainfield Cathoic Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday night.

—The chapel of the Grace P. E. church has just been improved with a new coat of paint.

—Justice Nash rendered judgment yesterday in the case of Morse against Marley, for possession of premises.

—A special consecration Christian Endeavor meeting will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow night.

—A public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held next Friday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building.

—The delay at the City National Bank is caused by the makers of the vaults. They are expected, however, in a short time.

—At the meeting of the Crescent Wheelmen Wednesday evening nine new members were received, which will greatly strengthen the club.

—Street Commissioner Emmons, of the borough, removed the surplus mud from Somerset street yesterday, for which a traveling public is thankful.

—The Methodist Episcopal church will hold special services in connection with the week of prayer for young men, on Sunday and Wednesday evenings.

—The grand masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club, to be held in the Plainfield Cycle Academy on Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, Nov. 25th, promises to be one of the events of the season. The Twilights have given several balls and dances in the rink, and everything points to a most delightful termination of this, their latest effort, to please their friends.

A Letter From an Endeavorer.

Chief of Police Grant recently received the following letter from a delegate to the State Christian Endeavor Union:

Atlantic Highlands, N. J., Oct. 26, 1896.

Mr. Grant.

Dear Sir:—Before thanking you for your kindness shown in gratifying our wish, I feel I must ask your pardon for not acknowledging that we had received the books before. I hope the delay on my part has not shaken your faith in Christian Endeavorers, or at least in two particular ones who bear that name, for "Trusting in Jesus for strength we are striving" to be Christianlike in every word, action and deed.

I believe we left Plainfield believing more deeply than ever before that the grandest thing in this world is a "genuine" Christian, be it man or woman, and it pays more than it costs to be one. Now I don't think I'm telling you what you don't know already. I received the impression that you, too, was a Christian, for you treated the delegates visiting your city so Christianlike that we shall not soon forget you or your kindness, and we must have caused you a good deal of trouble.

I thank you very much for sending the books. If ever we have the opportunity of serving you we will only be too glad to do so. Enclose the one dollar for the books. Plainfield is my ideal city. I have completely fallen in love with it.

Yours respectfully,
Sadie Leonard.

A Consecration Service.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregatianal Church will hold a consecration service in the lecture room of the church, Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The subject will be that assigned for last Sunday "The Blessedness of Entire Surrender to God." The service will be conducted in a somewhat unusual manner. There will be special music, and it is hoped the meeting may be a very helpful one. All Endeavorers and their friends, especially any strangers in the city, are most cordially invited.

Week of Prayer for Young Men.

The Week of Prayer for young men will be observed in the First M. E. church next week. On Sunday night, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., will preach on "A Plea for Young Men." The regular Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be changed into a prayer meeting for young men while another meeting will be held toward the close of the week.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Chronic constipation is a painful, disagreeable and life shortening difficulty. It deranges the system, causes sick headache, bad breath, and poisons the blood. It can be rapidly overcome by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These little pills are great regulators. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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AND BATH!
T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

Replevined Through the Coroner.

Ex-Councilman Hetfield yesterday replevined from Sheriff Kyte, through Dr. Stephen J. Keefe, Coroner, certain goods and chattels for George Cobb Company, which were levied upon by the Sheriff under four executions in his hands. This proceeding is unusual, as the Coroner is seldom called in to act in that capacity.

A Decision Reversed.

The Chancellor has recently decided in an appeal from the Union County Orphans' Court that the $1,200 interest whtch was decreed that Walter L. Hetfield, executor of the estate of Antoine DeBaud, deceased, should pay, was illegal. Nelson Runyon and Hon. James J. Bergen represented Mr. Hetfield.

—Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, will give an evening social on Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th, at Skandia Hall.

—Dancing at the G. A. R. fair was continued until 2 o'clock this morning, owing to the fact that there will be no dancing tonight, when the fair will close at 12 o'clock. All goods left over will be auctioned off.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—A young white girl to do general housework. Apply Monday, between the hours of 9 a. m., and 1 p. m., at 67 Mercer avenue, North Plainfield.

LOST—On Monday, on New street, a girls brown legging. Reward at Press office.

FOR SALE—Two lots, West Seventh street, near trolley. Cheap, easy terms. Enquire City Mills. 11 7 2

WANTED—By a colored girl, a place for general housework, in a small family. Call 221 East Sixth st.

WANTED—A girl as chambermaid and waitress. Apply at 324 Franklin place.

WANTED—By a reliable person, a situation in a private family, to do general housework; city reference. Please address H. O., 231 East Sixth street. 11 7 2 s-m

LOST—Pug dog, very dark. Reward for return to 722 West 7th st.

LOST—$27 in cash, between Varden avenue and Frazee's fishstand on Park avenue. Suitable reward to finder at this office.

MONEY to loan on bond and mort gage. Charles L. Moffett, att'y., corner Park and North aves. 11 7 10

WANTED—A girl for general housework, willing to go to Elizabeth. Apply 9 Grove street, Plainfield.

HOUSES TO LET—Manning and Watchung avenues, North Plainfield; $10 to $14 per month. Geo. F. White, tea store, 116 West Front street. 11 7 2

FOUND—A bicycle tool bag, containing air pump, oilcan, wrench, etc. Call Press office. 11 6 2

TO RENT—Part of fine house, centrally located, all improvements. Address R. care Press. 11 5 3

FOR SALE or to let, No. 622 La Grande avenue, price $2100. Rent $14. Edward C. Mulford, broker. 11 5 tf

HOUSE to let, 416 East Fourth street. Inquire 407 New street. 11 4 6

YOUNG man wants position in store or office. Best city references. Address E. C. W., 22 Norwood avenue. 11 4 4

FOR SALE—Good draught horse cheap. Thos. Mair, Leland ave. 10-31-6

TO RENT—Part of house; all improvements; rent low; 149 East Fifth street. 10 31 6

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Twenty-five pieces of 54-inch Fancy all-woo Suiting that have been 75c. and $1 per yard. Will be yours for 49c. the yard.

'Twill be to your interest to watch this space every day as we will offer certain lines of seasonable goods every day at business bringing prices.

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It is the push that keeps a moving—the best goods for the least money and courteous treatment to all is the marked rule of the busiest store in Plainfield.

Glassware.
Thin blown engraved tumblers 5c each
Wine glasses 2c
Goblets 2½c
Tumblers 1½c
½ gal pitchers 19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles 9c

Granite Ware.
Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:
Wash basins 10c
Oval dish pans 48c
Cullenders 19c
Fry pans 29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans 19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots 43c

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Outing Flannels, 8c. yard, worth 10c. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x2 1-2 yards, only $1.50. White Fringed Table Cloths, 2x3 yards, only $1.75. Children's Natural Wool Underwear from 10c. up. Ladies' Rib and Flat Underwear, from 25c. up. Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, best in market for 50c. Men's White and Natural Wool Drawers, from 50c. to $1.50. Men's Canton Flannel Drawers, 50c. Men's Seamless 1-2 Hose, f-om 5c. pair up.

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REVIVAL OF BUSINESS

The Long Hoped-for Change Now at Hand.

CLOUDS DISAPPEAR SINCE ELECTION

Gold Premium Vanishes, Interest Rate Collapses and Millions of Dollars Are Unlocked from Hoarding---Factories and Mills Resuming.

New York, Nov. 7.—Dun's weekly review of the condition of trade will, to-day, say: A great revolution has been effected this week in the conditions which control business. It could not be in any fair degree reflected as yet in transactions or in records, but there is ample evidence already that a weight has been lifted and rolled away, and the business world has begun to adjust itself to a state of security which it has not known for years. Dread of disaster no longer locks up resources and paralyzes enterprise, and new contracts involving many millions have become binding since the election. The rush for stocks on Wednesday lifted the average for all railways $1.16 per share in a single day and trust stocks $1.54, and in many of the most active the advance was so sudden that heavy sales for realizing caused some reaction. The wild advance of over 3 cents in wheat on Monday and Wednesday was also followed by realizing and decline on Thursday. But the instant vanishing of the premium on gold, which reached about 2 per cent., the unlocking of many millions which had been hoarded, the collapse of the interest rate from 8 and 12 to 6 and 5½ per cent., and the quick demand for American securities on foreign account, are signs of more lasting promise.

Interest in the Election Retarded Business

Records of the past week could not be expected to show improvement in volume of business. So engrossed was the country with the political contest that Saturday was almost a holiday at many cities as well as Tuesday, and clearings showed a decrease of 10.5 per cent. compared with last year and 13.9 per cent. compared with 1892. Railway earnings in the last week of October were relatively smaller than in other weeks, and for the month, though better than in September, were 5.2 per cent. below last year's and 6.3 per cent. below those of 1893. Tonnage west bound and north and south at Indianapolis is the heaviest for twenty years. It was not because of past or present business that stocks rose to an average of $49.75 per share on Wednesday, but millions of the unlocked hoard sought investment, and about 40,000 shares were, taken on London account. Prices were and for some time will be, governed by estimates of the better things that are coming.

Prices Stiffened.

The evil effects of a speculative rise in materials are already seen in restricted purchases of boots and shoes, resulting from the small advance in prices, which has made no progress in the past week, but was caused by a rise of 14 per cent. in leather. Behind that is the speculative rise of over 40 per cent. in hides since the first week in September, for which no valid excuse appears. The rise this week at Chicago extended to nearly all grades of packer and country hides. The advance in sole leather has an excuse in these mercurial changes, but results last year are so keenly remembered that boot and shoe dealers are slow to buy, although in men's brogans and women's grain and buff shoes orders have been secured for some time ahead. The election immediately stiffened prices of pig iron, which reached $12 at Pittsburg for Bessemer, and the certainty that many large orders for buildings and bridges and other finished forms would now become operative justifies some advance. The future of this trade now depends upon the extent of increase in demand for finished products of iron and steel, which is likely to be materially affected by the course pursued by various combinations. The billet pool, which is still openly undersold at Pittsburg, and has caused no end of disturbance in business by favoring one class of producers to the detriment of another, has been in session here, and is said to have changed its basis of allotment so as to secure fairer results.

Cottons and Woolens.

A slight advance in sheetings and print cloths is the only change which yet appears in the market for cotton goods, and practically no change has yet appeared in woolens, but the reported purchase of wool, including one of 11,000,000 lbs. of territory, said to have been made by a syndicate, amounted to 18,561,000 lbs. against 5,621,350 last year, and 8,215,000 in 1892. The average of prices rose about half a cent in October, and since Sept. 1st 104 quotations by Coates Brothers have risen from 11.16 to 12.92 cents to 6.3 per cent.

Trade Activity at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Nov. 7.—Railroad ticket agents report that during the past twent-four hours a greater number of commercial travelers have left the city in the interest of their respective houses than at any time since last March. There is a general revival of business in all manufacturing concerns, and it is estimated that by the starting up of iron mills, factories and other establishments which have been idle during the summer, at least 4,000 men have found employment. The local banks report heavy deposits in gold during the past twenty-four hours.

Employment for 500 Men.

Milwaukee, Nov. 7.—The Milwaukee Harvester company has just placed 300 additional men at work, and its officers say 200 more will be employed within a month.

TALK WITHOUT A STING.

Some Things Seen and Heard in Northern Michigan.

An Unprejudiced Estimate of Our Jewish Fellow-Citizens — Economical Potato Planting—Landscapes That Hurt the Eye.

[Special Letter.]

Usually the first man I meet when away from home is a Jew. But as I have a great admiration for the Hebrew race these meetings are by no means disagreeable. I admire the Jews because they possess the knack of adapting themselves to conditions and circumstances, and because they know how to live. Several years ago I became a convert to their theory that a man's food influences his mental and moral condition. And observation has strengthened my faith in this doctrine. The Jews eat the choicest food, as soon as they have the means to buy it. Note the result. Instead of having remain in bondage and mere workers for wages they have become the prime movers in magnificent enterprises and give employment to tens of thousands of gentiles. While I admit that native shrewdness has had much to do with Jewish success here and abroad, yet I am firm in the belief that good cooking and the wise selection of food products has been quite as important a factor. Still another cause of the phenomenal progress made by the Hebrew race since its emancipation from bondage is its love of travel. A Jew never stagnates, either commercially or socially. When business is dull in one town he moves to another. When the society of his abiding place tires him he takes his family to a summer or winter resort. In short, he is progressive in every phase of life—whether selling goods on the road, or running a store, or dealing in options, or winning a place in the social world, or seeking political preferment. He is not satisfied until he is on top, and when on top he wants to direct the movements of the society in which he moves. What a combination of oriental tact, German tenacity and cosmopolitan genius!* No wonder that even the Jewbaiters of Germany and Austria seek to emulate the race they hate so much by exhorting their followers to meet Semitic persistency with an imitation of Semitic aggressiveness.

Too Many Christians by Four.

The oft-repeated statement that half of our pleasure resorts would have to be closed should the Jewish population withhold its patronage received convincing emphasis in my mind during a summer trip through northern Michigan, a section of the country which has developed into a veritable Mecca for

"TOO MANY CHRISTIANS."

recreation seekers. The large hotels at Petoskey, Harbor Springs, Mackinaw and Mackinac island entertained hundreds of representative Hebrew families, hailing from Chicago, Cincinnati, Louisville, New Orleans and other southern points. In some hostelries they formed the majority of guests, notably in one inn at Petoskey where a genuinely American face was hard to discover. Coming down in the train from Charlevoix I overheard a conversation between two clothing manufacturers from Cincinnati, one of whom had been to Petoskey, which, although a trifle ancient, hit the nail exactly on the head. "Vell, Israel," said one, "how's things at the Blank hotel at Pedoskey?" "All right, Ikey," responded the other, "only dere's too many Christians there. I met four of dem in de corridor yesterday morning." The first time I heard this story it was applied to Long Branch, but as it fits the Blank hotel at Petoskey equally well, we will let it go without further comment.

Economical Potato Planting.

Once upon a time I read that Scots and Swedes were exactly alike in one respect—a total lack of the sense of humor. The man who originated this statement must have been a dull observer indeed, for some of the brightest witticisms I have heard were of Scotch origin, and Gus Heege, in his clever Swedish-American plays, has succeeded in proving that Swedish humor is worth at least a smile. Ole Olson has done more than his share to convert Michigan's great wilderness of stumps into a huge potato patch, and one of the family at least has used his wit to great pecuniary advantage this summer. Sven struck Mecosta county some time in April and made arrangements with a land owner to plant a large field of potatoes "on shares." He was to furnish half the seed and all the work. The seed cost him eight cents a bushel, and drew heavily on his savings; but when he looked at the large extent of soil to be worked his heart almost failed him. However, instead of giving up in despair, he studied Mecosta county nature, and then proceeded to invite all of his neighbors to meet him on his "patch" on a certain Monday morning for the purpose of partaking of some liquid refreshments. His guests arrived on time, and so did three kegs of beer and a lot of agricultural implements. Sven asked his neighbors to hitch their horses to the machine and give him a "lift" with his potatoes before indulging in the amber fluid. By five o'clock all his seed had been planted and all the beer had been consumed. "But do you think," said I, when he had told me his story, "it was hospitable to make your guests work like slaves?" "H'm," responded Sven; "if dey ben fool enough to do de work, Ae yust ben fool enough to spend tree dollar for beer." Now I contend that this Swedish peasant has not only lots of humor in his make-up, but enough shrewdness to accumulate a competency, no matter how discouraging conditions and circumstances might be.

Where Nature Is in Mourning.

An artist in search of a landscape depicting "Desolation" could find plenty of material in northern Michigan. After having traveled over the rich prairies of Illinois and Iowa and through the picturesque valleys of New York my heart almost bled when, for the first time, my eyes beheld mile after mile of country covered with nothing but rank grass, sand and stumps. Where a few years ago stately hemlocks and giant pines had invited man to worship his Creator nothing remained but decay

THE GIANTS OF THE PAST.

ing roots and here and there a leaning trunk scorched by forest fires. Everything else man, in his greed for gold and without a thought for posterity, had destroyed. Towns which once contained hundreds of busy inhabitants, stores and dance houses, were deserted, save by the few who had not the means to get away. The busy sawmills were moved to other points where the work of destruction promised fresh returns to conscienceless capital. Occasionally a small potato patch in the sand, laboriously cultivated around gigantic stumps, bore testimony to the industry of the few remaining inhabitants of these deserted villages, but otherwise all was desolation—a picture of want, a sermon on the thoughtlessness of man and the shortsightedness of greed. Where hundreds could have dwelled in affluence for generations, had the stock of lumber been husbanded, a few now struggle along on the borderland of starvation. The lumberman became a millionaire in a year or two, the paupers are paupers still, and the farmer has to spend years in clearing land which, after all, promises but lean returns for his hard toil.

Stranded in a Deserted Town.

Sven, the Swede whose potato-planting experience testifies most significantly to his thrift, accompanied me to one of these deserted lumber towns, located on the shores of a beautiful lake. The first man we met was a middle-aged native mechanic who, in the palmy days, had had charge of an engine in the woods. His tale of woe was pathetic, in a way. He had worked at "lumbering" for many years. "Work was always plenty," said he; "for 12 years I never earned less than $3.75 a day and for a year or more I got $7.50 a day. But lumbering is dead now. I can't get any work and I haven't enough money to get away. Don't you think that's rather hard lines?" I didn't answer his question, but Sven remarked, sententiously: "Ef Ae ben earning

STRANDED AFTER THE BOOM.

tree dollar seventy fil' cents a day for ten yare, Ae not have to stay here an' ben catch bullhead to keep from starvin'." Sven took the words out of my mouth. Any workingman who earns as much as this man had earned, and has not enough good American sense to make himself comparatively independent in 12 years, is not a worthy object for sympathy, although we may pity his wife and helpless children.

G. W. WEIPPIERT.

Largest Bet on Record.

The biggest bet on record, according to Mr. G. R. Sims, was made a few years back by a young American who was assistant at "a main" held in the grounds of a notorious young sporting marquis, now deceased. One bird was badly crippled and the other was fighting with terrible force. "Twenty thousand to a pinch of snuff on that one," said the young American millionaire, which was taken. The American won.

Bald-Headed Men.

The proportion of bald-headed men in this country is more than 16 per cent.

Delicate Dress Goods.

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Parlor Suits

Largest line in city—No exception to this. Some were $25.00, now $19.50; $45.00 suits, now $35.00; $65.00 suits, now $55.00; $75.00 suits, now $65.00; $100 suits, now $75.00,

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 6 04, 6 29, 6 50, 7 25, 7 30, 7 56, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10 a m; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 57, 4 40, 5 05, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 23, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 6 04, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 22, 9 23, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 00, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 00, 7 00, 9 00, 10 30, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, 8 am; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 25, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 20, 11 35 a m; 1 20, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 18, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 33, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 19, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, [6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 45, 7 45, 8 19, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 8 05, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 8 40, 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 2b a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Boynton Beach 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m., 1 15, 2 30, p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 24*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*. 6 35*, p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 24*, 6 48 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m., 5 14*, 6 48 p. m., 1 17 night.

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QUEER COINCIDENCES.

Striking Occurrences, Many of Which Have Become Historic.

The late well-known archaeologist, Albert Way, crossing Pall-Mall, cannoned against an old gentleman. After mutual apologies cards were exchanged. On each card was printed "Mr. Albert Way." The older gentleman, dying, left his fortune to the other Albert Way.

The planet Neptune, which had for countless ages revolved in the heavens unseen by anyone on earth, was discovered simultaneously and independently in 1846 by Profs. Adams and M. Leverrier, the two most brilliant astronomers of the day.

Some few years ago a shepherd boy placed a sleeper on the railway line between Brighton and Falmer, with the result that a train was thrown off the rails. One year later to a day—almost to a minute—that same youth was struck by lightning and instantaneously killed within a couple of miles of the spot at which the accident occurred.

Sir Walter Besant tells of the following curious coincidence which happened to himself. "I was consulting," he says, "an artist with regard to the face and features of a character which he was illustrating for me and I briefly described to him the kind of face I had in mind. He was meanwhile rapidly sketching a face on a piece of paper he had before him. 'Will that do?' he asked, showing me the exact portrait of the man I had been thinking of.'

The four King Georges of England all died on the same day of the week.

A lady lost a ring on "the Underground." She returned and reported her loss. At that moment a train entered the station, when her ring was found on the step of her carriage, having completed the circle in that position.

At a place of worship in Rotherhithe, some little time ago, the minister was telling how Wellington said at a crisis of one of his great battles: "If darkness would only come it would save him." Hardly had he uttered these words when the gas went out in the chapel.

In 1890, a few weeks before the census-taker began his enumeration of the people of Elm Grove, Va., the town authorities counted their own population, preparatory to filing articles of incorporation. The following was the remarkable result: Number of males over 21 years of age, 148; number of males under 21 years of age, 148; number of females over 16 years of age, 148; number of females under 16 years of age, 148.

Some Zulus were on exhibition in Aberdeen and a gentleman who had been in South Africa himself went and began to talk with the men in their own language. One of the natives was exceptionally shy, which rather attracted the gentleman's attention. He looked at him more closely and recognized him as a man who had worked for him in Natal and had run away with a pair of trousers which did not belong to him—N. Y. Mail and Express.

Napoleon's Fifth War with Austria.

Ostensibly this war was to be unlike any other so far waged. The secret instructions given to the imperial Austrian envoy in London clearly indicate that the Hapsburgs hoped by victory to restore their influence both in Italy and Germany; for that was the meaning of "restitution to the rightful owners" and the "slight rectification of their frontiers," or, in other words, the restoration of European conditions to what they had been before Napoleon's advent. This was the dynastic side; the national side was also to be used for its purposes. "The liberties of Europe have taken refuge under your banner," ran Charles' proclamation to the army; "your victories will break their bonds, and your German brethren still in the enemy's ranks await their redemption." To the German world he said: "Austria fights not only for her own autonomy, but takes the sword for the independence and national honor of Germany." Another manifesto, written by Gentz, the ablest statesman in Vienna, declared that the war was to be waged not against France, but against the system of persistent extension which had produced such universal disorder in Europe.—Prof. Sloane, in Century.

Wouldn't Call Him Bob.

An ex-congressman, who now practices law here, when asked the other day why he abandoned politics gave a very peculiar and interesting reason. He said: I quit politics because I found that I was not cut out for that profession. My name is Robert, but I never yet heard myself referred to as "Bob." It was always "Judge" or "Mr." No man ever achieves a real success in politics who has not that peculiar touch with the people that prompts them to refer to him by a nickname or in some familiar way. Webster was always "Black Dan." Logan, "Black Jack." Jackson was "Old Hickory" and "Andy." Lincoln was "Abe" or "Uncle Abe." It is not a question of dignity. There is no more dignified man than ex-President Harrison, and yet no one speaks of him by his title. He is always referred to as "Ben." I went through my district after serving one term in congress, and I could find no evidence that any one had ever dubbed me "Bob." Could I have been called "Bob," I might have been governor of my state, but we never had a governor without a nickname, and I knew I could not hope to break the record.—Washington Star.

Sarcastic.

If all the people who paint without knowing how were to adopt the plan recommended to an amateur by an acquaintance, their works would not distress their friends. This one announced her intention to whiten a certain ceiling and then paint a "cloudscape" on it.

"That may be nice," said a friend, "but if I were you I should arrange the matter a little differently."

"How?"

"I should paint the 'cloudscape' and then whitewash the ceiling!"—Youth's Companion.

JUBILEE AT CANTON

Grand Celebration in Honor of McKinley's Election.

MANY VISITORS EXPECTED TO-DAY

The People of the Buckeye State Will Attest Their Joy Over the Result of the Election---The Flood of Congratulatory Messages Continues.

Canton, O., Nov. 7.—The republicans of this state intend to make the jubilee this afternoon in honor of the election of Major McKinley as president of the United States as big a demonstration and jollification as possible. While the delegations from distant parts of the state will not arrive until later in the day, some of those from nearby points came in this morning. From the number of those already here it is estimated that the crowd of visitors will equal any of the big throngs that called on Major McKinley during the campaign. It is not known how many cities in other counties will be represented, but Stark county will send delegations from Massillon, Alliance, Carrollton, Minerva, and Navarre, and if this ratio is continued a goodly proportion of the populous centres of the state will participate in honoring the successful candidate. Telegrams of congratulation continue to pour in in an undiminished stream. C. H. Payne telegraphs from Montgomery, W. Va.: "The first negro elected to the general assembly of West Virginia sends congratulations to the greatest exponent of true Americanism." Samuel J. Randall, son of the late Congressman Randall, sends the following message from Philadelphia; "Accept my sincere congratulations upon your decisive victory and triumph." Among others who have wired congratulations are M. M. Garland, president of the United Association of Iron and Steel Workers; Charles R. Douglas, cousin of Frederick Douglas; W. G. Markham, secretary of the National Wool Growers' association; Archbishop Ireland, Joseph Rosenburg, president of the Wool association, San Francisco; J. A. Caldwell, mayor of Cincinnati; United States Senator Pritchard of North Carolina, and Mayor Davis of Kansas City.

Hanna Dines Chicago Newspaper Men.

New York, Nov. 7.—Fifteen Chicago newspaper men, who during the campaign were detailed on politics, will arrive in this city this afternoon. They are traveling in the special compartment car "Orient" over the Pennsylvania railroad. They are coming as the guests of Mr. Hanna, and will be greeted by the national republican chairman at the Waldorf Hotel, where a banquet will be served this evening. Returning Monday morning, the party will stop off at Canton and pay its respects to Mr. McKinley. Perry Sanford Heath, who was in charge of publication and printing at republican headquarters, accompanies the party as chaperone.

REBEL LOSSES REPORTED.

Gen. Aldave Fights the Patriots, with the Usual Spanish Claim.

Havana, Nov. 7.—Gen. Aldave, with a force of troops convoying a provision and ammunition train of wagons to Manicaragua, in the Puerto Principe province, has had an engagement with the rebels under Serafin Sanchez and Carillo at Alberich. The loss of the insurgents, it is claimed, was heavy. The loss of the Spaniards was one man killed and twenty wounded. The steamer Guanguanico has arrived here bringing 300 sick soldiers from Pinar del Rio. Among the passengers on board the steamer was Lula Lago, the rebel leader, who had surrendered to the Spanish commander. When the ship arrived here he was found dead in his cabin, having cut his throat.

Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

New York, Nov. 7.—Arrangements for the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce have practically been completed. The banquet will be at Delmonico's the latter part of the present month. President Cleveland, President-elect McKinley and Vice-President-elect Hobart are expected to be the principal guests. Invitations have been sent to Secretary Carlisle, Secretary Olney, E. J. Phelps, Gov. Roger Wolcott of Massachusetts, Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, Cardinal Gibbons and other men of note.

Singular and Fatal Electric Accident.

Cailais, France, Nov. 7.—While a huge boiler was being drawn through the streets by sixteen horses the upper portion of it came in contact with overhead electric light wires, breaking them. Some of the wires caught on the boiler and the framework of the truck and in an instant all the horses were knocked down. Several of them were killed. The men engaged in transporting the boiler received violent shocks, from the effects of which some of them are dying.

For Speaker of New York Assembly.

Albany, Nov. 7.—Assemblyman Fred S. Nixon of Chautauqua stated positively to-day that he is a candidate for speaker of the next state assembly. Assemblyman James O'Grady of Rochester has also announced his candidacy for the speakership. A third aspirant for the place is assemblyman Robert G. Sherer of Albany.

Canada After a Reciprocity Treaty.

Ottawa, Nov. 7.—The present ministry, it is asserted, is pledged to send delegates to Washington to negotiate a treaty of reciprocity with the United States.

Marblehead Coming Home.

Washington, Nov. 7.—The cruiser Marblehead left Funchal, Madeira, yesterday for Bermuda. She is expected at New York in about ten days.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:38 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:49 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:49 p. m.

GOLF.

There are several important matches to be played this afternoon, and a tea is also to be held.

Miss Stokes, of New York, a member of the Seabright Club, played the 9 holes in 52 strokes yesterday. That is the best lady's record for the course.

There is no golf club in the State in a more flourishing condition than the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club of this city. Since the golf links have been put in condition and the new clubhouse erected near the links, the membership has steadily grown until now the limit of 150 has been reached and a waiting list will now have to be formed.

Yesterday afternoon the semi-finals for the Chapman club championship cup were played. H. Reeve Stockton defeated Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., one up after 21 holes. A. Z. Huntington defeated H. D. West, 7 up, and 5 to play. Stockton and Huntington will play off the finals this afternoon.

The semi-finals for the Reinhart handicap cup will be played this afternoon between Dr. F. C. Ard and J. S. Anthony, and L. Ashley Grace and George VanBoskerck.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

A recent issue of the Boston Record devotes considerable space to a description of some of the big game captured on the Megantic Fish and Game Club's preserves in the woods of Maine. Counselor W. K. McClure is a member of the club, and one paper publishes a picture in which Mr. McClure appears in his hunting togs and with big game at his feet.

A nine men team from the Dunellen Gun Club defeated a similar team from the New Brunswick Gun Club, at Dunellen, on Wednesday. The shoot wns at twenty-five targets, each man, and at the end of the match it was a tie, each side having scored 168 targets. To settle the contest it was decided to select three of the best shooters from each team and they shot off at twenty-five more targets, the Duhellen team winning by four.

WHIST.

The whist committee of the Park Club is preparing to devote one night a week to the playing of "compass whist." The playing will be so arranged that all will be given a chance. The members are to be allowed to bring their friends. The first evening of compass whist will be held Monday night.

"CASTE" TO BE PRODUCED.

Amateur Theatricals in the Casino Next Month.

Wallack's theatre in its best days produced no more popular play than "Caste," and Plainfield people will be glad to know that this production will be given early in December next by well known amatures. W. R. Cock will take the part of "Eccles," which will give him a greater opportuuity to display his well-known talents than ever before. Miss Grace Cooley will take the part of "Polly," while Mrs. W. L. Saunders will appear as "Esther." The other chief parts will be taken by Miss Green, Fred Walz, Irving West and Mrs. W. L. Saunders. Rehearsals are now going on at the Casino. The play will be given under the auspices of the Union County Country Club.

Successful Cake Sale.

A successful cake sale was held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Faber, Jr., 92 Mercer avenue, between the hours of 11 and 1 today. The proceeds of the sale will be devoted to the Guild of the Church of the Redeemer. Miss Hull, Miss Brown and Miss Phillips were in charge, and many more cakes could have been sold had the women secured them.

Will Be Finished in Two Weeks.

The work of opening Watchung avenue will be entirely completed in two weeks from Jackson avenue to the brook. There is still one house in the way near the brook and will cause some delay.

Prof. S. D. Frazee furnished the music for an informal dance at Emory's hotel last night. The party was made up principally of Plainfield people, and they danced until early this morning.

—The coupon tickets and diagram of Music Hall for Ian Maclaren's lecture will be at Mr. Armstrong's drug store next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

—No. 5, 6, 7 and 8 of the series of special bargains that White, of Plainfield, is running on will enterest you. At the prices they are selling it will pay to buy for the future.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is an antiseptic, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. L. W. Randolph, 145 West Front street.

An Epworth Rally Planned.

A business meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church was held in Vincent chapel last evening. William Symons, one of the four delegates from the league that attended the recent convention at Perth Amboy, made the report, which was a very interesting one. It was decided to hold an Epworth League rally on Friday evening, November 20th, at Vincent chapel and invite all the neighboring leagues to attend. Plans for work were discussed and a number of suggestions made regarding the same subject.

Know Nothing of the Banner.

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—An article in your paper yesterday, signed by James E. Martine, accuses the Republicans with stealing the Democratic banner on East Front street. The Republican Campaign Committee know nothing about the banner and the accusation as far as they are concerned is false in every particular and Mr. Martine knows they would not contenence such a mean trick in any way.

Charles J. Fisk,
Chairman Committee.

Leaves the Hospital Tomorrow.

Osman, the nine-year-old boy of C. J. Noel, of Netherwood will leave the hospital tomorrow on crutches after having been confined there six weeks with a broken hip, sustained by a fall from a swing at chimney Rock. One leg will be a trifle shorter than the other owing to the accident. The little fellow is loud in his praise of the treatment accorded him at the hospital.

A Bakery Firm Dissolved.

Papers of dissolution of the firm of Kersting & Klinsman were signed at the office of City Judge Demeza last week. Mr. Kersting will carry on the business at the bakery on West Front street as usual, and will continue on his regular route. Mr. Klinsman will also continue his route independently of his old partner.

A Beautiful Sight.

James T. Closson's greenhouses on East Front street present a very pretty appearance just now. Innumerable chrysanthemum plants and other rare specimens of both foreign and domesticated flowers, make the collection one of the most beautiful and costly in the city.

A Visit to the Bastile.

Charles Broynton, of South Plainfield, went to Somerville this morning for ten days. Last night Marshal Hansen arrested him on Race street for being drunk and disorderly, hence his visit to the county seat.

—There will be special services in the Filmore Baptist Church tomorrow night. Subject, "Away from God."

—Work on the old freighthouse near Plainfield avenue is progressing rapidly and it will be ready for use one week from next Monday.

—The trial of the hackmen for fighting and leaving their horses' heads was adjourned for a week this morning, as the counsel for one of the prisoners was out of town.

—The greatest bargains in wall paper are to be found at Loves, corner of North and Watchung avenue. Their pretty paper for bed rooms and kitchens are offered at prices lower than ever before offered in Plainfield.

—George Jenkins, the popular banjo player of Somerville, who has a host of friends in this city, will give a concert in Somerset Hall at Somerville next Tuesday evening. Many Plainfielders will probably attend the concert, as some of the best talent in the State will be present.

—In carting away the mud from off Somerset street yesterday afternoon, one of the carts used leaked so badly that Duer street, from Craig place to Park place, was treated to a coat of mud, which the residents of that thoroughfare think the street commissioner should scrape off the macadam.

—The sale of the Day property on West Third street this morning resulted in the disposal of two properties, each of which brought $1,000. They were purchased by C. H. Rugg and Mrs. Bridget Newman. The sale of the third property was adjourned one week. W. R. Codington is the attorney.

S. D. Richardson, of Dunellen was operated on in the hospital yesterday.

Owen Smith, of this city, attended the grand concert given at Roselle last night.

Miss Katie Lawless, of East Front street, goes to Edgewater-on-the-Hudson, today for a visit with friends.

John Kline, of Chatham street, has gone to German Valley today to bring home his wife, who has been visiting there for a week past.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Randolph, of New York city, are expected to spend Sunday at the home of Chief T. O. Doane, of West Fifth street.

John Valiant, Jr., son of Borough Councilman and Mrs. John Valiant has issued invitation for a juvenile party to be held at his home Monday night from 7 to 9 o'clock.

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NEW WOMAN VS. BULK.

How a West Side Girl Succeeded in Closing a Car Door.

He was so big he got in his own way. Not only was his stature exceptional, but his girth kept even stride therewith. He floundered onto a Madison street trailer the other morning and took station before the forward door. There he remained for a space. This is how it all happened, says the Chicago Chronicle.

She was young, pretty, black-haired and black-eyed. When the train stopped at one of the cross streets she stepped gracefully on that forward platform and encountered him of the bulk. He shambled a bit, but got in the way more than he would have done if he had retained his position. Finally, after much darting about, the girl succeeded in entering the car to escape the chill wind, which was blowing gayly.

The car was crowded and she was forced to stand. So she took her position immediately inside the door, while the big man maintained a similar position on the platform. He settled back against the door and by sheer weight inserted a portion of his anatomy in the doorway. It was cold, but the girl could not shut the door; he was too heavy. Then she thought and then she smiled.

She quietly adjusted her hat pin, gave the door a gentle pull and the big man nearly vaulted over the dashboard. He did not say anything nor did he upset more than half the other passengers on the platform. He fell off to the street, gazed wistfully at the receding car and started down the street. The girl burst into a hysterical laugh, bottled up suddenly and became preternaturally solemn. There was a button off the back of his coat. She put her foot over it as it lay on the car floor.

"CALLERS" NOT DESIRED.

A Writer's Reasons for Thinking "Visiting" Intolerable.

Of what earthly use is "company?" You probably see your neighbors once a week, meeting them on the public highways, and if you nod pleasantly and speak a word or two of the weather and of the health of the family, has not everything been done that our necessities require or formality can reasonably demand? If we have business, or need information that others can give us, go and ask of them. Be brief, but to the point, advises the Detroit Free Press, and, leaving with what is desired, carry away also their blessing. To go to another's house, to request of its inmates, one or all to sit for half an hour or longer and listen to your platitudes, and, coming away, lie to them about a pleasant call, is intolerable. Yet there are thousands who do this daily. Why should I leave my occupation, be it loafing even, and give my attention to some man or woman who is thoughtless enough to "call?" The actuating motive never appears. Much is spoken and nothing said. I receive no worthy thought to profit by or increase the probability of a beatific eternity. The familiar well-gnawed bones of doctrine fall from the devil's table. Usually I am forced to breathe at such a time a gossip-poisoned atmosphere. This "call" is another idea of civility, and I am compelled, it appears, to be a victim of his or her whim. If I refuse, as I have done point-blank, to present myself, I am called a boor and all manner of ugly names.

THE WAY IT ACTED.

It Was Quite a New Thing to Sam and He Was Bound to Try It.

A tailor named Sam Smith, from a country place, visited a large wholesale warehouse and ordered a quantity of goods. He was politely received and one of the principals showed him over the establishment. On reaching the fourth floor the customer saw a speaking tube on the wall, the first he had ever seen, says the Detroit Free Press.

"What is that?" he asked.

"Oh, that is a speaking tube. It is a great convenience. We can talk with it to the clerks on the first floor without taking the trouble of going downstairs."

"Can they hear anything that you say through it?"

"Yes, and they can reply."

"You don't say so! May I talk through it?"

"Certainly."

The visitor put his mouth to the tube and asked:

"Are Sam Smith's goods packed yet?"

The people in the office supposed it was the salesman who had asked the question, and in a moment the distinct reply came back:

"No; we are waiting for a telegram from his town. He looks like a slippery customer."

Didn't Believe It.

Some years ago, while visiting the Spokanes, Gen. Philip Sheridan related to the Indians, through an interpreter, the wonders of the railroad, and then waited to see what effect the revelation would have upon them. "What do they say?" he asked the interpreter. "They say they don't believe it," was the answer. Sheridan then described the steamboat, and the interpreter repeated this. "What do they say to that?" the general asked again, seeing the Indians faces all impressive. "They say they don't believe that, either." Then the general gave an account of the telephone, and told how a man at the end of a long wire had talked to a man at the other end of it. The interpreter remained silent. "Well," said the general, "why don't you interpret that to them?" "Because I don't believe that story myself," answered the conscientions man.

Dinners Are Useful.

One day, when somebody objected to the practice of having dinners for parish or public purposes, "Sir," said Lord Stowell, "I approve of the dining system; it puts people in a good humor and makes them agree when they otherwise might not; a dinner lubricates business."

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 41 a. m.; evening prayer, 4:30. The free stages have been discontinued, as the trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes. Rev T. M. Riley D. D., Professor of Homilities in the General Theological Seminary, New York, will preach the sermon in the morning.

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—Morning service at 10:30; the annual offering for foreign missions will be taken. Sunday-school at 2:45. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45.

East Third Street Mission—Rev. L. E. Livermore will lead the meeting tomorrow night.

First Presbyterian Church — Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening sermonette, "In God we trust:" sermon, "Surrounded by Mountains."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian) —Rev. Dr. Whiton will preach at 10:45 a. m. Sunday-school at 11:45 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting at 7 p. m.; song service and preaching at 7:30 p. m.; Subject, "A plea for young men."

Monroe Avenue M. E. Chapel, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League meeting at 7:15 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "The Physician's Gospel: Universal Salvation;" evening, "Two Young Men."

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Unconscious Gain of Power;" Communion service. Evening subject, "The Unconscious Loss of Power." Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Capt. Geo. D. Morrison will speak and Mrs. John Manley will sing.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor — Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Morning theme, "What the minister is for;" fourth anniversary sermon. Evening, "The robes and repast ready;" followed by evangelistic meeting.

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THEIR FINAL HURRAH.

GREAT RATIFICATION PARADE OF THE REPUBLICANS.

It is Estimated That 2,000 Men Were in Line—Decorations and Illuminations All Along the Line of Parade.

"Hurrah for McKinley!" shouted a small boy in the excitement of the moment as the long line of exultant citizens tramped by, half-obscured by the hasy smoke from the colored torches that were carried here and there along the column.

"Hurrah forMcKinley!" answered a roar of hoarse voices almost drowning the sound of the shrill fife and the steady roll of the drums from the fife and drum corps near by. And so it was, a grand hurrah for McKinley by the victorious Republicans and Democrats who had come out triumphant in their conflict with the advocates of free silver.

Never did Plainfield ever see such a political demonstration as she witnessed Saturday night. 'Twas the triumphant march of a victorious army, the host of "sound money" men. The celebration was visible miles away for an unusual ruddy light hung over the city as if reflected from some large conflagration that threatened her. There's a fire at Plainfield, said some, but the better informed knew that the fire was that of countless cans of colored fire and hundreds of torches.

In the city itself, the sight was a wierd one, this great host of singing, shouting men, some carrying torches or brooms, and other flags. Old men, young men, tall men, short men, the rich merchant in habiliments of the latest style, the sturdy wage earner now plodding side by side with his boss, they were all there, eager to show their allegiance to the "sound money" standard and their satisfaction at the victory of its champion.

There was a ruddy light over all that made even the most ordinary things assume strange appearances. Torches of red fire were carried along the column, red fire was burned on almost every lawn and in front of most of the stores while Roman candles, whistling bombs and the like were to be seen and heard on every side.

For two days had the Republican campaign committee been at work arranging the details for this closing demonstration and certainly the committee laid its plans well. Early in the afternoon, residences along the line of march began to assume a holiday appearance, flags were hung out or draped about the piazza, myriads of colored lanterns only waited the arrival of darkness to become a host of fire flies, as it were. Store keepers decorated also, and dealers in colored fire and fireworks were in despair at the numerous orders that could not be filled.

As early as seven o'clock, the paraders began to gather and from that time until the parade started an hour later, there was a steady stream of people going in the direction of the different rendezvous. Chief-of-staff Barrows had laid his plans well, however, and he had his forces lined upon Seventh and Eighth streets and Crescent avenue at the appointed time ready to start when Grand Marshal Fisk gave the word. The signal was given, the bands struck up and soon all was illuminated by the glare of the burning red fire. The parade had begun.

What an army it was, marching along in good order and numbering well up toward two thousand. The paraders were not all voters, for Young America was there in all his glory. That was to be expected but the citizens were out in force and those who were not in the column, cheered their friends from the curb or showed where their sympathies were by burning red fire in front of their residences.

First in line came a detail of Plainfield's "finest," headed by Sergeant Kiely. The policemen wore their new winter helmets and presented a very natty appearance. Then came the North Plainfield mounted guard, with William J. Roome and D. N. Groendyke riding at the head. William Smith, Jr., acted as captain of the horsemen. The riders, many of them gayly decorated with bunting, numbered, including several from New Market, forty-six in all. The Plainfield Cornet Band followed and then came Councilman Charles J. Fisk, grand marshal of the parade. A sash of the national colors was the insignia of his office and he looked what he was, a leader. The two Mayors, Alex Gilbert and B. Arrowsmith Hegeman, Jr., walked side by side, and Councilman Elliot T. Barrows, chief-of-staff, with his aids, William N. Runyon and R. F. Murray, followed. They, too, were to be distinguished by red, white, and blue silk sashes. Then there was Grand

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A BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS IN BLOOM AT COUNCILMAN GINNA'S PLACE.

The Various Plants Are Usually Named After Some Person, and Present Many Varied Hues—Visitors Welcome

Without any exception the finest and choicest display of chrysanthemums in this section is to be found at Councilman S. A. Ginna's conservatory on Watchung avenue. Mr. Ginna takes great pride in his collection of plants and flowers, and none but the rarest varieties are to be found in his conservatory. Mr. Jackson, who has charge of the flowers, is thoroughly educated in his particular line, and he has succeeded in securing the best results. Just now the attraction is the chrysanthemum display, and a large number of people have availed themselves of the opportunity of calling at the conservatory, which is open any time to visitors. There are now about 200 plants at Mr. Ginna's place, including forty varieties of this popular flower. What is considered to be the largest of the white chrysanthemums is the "Mayflower." It is of the Japanese variety and made its appearance last year for the first. The "Mrs. H. Battles" is one of the new incurved pinks, and it is certainly a beauty. The yellow Japanese, "Mrs. G. W. Pullman" occupies a prominent place in the list, while one of the best pinks is the "Ellen Bloodgood." Another beautiful white variety is the "Mrs. R. Crawford." In the "Samuel Weller" variety, a shade of deep pink is attractive. One variety which is considered far superior to the "Golden Wedding" is the "Modesto." It is the finest yellow yet obtained. A feature about the "Invincible" variety is the heavy foliage. It is one of the largest and best of the whites. Very attractive is the "Mrs. George McGee," which is light pink incurved. This is its third season, and it is doing remarkably well. One of the oldest varieties is the "Col. W. B. Smith," which is old gold in color. The "Philadelphia," named so by the Mayor of Philadelphia, is a delicate pale yellow and very fine. The "Liberty" incurved yellow and the "Major Bonaff" makes up the list of the most important and finest specimens. On an average there are from five to nine flowers on a plant, but some of the smaller plants bear as many as forty flowers. The flowers have been in bloom about a week and will remain so for two weeks longer. The display is now about at its best, and any lover of flowers should not fail to see them. Mr. Ginna extends an invitation to all to visit his place and see the flowers. Mr. Jackson is only too glad to meet visitors and explain to them the different plants which he takes so much pride in growing.

A DANGEROUS PASTIME.

A "Paradise Alley" Youth Struck With a Stone Thrown by Joe Parsons.

Joseph Parsons, a colored lad living on "Paradise Alley," was amusing himself yesterday afternoon by throwing stones, when little Charlie Miller inserted his head between the stone and its destination and trouble ensued. Such at least is Parson's version of the affair. Miller is a young Hungarian, living on the same street, and when his parents saw the cut on the side of his head they were indignant at the colored youth who threw the missile and complained to the police.

Parsons was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza this morning and found guilty of throwing stones. Sentence was suspended. He is the younger brother of the Miss Parsons that figured prominently in the breach of promise suit in the city court several weeks ago.

Served Tea at Dusk.

A delightful tea was given on Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 7 o'clock, by Mrs. J. Oscar Stevens, of Clinton avenue, in honor of Mrs. George O. Stevens. The rooms were prettily decorated and were thronged with friends during the above hours. Those who received were Mrs. J. Oscar Stevens, assisted by Miss Emma Stevens, Mrs. George O. Stevens and Mrs. H. M. Blish. Dainty refreshments were served and all enjoyed the hospitality of the hostess. There was fully one hundred guests present.

—The Plainfield confectioners, 112 West Front street, have added to their elaborate show window a heavy plate glass oval show case, which is stocked with a handsome line of the best candy made. This store is fast becoming the Huyler's of Plainfield.

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Left in Front of Harper's Store and Going to Look for it Four Hours Afterward He Found That the Machine Was Gone

Another wheel has been added to the long list of those that have suddenly disappeared, leaving no trace behind, and this wheel was the personal property of F. L. C. Martin, of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company. It was a Cleveland Swell Special.

Saturday night Mr. Martin came from dinner and stopped at Harper's to make a purchase. So important was it that the wheel became a minor consideration and he walked off and left it leaning against a curb. His absent mindedness continued until about eleven o'clock when he wanted to go home. Now as his purchase had no wheels, he could not ride home on it and so bethought of his wheel. It was not in its accustomed place and then he remembered. He hurried to the place where he had left his silent steed but, as, it was not there. Then he waxed exceeding wroth but it didn't do any good for the wheel is still missing. The wheel stood there during the parade and it is supposed that some believer in free steel adopted it for his own use.

G. A. R. FAIR WORKERS REWARDED.

Prizes to Those Bringing in the Most Money.

The G. A. R. fair closed Saturday evening, after having a successful run. There were several contests and all returns were gratifying to the committee. In the quilt contest for the most popular past commander, James Atwood, of Trenton, received 244 votes, L. V. F. Randolph 238 and Wm. Hand 110. Captain Willard V. Sutton received the silk quilt in the contest for the most popular son of a veteran. The bicycle was awarded to Fred Sutton, he having collected $16.95 and his opponent, H. S. Thatcher, brought in $14.90. Jennie Smith was presented with the silk pillow, having brought in $21. Lottie Chamberlain secured the doll, while Mrs. Summers and Miss TeNise each secured hats. Mrs. Bowman was awarded the fancy table. The very handsome beaded G. A. R. pillow was presented to Mrs. Isaac Brokaw in recognition of her valuable services.

Everything that was left over was disposed of by auction, and Wm. N. Pangborn served as auctioneer. As a result of the fair G. A. R. Post, No. 73, will make a profit of $500. This money will be placed in a fund to defray the expenses of the Post and Relief Corps in their trip to the National Encampment to be held at Buffalo next year.

UNION COUNTY RETURNS.

Big Pluralities for All the Republican Candidates.

The Union County Board of Canvassers have reported the total vote as follows:

McKinley, 11,730; Bryan, 6,382; Palmer, 541; Machett, 466; Levering, 218.

For Congress—Fowler, Republican, 11,590; Willey, Democrat, 6,101; Noyes, National Democrat, 581; Campbell, Socialist-Labor, 572; Wilson, Prohibitionist, 224.

For Senator—Voorhees, Republican, 11,516; Powers, Democrat, 6,396; Pollock, National Democrat, 501; Hufnagle, Socialist-Labor, 463; Bigelow, Prohibitionist, 243.

For Assembly—Codington, Republican, 11,503; Roll, Republican, 11,447; Clauss, Republican, 11,342; Wolfskeil, Democrat, 6,861; J. J. Woodruff, Democrat, 6,149: N. Woodruff, Democrat, 6,097; Rand, National Democrat, 520; Bonnett, National Democrat, 488; Tracey, National Democrat, 217; Wiegel, Socialist-Labor, 465; James, Socialist-Labor, 453; Palmer, Socialist-Labor, 461.

McKinley's plurality is 5,348; Fowler's, 5,389; Voorhees', 5,120.

W. J. STEPHENSON ASSIGNS.

Too Much Competition and Hard Times the Cause.

Too hard competition and the stagnation of trade in all lines of business has had effect upon William J. Stephenson, the restauranteur and caterer, and this afternoon he made an assignment with no preferences. Some time ago his place of business was closed owing to temporary embarrassment, but he re-opened and continued to run till today. He has retained Reed and Coddington as attorneys and they will settle up the business, apportion to each creditor as much as the assets will allow, though neither the liabilities or assets are yet known. The liabilities, however, will appoximate $4,000 and the assets $3,000. The assignee has not yet been named.

—A subscription reception will be given at the Olympia on Thanksgiving evening. The committee in charge consists of Francis J. Blatz, William J. Kitchen and Will Morrison.

A PLEA FOR YOUNG MEN.

DR. BARNES URGES CONSIDERATION FOR BLOSSOMING MANHOOD.

He Extols Some of the Qualities Rather Than Catechise the Young Man, But at the Same Time Gives Timely Advice.

Usually when the young man is spoken of in the pulpit it is in an appeal to him. Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, reversed the order in his sermon last evening, when his subject was "A Plea for the Young Men." He took his text from 1st Samuel, 18th chapter, 5th verse—"Deal gently with the young man."

Good young men, he said, were often not appreciated. They do not like to be patronized but are glad to have others take an interest in them and confide in them. All young men are strong, he said, both physically and mentally, but some are more so than others. A man is not young by years; some men become centurians when just old enough to vote and vote one ticket, and never learn to vote any other whether it be right or wrong. The young man is called upon to answer the great question of what he is going to do, and he needs sympathy. It is a hard thing for a man to be anything except toward which he has a natural inclination, and it is also hard for a young man to learn what he should be. He has had no experience and so must try and find out. He will never succeed unless he tries, and so it is in the church life as well as elsewhere. Dr. Barnes then referred to the different kinds of success that men aim for, and which was the real one. He spoke of the two choices in a political life, of working for money or to be a statesman. Practical politics, he said, means practical demoralization.

As the ambition rises, he said, then it means more work. To reach a high position it was necessary to try hard for it. Positions cannot be gained without some effort except in rare cases and then only by accident. A man will never make anything of himself unless he tries.

SUPERSTITION MAY SAVE HIM.

Johnson May Not Be Hanged, Is the Opinion of Citizens.

The decision of the Supreme Court affirming the judgment of the Somerset court in sentencing Jacob S. Johnson to be hanged for the murder of Annie Beekman, was received with satisfaction. It has been learned, however, that counsel for Johnson have served notice upon Prosecutor Dungan that they will apply to the Chancellor for a writ carrying the case to the Court of Errors and Appeals.

The case has been pending since last March. In the opinion of the Supreme Court, Chief Justice Beasley says: "All the evidence in the case has been carefully examined and considered by each member of the court, and the unanimous conclusion is that the verdict could not reasonably be other than it is."

The application for the writ will be argued at Newton tomorrow. The citizens of Somerville are beginning to think that the old superstition existing in this country which has kept any person from being hanged for one hundred years may save Johnson.

Rev. A. I. Main in Trinity Church.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., who has been suffering for over a week with a severe cold and hoarseness, secured Rev. A. E. Main, D. D., acting pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church, to deliver the morning sermon in Trinity Reformed Church, yesterday, and the large congregation present were well pleased with Dr. Main's able discourse, from the text: "I am made all things to all men, that I might by all means save some."—1st Cor., 9:22

Not Quite in His Teens.

Joseph Carson, of Belmont avenue, celebrated the eleventh anniversary of his birthday, Saturday evening, in a pleasing manner. The scene of the festivities was in his father's well-appointed floral conservatory. In addition to the playing of games there was vocal and instrumental music and the serving of refreshments. Only the family and a few relatives were present, but the event was a memorable one.

Pride and Prejudice.

In the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church this evening there will be readings and tableaux from "Pride and Prejudice," by Jane Austen, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of the church. Home-made candy will be on sale after the entertainment. The admission price will be twenty-five cents.

Another Evidence of Prosperity.

Ernest R. Ackerman, the president of the Lawrence Cement Company, closed a contract with machinists last Saturday to increase the capacity of their plant 250,000 barrels per annum.

COW GORES MAN AND BOY

THE OLD MAN'S LIFE SAVED BY THE ATTENTION A CALF ATTRACTED.

The Cow, With a Three Week's Old Offspring, Sulked, and When Urged Attacked Both Men With Her Horns.

An infuriated cow nearly ended the life of Joel Compton, a well-to-do farmer, and his grandson, George Compton, twelve years old, Saturday. Compton lives on a large farm, near Metuchen, and his grandson was paying a visit.

The farmer is seventy years old and feeble. Yesterday Compton, accompanied by the boy, went to the pasture lot to drive in the cattle. All the drove started to the barn with the exception of a red cow that had a three weeks' old calf at its side. The cow sulked in a corner of the pasture lot and refused to be driven with the rest of the cattle. Compton sent the boy after the cow, but the cow went for the boy. As soon as the lad reached the part of the field occupied by the cow and calf the animal gave an angry bellow and charged the lad with lowered horns. The boy ran and the cow gave chase, catching him and tossing him in the air, with its sharp pointed horns. As soon as he reached the ground the cow came at him again and gored the child.

Attracted by his grandson's cries, Mr. Compton ran through the underbrush to his rescue. The animal, now more enraged than ever, made a rush for the aged farmer. Compton went down before the enraged animal's horns and lay on the ground helpless.

The cow started to gore the old man, and would have killed him had not the calf scampered off and attracted the attention of it mother, which followed it to the barn. Young George Compton was not injured as severely as his grandfather, and reached the farm house covered with blood, and fell fainting to the floor after he had told where his grandfather was. The farmer was carried home. Mr. Compton's injuries are serious.

The Worse For Liquor.

Patrolman Myers was called to Hollenbeck's place near Netherwood yesterday to look after a man somewhat the worse for liquor who was disturbing the peace of the neighborhood. He was arrested and locked up. This morning he was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza and gave his name as John Fillmore. He was fined $10.

Gymnasium Grading.

The physical director, assisted by Messrs W. Long and W. Markley gave the grading exercises in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday night. The excellent work done was a manifestation of the interest each member takes in physical development. Those chosen for leaders of divisions are: W. Long, T. Lewis, J. Stafford, G. Drayton.

Charlier's Will Probated.

The will of the late Charles Joseph Charlier, of Roselle, who died about two weeks ago, was admitted to probate Saturday, in the Union County Orphans' Court. Charlier's estate is worth $20,000 His mother was a noted fortune teller. She invested all her money in Roselle real estate.

Machinists Find Work.

Many of the machinists from this city who have recently been thrown out of work on account of the uncertainty in the political situation, have found a haven in the shops of the American Engine Works at Bound Brook. Fifteen machinists now go up from here each day and five more are working there nights.

An Important Change.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital was held yesterday and the names of the chief and the two assistants of the Plainfield fire department were added to the list of those who are given permission to call out the ambulance.

What They Said.

One of the yells that was given frequently in the parade Saturday night, especially by the Young Men's Republican Club, was "One—two—three—four—five—sixteen to one! Nit!" They also gave "Left—left—Bryan, he got left! In—in—McKinley, he got in!"

Admitted to the Bar.

Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, was admitted to the Bar in New York last Thursday. He is now a preacher, teacher and lawyer. It is not known just where he will practice law.

Rev. Dr. Hurlbut to Speak.

Great preparations are being made for the coming Epworth League rally at Vincent chapel. Rev. Jesse L. Hurlbut, D. D., of New York, formerly of this city, is expected to speak.

—The New Jersey Naval Reserve meets tonight.

SURROUNDED BY MOUNTS

STORY OF A PICTURE THAT EQUALLED THE MIND'S CONCEPTION.

He Says the History of Humanity is the History of Mountains, Because Angels of Liberty Always Appear Therefrom.

Rev. C. E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church, varied the usual programme last evening by preaching a patriotic sermonette previous to the regular sermon. The subject, "In God We Trust," was a strong one and the reverend brought out all the patriotic sentiment therein contained. The musical portion of the service was patriotic and added greatly to the general. The fourth sermon on texts suggested by a wheeling trip was "Surrounded by Mountains," and a most masterly discourse was delivered as follows:

"Lucerne! Never have my eyes rested on a more enchanting lake. Beautiful as are lakes Maggiore, Lugaus and Como, they do not equal in sublimity that lake of lakes, Lucerne, guarded as it is by the snow-capped peaks of Pilatus, Rigi, Buesteustock and the Wendgelle Surrounded by these mountains rests that most beautiful lake of Switzerland, nay of Europe, it impresses one as St. Mark's of Venice when your eyes first rest on it. You are not disappointed. The vision is enchanting as you gaze down upon it from the Axenstrasse. It is a picture that equals what the imagination has conceived of it, and just the place for the romantic and heroic deeds of William Tell, which Schiller has described in his dramas.

"You are reminded of the Scripture, 'As the mountains are 'round about Jerusalem so the Lord is 'round about His people.' Ruskin says, 'That mountains are the beginning and end of all natural scenery. Beauty of scenery is in proportion to mountainous character of the landscape. The best idea of Paradise is 'a meadow on the side of a majestic mountain.' The pagan has ever considered the mountain divine. In fact man has had his origin from the mountains.

"The history of humanity is the history of mountains. Angels of liberty have almost always appeared from the mountains. Mount Ararat, Sinai, Horeb, Beatitudes, Calvary and Olivet are the sacred precincts of the Bible. The mountains mean protection. Plains represent repose; the mountains action. In quietness and confidence is our strength. God is about us as the mountains. He acts for us. The mountains symbolize power. It was the mountains that gave the Greeks and the Romans their intellectual strength There is not a single spot of land in either of those countries where land is not discernible.

"The Waldenses-Covenanters drew inspiration from the mountains. Reforms generally seems to have emanated from them. The mountain stands for provision. Provision—Pro Video—to see before hand. God does not forget man. How great is God's laidup goodness for us. The mountain loses, man gains. The mountain sacrifices—loses its soil, is bleak and barren, but the valley is the gainer. Christ sacrifices himself that man might become rich. The mountain says—Permanence, "I live forever.' Xerxes wept at the thought of the vast host before him soon dead. 'Live forever for the satisfaction of man.' With God about us a Protector, Power, Provider and as a permanent blessing, why not rest in contentment?

"The Swiss have a contented life, notwithstanding poverty. The Alps inspire them. Does not Christ rise as the Rock of Ages for us. Why not hide in Him?"

Depot Improvements.

In conversation with a Press representative at the North avenue station, Saturday morning, General Superintendent of Tracks George Abbott said that some other improvements would be made about the station, but they would not be commenced now. Early in the spring, Mr. Abbott says, a force of men will be put to work tunneling the tracks and running a subway in front of the depot, and a substantial fence will be erected between the two main tracks. Mr. Abbott says the the diagram for the work is already in the company's hands.

Discharged From the Hospital.

Alex. Frazee, an employe at the freighthouse, who was recently shot by an Italian near Fanwood, was discharged from the hospital today. Osman Noel, son of Charles Noel, of Netherwood, was also discharged. It will be remembered that he sustained injuries by a fall at Chimney Rock sometime ago.

—Somerville is to have a big Republican parade and demonstration this evening.

EUROPE IS AGITATED

Its Peace Endangered by Prince Bismarck's Revelations.

KAISER DEMANDS AN EXPLANATION

Believed That the Disclosures Have Tended To Weaken the Driebund---Austria and Italy Suspicious---Bismarck Not To Be Prosecuted.

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Berlin, Nov. 9.—A report, which has obtained general credence, is in circulation that the emperor has demanded that Prince Bismarck come to Berlin for the purpose of engaging in a conference with himself and the imperial chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, in regard to the disclosures of state secrets which Prince Bismarck has been making and continues to make through his personal organ, the Hamburger Nachrichten. Prince Hohenlohe, who is personally placed in a position which is very distressing to him and is desirous of having a quiet official life, has suggested that both the emperor and Prince Bismarck take some means to bring about an immediate cessation of their polemics, which are endangering the peace of all Europe. Among the staunch adherents of Prince Bismarck the opinion prevails that things have already gone too far, and they are agreed that the controversy must cease, but none of them ventures to suggest any plan whereby this object can be accomplished. From Munich, Carlsruhe and other places where Prince Bismarck is strong in the possession of friends of influence and high station it is known positivsly that supplications have been addressed to him to discontinue the course he is pursuing as the only means of averting serious trouble.

Anxious for a Peaceful Settlement.

Apart from the responsibility of the ex-chancellor for the revelations of the Russo-German neutrality treaty and the other disclosures which have been made, the question has been discussed in Berlin whether Dr. Hoffman, the chief editor of the Hamburger Nachrichten, ought not to be indicted, but as a result of the discussion it was decided that the indictment of Dr. Hoffman would be impossible, and as bad a move in fact as it would be to prosecute Prince Bismarck himself under the articles of the penal code by which Count von Arnim and Professor Geffecken were tried, convicted and imprisoned and under no circumstances would the emperor permit such a proceeding as this. The controversy has now reached an acute stage and is seriously affecting the health of Prince Hohenlohe, who is essentially of a pacific temperament and accustomed to quiet diplomatic combats. The feeverish and implacable fight which is being waged by Prince Bismaack is causing the chancellor to pass many sleepless nights and for this reason the emperor is desirous of putting an end to the whole matter as speedily as possible; otherwise the kaiser is understood to be willing to allow Prince Bismarck to expand to his utmost limit, meeting each of the developments of his warfare with explanations making prominent the present honest policy of Germany as contrasted with the shifty diplomacy of the old chancellor. In the meantime Prince Hohenlohe is standing between the emperor and Prince Bismarck in the attitude of a peacemaker, anxious to conciliate both sides and at least to obtain a cessation of the duel without the precipitation of a national scandal.

Austria Must Face Russia Alone.

Meanwhile it is undeniable that the effect of the controversy, coupled with the articles thereon published in the official press, has been to weaken the ties of the dreibund. Apropos of the Russo-German neutrality treaty the Cologne Gazette, in its comments, says: "In the event of war between Russia and Austria would Germany side with Austria in view of the fact that France would then attack Germany?" In answer to its question the Gazette argues that Austria must face Russia alone, as Italy would not intervene. Naturally the Austrian and Italian newspapers are asking of what value is the dreibund if it can be thus repudiated when the occasion suits. The Tageblatt publishes a report of an interview with a leading diplomat upon the question "Who will benefit by Prince Bismarck's revelations?" in which the diplomat expresses the opinion that the disclosures will have no direct practical consequences, but that they are certain to produce a deep-seated feeling of suspicion and discomfort in Austria and Italy. The Vossische Zeitung says that England will now be able to decry the policy of Germany as untrustworthy.

Duke of York to Visit Toronto.

London, Nov. 9.—The Duke and Duchess of York are arranging to visit Toronto in the fall of next year. Their visit will be associated with the opening of the Toronto municipal buildings rather than the meeting of the British association. The extension of their tour from the Dominion to Australia and homeward via India is under consideration by the government.

Ex-Senator Reagan Critically Ill.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 9.—Ex-senator John H. Reagan is critically ill at his home in Palestine, Tex. Although in his 79th year he insisted upon taking an active part in the campaign and went on the stump for Bryan and Culberson. It is not believed that he can recover.

Hanged Himself Because Bryan Lost.

Decatur, Mich., Nov. 9.—Albert Collins of Mendon was so disappointed over the defeat of W. J. Bryan in the presidential election that he committed suide by hanging.

HARVARD AND PRINCETON.

Communication Regarding the Former's Attitude Towards the Latter.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 9.—Prof. Jos. H. Beale, chairman of the Harvard Athletic committee, has made the following official communication in regard to Harvard's attitude towards certain members of the Princeton eleven: "Will you allow me to correct certain statements that have been made to Harvard's objection to some of the Princeton football team? There has been no dispute between Harvard and Princeton on any question of fact, nor has Harvard at any time taken a position which could by any possibility have caused a rupture of the athletic relatiohs existing between the two universities. A question was at one time raised as to to Mr. Gailey's eligibility to play on the Princeton team. Upon investigation, however, it appeared that he was perfectly eligible. He had only played two years at Lafayette and one at Princeton before the present year. Harvard has absolutely no objection to urge to the eligibility of any of the men who played in the game Saturday."

MR. TROUP'S DEMAND.

Yale Students Who Interrupted Mr. Bryan May Not Be Punished.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9.—It is not yet known what will be the decision of the faculty of Yale upon the letter sent to the university authorities by Alexander Troup, Connecticut member of the democratic national committee, demanding that the leaders of the Yale students who interrupted the speech of Wm. J. Bryan when he spoke here a month ago, be summarily punished, but it is not believed that the faculty will make any move in the matter, as Mr. Troup in his letter declares that the ringleaders are well known and that if they are not punished by the university authorities they will be brought into court.

Wyoming Election Returns.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 9.—Returns have been received here by the republican state committee from four of the Big Horn county precincts, the first news received from that county since the election. The combined vote of the precincts gives the republican electoral, congressional and state tickets a majority of 104 in 200 votes. Twelve hundred votes are still to be heard from in Big Horn county. Should this ratio hold out the republicans will elect their electoral, congressional and state tickets.

Agricultural Chemists' Officers.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The Association of Agricultural Chemists Saturday elected officers as follows: President, William Frear, Pennsylvania; vice-president, A. L. Winton, Connecticut; secretary, H. W. Wiley, Washington; executive committee, H. W. Kilgore of North Carolina and Arthur Goss of New Mexico. The various papers read at the meeting will be printed in book form for general circulation.

Death of Russell Smith.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—Russel Smith, the veteran scenic artist, died yesterday at his home near this city. Although his death was somewhat sudden, there have not been lacking premonitions of his failing powers. He was born in Scotland in 1812, but was brought to this country in 1819 by his parents. He was known among all theatrical people, and painted scenery and drop curtains for the leading theatres of the country.

Queen Victoria's Jubilee.

London, Nov. 9.—The queen has decided that St. Paul's cathedral, and not Westminster abbey, shall be the great central scene of the functions at the jubilee accession fetes in June next. The progress of the queen and all the European royalties from Buckingham palace to St. Paul's will be possibly one of the grandest spectacles of the kind the world has ever witnessed.

Chesapeake Nail Works Resume.

Harrisburg, Nov. 9.—This morning the Chesapeake Nail works resumed operations, after a suspension of several months. Over 300 men will be given employment. The Central Iron works will also go on full time, with plenty of orders ahead. Other industrial plants of the city are also feeling the effects of better times.

The Dauntless Goes to Brunswick, Ga.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 9.—The steamer Dauntless, seized by the collector of customs at Fernandina for violating the laws by not carrying a sufficient number of lifeboats, has, it is alleged, gone to Brunswick, Ga., to engage in the towing business.

Dockery Law Satisfactory.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Thomas Holcomb, auditor of the treasury for the state department, says in his annual report that the new accounting system, known as the Dockery law, after another year's trial has proved highly satisfactory.

Work for 1,000 Men.

Denver, Nov. 9.—The Colorado Fuel & Iron Co. started its big plant at Pueblo this morning with 1,000 men. Contracts for the construction of the Colorado Springs, Pike's Peak & Cripple Creek railway, twenty-two miles, have been signed.

Armenians Wanted at Honolulu.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—A movement has been started in Honolulu, which is meeting with general favor, to introduce Armenians as laborers on the sugar plantations. It is believed that they will make a very desirable class of citizens.

Blanco Has High Hopes.

Madrid, Nov. 9.—The latest advices received from Manila say that Gen. Blanco, the governor of the Philippine islands, expects to stamp out the rebellion in his territory within ninety days.

WANTS HIGH OFFICE.

Frank S. Black, Republican Candidate for Governor of New York.

The nomination of Hon. Frank S. Black as the republican candidate for governor of New York was a genuine surprise to a great majority of the people. It seemed almost certain at the outset of the convention, says Leslie's Weekly, that its choice would fall in another direction. It became apparent, however, to the party leaders that either one of the selections which seemed the more probable would be likely to alienate the support of a very large body of republicans; and as the outcome of this condition new forces asserted themselves, and Mr. Black was chosen as best representing the principles of that element of the convention which, while in sympathy with the so-called machine, was hardly prepared to slap in the face the opponents of the dominant organization. Mr. Black is not altogether unknown to politics. His participation in the movement for the overthrow of the desperate gang of bullies who had so long made a travesty of elections in the city of Troy, and especially his effort to bring to justice the murderers of Robert Ross, the young republican watcher at the polls who was slain while in the performance of his

HON. FRANK S. BLACK.

duty, had brought him into conspicuous notice. There is no doubt at all that it was largely due to his efforts that certain amendments were made in the election laws which are calculated to put an end to the frauds which so long prevailed in our populous communities. The blank-ballot law of 1895 was one of the results of the agitation which was begun at Troy and vigorously prosecuted throughout the state.

Mr. Black is a member of the present congress, having been elected in 1894. He is a graduate of Dartmouth college, having made his way by hard work and great self-denial. He is now in the 44th year of his age. Those who know him best believe that he will bring to the discharge of the duties of the office to which he aspires genuine conscientiousness of purpose, with an intellectual equipment adequate to their creditable performance.

A Remarkable Snake.

There is a belief current in all parts of India that a certain snake called Shesh Nag, when it attains the age of 1,000 years, has a precious jewel formed in its head. This jewel, it is affirmed, has the quality of sucking up the poison of the deadliest snake if applied to the wounded part.

Original Languages of Europe.

It is said by philologists that there are 13 original European languages—the Greek, Latin, German, Slavonic, Welsh, Biscayan, Irish, Albanian, Tartarian, Illyrian, Jazygian, Chaucin and Finnic.

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Well

at night. My heart does not trouble me and I have realized great relief for asthma. I feel full of courage once more and life seems brighter and worth living. I would recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all afflicted as I have been, for I know it will help them. If this statement of facts will be of benefit, you are welcome to use it as you please." HENRY J. WRIGHT, Box 502, Oxford, New York.

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20th Day of December

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4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

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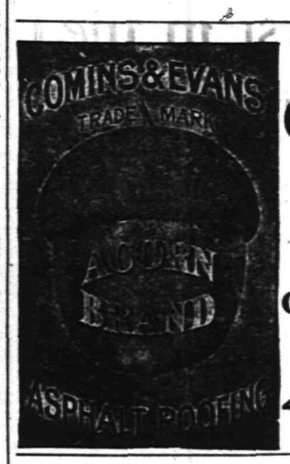

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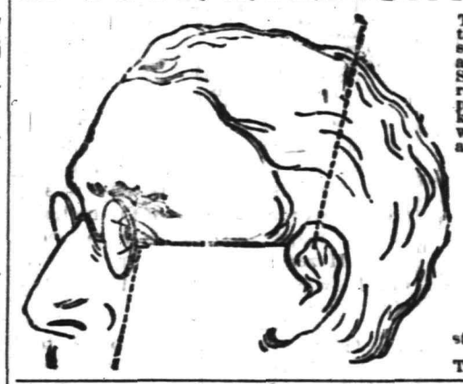

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APPLICATIONS ALSO COME BY MAIL

All Sorts of Appointments, from Laborer to Chiefs of Bureaus, Asked For—Mrs. McKinley Deluged with Letters Asking for Money.

Canton, O., Nov. 9.—Major McKinley is rapidly recovering from the effects of the mental strain and arduous labors of the campaign and this morning expressed himself as being fully rested. He is in excellent health and spirits. The determination of Major McKinley to remain in Canton until the middle of the week on account of the feeble condition of his wife, may keep the storm cloud of political interest central over Canton for some days longer. The character of the visitors to Major McKinley has changed a good deal since election. During the campaign when the railways made low rates, hundreds and thousands of people from the lowly walks of life came to Canton. Now the visitors are largely of the political, office-holding, or those of the office-seeking, classes. Some of the callers at the McKinley residence are old friends and others are persons who have been asked to come. Every citizen is cordially received if Major McKinley has the time to see him at all. Applications for official places are beginning to come in by mail in large numbers, and they include requests for all sorts of appointments from day laborers to chiefs of bureaus. Flowers in unlimited quantities continue to reach Mrs. McKinley. Every room in the house is radiant with them, and the supply was so large yesterday afternoon that a whole wagon load was divided among sick friends and the patients in the city hospitals. Mrs. McKinley is deluged with begging letters. One woman who wrote recently wanted money to educate her children and a girl asked for enough to buy a bridal robe. A score of churches and religious societies have sent plaintive appeals. Some letters requesting financial aid by persons in distress are accompanied by such cheerful observations as this: "If you don't respond within twenty-four hours, you will probably hear of my death."

THE REVENUE QUESTION.

McKinley May Call an Extra Session of Congress After His Inauguration.

Providence, Nov. 9.—In an interview here Senator Aldrich gave it as his opinion that the standing of the two leading parties in the next senate would be very close. He expects that President McKinley will call a special session of congress to consider the question of revenue soon after his inauguration. Until the exact status of the senate is decided, Senator Aldrich will not state his opinion concerning the future course his party is likely to take in the matter of revenue legislation.

President Monroe's Last Relative Dead.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 9.—Miss Katherine Monroe, aged 76, is dead. She was the sister of Judge Thomas Monroe, and perhaps the last relative of President James Monroe. Her father served in the war of 1812. The family lost valuable lands in Virginia during the war and then came west. The homestead here became the Home for the Friendless some years ago, but remained Miss Monroe's home until her death.

Killed by an Elevator's Fall.

New York, Nov. 9.—Late yesterday afternoon an elevator in the stables of Cox & Catchpole, on East Thirty-ninth street, fell from the third floor. Frank Roche and Max Hinoff, who were at work repairing the elevator, fell to the bottom with the carriage and were fatally injured. Roche died shortly after the accident and Himoff lies at Bellevue hospital in a very critical condition.

Suicide of J. Quincy Edwards.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Nov. 9.—J. Quincy Edwards, a prominent citizen, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by taking strychnine. He was suffering from melancholia resulting from the death of an only daughter three weeks ago. He was about 50 years of age and was well known among theatrical people, having been at one time manager of local theatres.

Earl Russell's Troubles.

London, Nov. 9.—Among the special cases coming before the house of lords on Nov. 13 is the appeal of Earl Russell against his wife's application for restoration of conjugal rights. Though the countess has withdrawn the charges brought against the earl, her mother, Lady Scott, has continued the scandal. Public sympathy is with Earl Russell.

Peru Buying War Materials.

London, Nov. 9.—Peru has sent an agent to England who will negotiate for a supply of artillery batteries and machine guns and the latest improvements in small arms. Birmingham and Elswick factories are concerned in coming contracts, and it is understood that Peru has the money to pay for the supplies.

Says Wilhelm Visited Paris Incognito.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The Gaulois publishes an extraordinary story to the effect that the French government has been semi-officially informed that Emperor William came to Paris incognito during the visit of the czar.

New Bishop of Wilmington.

Rome, Nov. 9.—The nomination of Rev. C. F. Thomas as bishop of Wilmington, Del., will be published at the next consistory.

SPANISH OUTRAGE

An American Citizen Brutally Treated by Troops.

HE WAS HACKED NEARLY TO PIECES

The Women of His Household Vilely Insulted---Seventeen Pacificos Killed and the Event Was Heralded as a Great Victory.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 9.—Passengers who arrived yesterday morning from Havana bring the intelligence of another outrage committed on an American citizen. Although the details are incomplete the facts are positive, since the victim has filed a protest before Vice-consul Springer and the case has been sent to Washington for instructions. It appears that near the town of San Jose de Las Lajas a Spanish force patrolling the country surprised three rebels who tried to sneak into town. The Spaniards gave chase and the rebels fled. In order to discover the hiding place of the fugitives, the Spanish force was divided into squads of fifty men and they were sent in different directions. One of these parties went to the estate owned by a Cuban where Frederick L. Craycraft, a native of Indiana, and only two years in Cuba, was manager. They entered the residence, destroyed the furniture and ransacked the premises. The women present were insulted in the most outrageous manner. Craycraft protested that he was an American and showed papers. This, it seems, incensed the officer in command, who drew a sword and commenced slashing at Craycraft. He managed to avert death, but was wounded in the back, receiving a fearful gash that carried away part of the flesh. His forearm was also cut to the bone. The other officer interfering saved his life. Craycraft was forced to deliver about $160 he had. Meantime Craycraft heard great outcrys outside and went and found seventeen pacificos had been killed. There was not one insurgent amongst them. All this was reported as a great Spanish victory. Letters received from Puerto Principe give further details of the capture of the town of Guaimaro by Calixto Garcia. The whole garrison, 160 men, surrendered and are still prisoners, although Garcia sent word to Castellanos that he would deliver them. Garcia is also attending the officers' and soldiers' wounds. It is rumored that Weyler has issued secret orders to military commanders in sugar districts, prohibiting grinding except on Spanish properties. Orders have also been issued to seize foreigners residing on sugar estates, to kill cattle and destroy implements and to simulate a fight in order to scare the farmers and laborers. Passengers by the steamer Olivette also report that numerous insurgents from the command of Gen. Gomez have entered the province of Matanzas during the past few days and have caused Gen. Weyler to dispatch 6,000 of his troops, stationed in the Pinar del Rio district, into Matanzas. Considerable excitement exists in Havana and also in Matanzas, an attack on the latter place being feared.

TO SUPPORT SPAIN.

Cuba's Political Parties Form a Committee of National Defense.

Havana, Nov. 9.—The steamer Julia has arrived here from Nuevitas, but brought no news of importance from the province of Puerto Principe. A meeting of representatives of the three local parties has been held here for the purpose of considering the advisability of consolidating for the better support of the government. After long discussion it was decided that the three parties—conservative, reformists and autonomists—should amalgamate and form one party to be styled the committee of national refuge. The executive of the new party will be composed of three delegates from each of the old parties.

Western Newspaper Men's Tour.

New York, Nov. 9.—The newspaper men who came east from Chicago as the guests of M. A. Hanna, chairman of the republican national committee, after spending yesterday in sight seeing, left at midnight last night for Washington. A day will be spent in sight seeing at the national capitol, and then the journey will be resumed westward. The train will pass through Canton on its way back, and Major McKinley will greet the travelers.

May Be Court of Claims Judge.

Washington, Nov. 9.—A new probability for the vacant place on the bench of the court of claims is reported in a special from Richmond in the person of Judge Keith, president of the Virginia supreme court. The judge is regarded as one of the ablest jurists in the south, and it is said that President Cleveland has said that if the appointment goes to Virginia, he will be the man selected.

Reaumes on Full Time.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 9.—The Worcester Cycle company, after three months' idleness, resumed work this morning on full time. About fifty hands will be employed at first, but the number will be gradually increased to 250. Besides wheels, the company will manufacture electric lamps.

Four Schooners Probably Lost.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Nov. 9.—No word has yet come from the schooners Petrel, Lena, Nelson, and Una, which formed part of the fleet of six vessels from Ludington last Wednesday for South Haven and this port. It is believed that these four boats are lost.

Incendiary Fire at South Hingham.

South Hingham, Mass., Nov. 9.—The Dr. J. B. De Beers sanitarium was badly damaged by an incendiary fire yesterday. Loss, $12,000.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 9—Lecture of Miss Austen in Crescent Avenue Chapel at 8 o'clock.
Nov. 9—Common Council meets.
Nov. 10—First University Extension lecture in Crescent Avenue chapel.
Nov. 10—Catholic Club meets.
Nov. 10—Dance in Scandia Hall.
Nov. 13—Public meeting Town Improvement Association in Y. M. C. A. building at 4:30 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; and Tuesday; Warmer Tuesday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 50 Degrees.

A PETULANT DESIRE.

Editor Charles McBride in the Elizabeth Journal last Saturday hurls back with many adjectives to Editor Runyon the latter's charge that Elizabeth Republicans cut Sheriff-elect Kirk simply because he is from Plainfield. When Editor McBride wrote the following as specifically applying to Editor Runyon's editorial observation on the Shrievalty vote, he unconsciously, no doubt, attributed the spirit that really animates Mr. Runyon in the conduct of his paper at pretty nearly all times:

The blundering, unthinking and reprehensible manner in which the Courier-News dashes headlong into condemnation of Elizabeth Republicans, shows a petulant desire to be savage rather than a creditable intention to do right.

OFFICIAL RETURNS.

The official returns made by the county election boards give McKinley's total vote in New Jersey as 221,893. Bryan's is 134,995, making the plurality for the Republican national ticket 86,898. Four years ago Cleveland carried the State by 14,974, which shows a Republican gain of 101,872 in last Tuesday's election. The vote for Palmer and Buckner was 6,476. Levering and Johnson, the Prohibition candidates, received 5,008.

TAXABLE VALUES.

According to the annual report of the State Board of Taxation, which is about ready to be issued, the taxable property in the State has increased $10,000,000 during the past year. The values in Union county are as follows: Real estate, $32,800,171; personal, $4,872, 297; total valuation taxable, $36,772,100.

William J. Bryan is now preparing to actively interest himself in the trans-Mississippi Congress, of which he is president. The exhibition is to be held in Omaha. It will be a genrral industrial and agricultural exhibit of the western States.

A word of advice. Drop politics; tackle business.—Newark News.

Good so far as it goes. But here in Plainfield it won't go till after the first Tuesday after the first Monday of December, when the city election is over.

Ordinance for Sewer Assessment.

The following is the substance of the ordinance under which the sewer assesement commissioners are working:

* * * shall cause to be made a just and equitable assessment thereof upon the owners of the lands and real estate benefited thereby, in proportion, as nearly as may be, to the advantage each shall be deemed to acquire; provided, that no owner or owners shall be assessed beyond the benefits received by his or their lands and real estate; and in cases where such cost, damages and expenses exceed the benefits, the excess shall be paid out of the city treasury; and the said board shall make a report in writing of the assessment so made, and the excess, if any, of the costs over benefits, to be paid out of the city treasury and before proceeding to sign said report.

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps will meet for practice tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wiechers and family, of Grant avenue, left today for Stapleton, S. I.

Rev. Dr. Tuttle, formerly of Plainfield, will preach at Grace M. E. church Wednesday evening. This is the second sermon in the series.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feiring, of West Third street, was brightened last evening by the arrival of twins—a boy and a girl. Mother and little ones are doing well, and "Lou" is the happiest man in town.

—Thomas MacDonald, of North Plainfield, shot thirty rounds from a cannon in Boice's apple orchard, Saturday afternoon, at three minute intervals. The cannon is a three-inch bore and has been in Mr. MacDonald's possession since Grant's first election.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Give it a Trial.

On receipt of ten cents, cash or stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm) sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Full size 50c.

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56 Warren St., New York City.

My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Robert Love, of Duer street, conducted services at Bergen, Bergen county, yesterday.

Miss Grace Tembrooke, of Rutherford, is the guest of Mrs. Fred Chase, of East Front street.

Miss Elizabeth Cornwell, of Wayne wood place, has returned from a visit with relatives at Scarsdale.

Max Munger, son of H. R. Munger, of Washington avenue, has gone to New York to spend the winter.

Miss Matie VanHorn, of Duer street, has returned from a visit with Miss Gertrude Wilson, of Newark.

Miss Hattie Brown, of Scranton, Pa., is the guest of her friend, Miss Libby Joseph, of Manning avenue.

Mrs. E. B. Clark, of Crescent avenue, has gone to Chicago to spend some time at the home of her brother

Mr. and Mrs. Seals and daughter, Miss Seals, of Flemington, are visiting Adam Seals, of Watchung avenue.

A. M. Runyon, of Madison avenue, is recovering rapidly from his recent serious illness, and will be able to go out soon.

Miss Laura Worthington, who has been spending several days with Plainfield friends, returned to her home in Brooklyn.

County Clerk Somers and Sheriff Wyckoff, of Somerville, were in town Saturday night and enjoyed the parade exceedingly.

Fred W. Bowden left today for Hasbrouck Heights, where he will look after the interests of his uncle, David Bowden, who has a large contract there.

Mrs. Russell O. Howell, of East Third street, arrived home from Pennsylvania today where she attended the funeral of her aunt who died very suddenly last week.

The marriage of Miss Annie Elizabeth Reusch to Phillip G. Mitze, will take place Tuesday evening, November 24th, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J Otto, at New Market. Mr. Mitze is a valued employe of I. H. Boehm, the dry goods dealer.

The marriage of Miss Emma Wykoff, daughter of Thomas Murray, to Robert Boorman Strong, of New Brunswick, took place last Wednesday at the home of the bride, Highland Park, New Brunswick. Mr. Strong is a nephew of Miss Laura Boorman, of East Front street, and Mrs. Charles E. Pond, of Washington Park, and has many friends in this city.

THEATRICAL.

"Flora," the serpentine dancer, will appear at every performance with the "Kennedy Players" this week at Music Hall. "Flora" is the first serpentine dancer worthy of the name who has ever appeared in Plainfield and her performance is both beautiful and bewildering. Her dress contains more than one hundred yards of silk, which she switches around into all conceivable shapes, the beauty of which is enhanced by a strong calcium light showing all the colors of the rainbow, thus producing a unique and beautiful effect. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat says: "Mme. Flora does a serpentine dance with colored effects that excels anything in the line ever put on there."

A sea of glittering pageantry, commingling in gorgeous plentitude dancing fairies, and all droll folk of the tales of "Old Mother Goose" as a background of the flooding fun now crowding the Casino, New York. "The Strange Adventures of Jack and the Beanstalk," the new production by Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger, is a fairy extravaganza of astounding magnitude. No metropolitan visual dream in mind has approached its magnificence. And the funmakers! Think of a stageful—more than a hundred—of entertainers, every one of whose names is synonymous of excellence. Think of the managerial audaucity of inducing a half dozen theatrical stars to renounce stellar tours for comic roles in the new piece. Donnelly and Girard are in themselves a show, yet here they are but two of a hundred. The stage realization of "Old King Cole." "Giant Ruse," "Jack," "Miss Muffet," "Mother Hubbard" and "Princess Mary" of "Beanstalk" fame, make new show fun galore, while the "Autumn Forest," "Jack's Home," "Giant's Cliff," "Giant's Palace," "Giant's Courtyard" and "Jack's Beanstalk," offers stage illusions the memory of which time will be slow to dissipate. Yes, the Casino's new tenant is overwhelmingly welcome, and while "Jack and his Beanstalk" are comparatively certain to remain until after the holidays, the wise theatre-goer will see the production now while its elements crackle with novelty. By request, a Wednesday matinee in addition to the Saturday afternoon performance will hereafter be instituted.

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THEIR FINAL HURRAH.

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Marshal Fisk's staff, some on foot and others following riding in carriages. Those marching were ex-City Clerk J. B. Coward, ex-Councilman Ernest R. Ackerman, Councilman S. A. Ginsa, Andrew McCardell, Sheriff-elect W. T. Kirk, Assemblyman Wm. R. Codington and J. W. Murray. Congressman Roswell G. Horr and Col. Mason W. Tyler occupied the first carriage, and J. Fred MacDonald and Captain J. Frank Hubbard the next.

The first division was leaded by its marshal, Councilman John B. Dumont, and his staff Edwin H. Frost, D. A. Ginna, O. G. Waring, J. E. Keeley, James E. Kimball and Alfred E. Holmes. All the members of the different staffs and the captains carried little red, white and blue lanterns.

The first battalion, composed of the New York and Plainfield business men, numbered about 120 men. There were many familiar faces there It was commanded by John T. Baker with William T. Kaufman as his aide. The battalion was divided into companies commaded by the following captains:—J. Parker Mason, George A. Chapman, D. E. Titsworth, C. W. Beebe, William Baker, Howard W. Beebe, George B. Schoonmaker, and Second Assistant Chief J. W. Murray, Jr.

The second battalion, made up of the citizens of North Plainfield, or, at least, about 100 of them, was commanded by its major, ex-Councilman William C. Smith, Sr.. A carriage was in line carrying Senator elect Charles A. Reed, ex-Councilman N. B. Smalley, W. A. Williams, P. A. Emmons and F. N. Brown. The rest marched in companies, the captains of which were ex School Commissioner S. B. Josephs, Frank Patience, C. H. Lippincott and John Depu. They were preceded by the Lincoln Fife and Drum Corps, of Westfield.

One hundred of the young men, members of the Young Men's Republican Club, made up the third battalion commanded by J. H. Case. The captains were Henry L. Colvel S West, Blanchard Randolph, Alonzo Titsworth, J. W. Drayton, H. R. Ayres, Thomas King and W. V. Sutton.

The third division was made up of the workingmen of the different shops and factories of the city. At the head marched City Clerk James T. MacMurray, marshal of the division, and his staff, Charles Foster, James Stewart, Frew W. Stack, Fred Yieweg, George Titsworth and Charles Dunham. The Crescent Band, of Raritan, came next. First came the workingmen from the Pond Tool Works, commanded by John Arden. The two hundred men in line were divided into companies captained by Messrs. Gow, Newman, Morgan, Steele, Flattery, McGinnis. Joseph Chapot commanded thirty men from the chamois factory of Chapot & Sons.

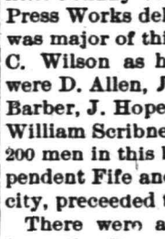
"The Yellow Kid," impersonated by little Johnny Varden, led by the Scott Press Works delegation. C. W. Smith was major of this battalion with John C. Wilson as his aide. The captains were D. Allen, J. Poole, T. Cardner, A. Barber, J. Hope, William Jukes and William Scribner. There were about 200 men in this battalion. The Independent Fife and Drum Corps, of this city, preceeded them.

There were about fifty men in line from the Potter Press Works commanded by George E Stillman, assisted by J. B. Higgins and F. Fielding.

The colored citizens were out in full force and made up the third division. William Mayhew was the marshal and his staff was composed of William Fisher, Arthur Veneable and William H. Kline. All the paraders in this division wore red and blue helmits and red, white and blue capes. The first battalion was commanded by James Babbitt, with Spencer Conway as his aide. The second battalion was commanded by William Connett, with James Scott as his aide. There were about two hundred men divided into companies which were commanded by J. H. Webbey, Frank Nelson, Noah Wood, William Lane, Warren Davis, L. L. Croom, J. P. Carson and Charles W. Wyatt.

The North Plainfield High School Cadets brought up the rear of the column dragging a cannon. A calcium light, in charge of John Naegle, from a truck behind them illuminated the street.

The line of march as published in the Daily Press Saturday was followed exactly and many handsomely decorated residences were passed. Stelle avenue was especially well decorated. The most elaborate of all the decorations, however, was at the residence of Sheriff-elect William T. Kirk where the entire front of the house was covered with Chinese lanterns. A. D. Phillips, of Central avenue had an American flag and a star formed of colored electric lights arranged on his front lawn. Councilman Charles J. Fisk had the front of his residence illuminated with colored electric lights. J. Fred MacDonald, of East Front street, had a large transparency with pictures of the elected candidates on it arranged on his front piazza. There were scores of other handsomely decorated homes but neither space nor time will allow them to be described. It was, in truth, a great parade, and most of the people of Plainfield turned out to assist in making it so.



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Lambert DeCamp, Fanwood, to John H. Stevens, Plainfield, lot adjoining Baynon's land, $1; Charles H. Hand, Annie Hand, John McIntyre and Margaret McIntyre, to John Herman, Plainfield, lot 35, ½ of lot 34, block A, Johnson avenue, $185.

The following contracts were filed from October 28th to November 4th, inclusive:

Ellen R. M. Ackerman with C. W. Krausse, plumbing, house, $513; same with Pearson & Gayle, carpenters, $910; same with John P. Emmons, mason, $632; Minnie Stryker, Plainfield, with A. A. Stryker & Bro., carpenter, mason, etc., 2½ story building, $2,800; Pauline R. Backman, Plainfield, with Galbraith & Walsh, plumbers, house, $571.25.

An Expert at the Sewage Beds.

Allan Hazen, who was consulting engineer in the construction of sewers recently finished in this city, was in town Saturday as guest of Councilman Frost inspecting the sewage beds. Mr. Hazen has just returned from Berlin where he has been investigating the sewer farms.

—Great credit is due to Quartermaster VanWinkle and his assistants for their efforts during Saturday's parade, when they had charge of the red fire.

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SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

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{ 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
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Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Fred Nelson has been a recent visitor with Fanwood friends.

Conductor Philip VanArsdale was in town on Saturday and Sunday.

Theodore Hulsizer, of Milstone, spent Saturday in town with friends.

Mrs. Peter Huff is home again after a two weeks visit with relatives at East Orange.

"Bob" Carpenter is to take part in the Jenkins concert at Somerville on the evening of the 10th instant.

The Junior football team went to Westfield Saturday and defeated a team from that place by a score of 9 to 6.

William Hamilton, of Milstone, Somerset county, has been enjoying a few days' visit among Plainfield and Dunellen friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Earl and family, of New York, arrived in town on Saturday and took possession of the Hardingham house, where they will hereafter reside.

The Misses Hunt, who are members of the Bound Brook Euchre Club, will entertain the club members at a card party at their home on Wednesday evening of this week.

Dunellen's population was pretty thoroughly weeded out on Saturday evening, about seven-tenths of the people going to Plainfield to witness the Republican demonstration and parade.

Chas. Boice has purchased from Alexander Dunn a carload of logs, which he will ship to Harlem today to be used for piling purposes. He is also furnishing 140 poles for the new ferry rack at Perth Amboy.

A special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Dunellen Building and Loan Association was held in the office of the treasurer, Alvah Gray, on Saturday evening, when some important, though private, business was transacted.

Some of the depraved youth of the borough have been in the habit of congregating about the postoffice building, about mail time each evening, and by their insulting remarks have made themselves so obnoxious that a complaint was lodged with Chief of Police Warden a few days ago. Each night since the Chief has been on duty around the office and he has put an end to the practice.

The mountain just north of here, directly opposite Clinton avenue, presented a beautiful appearance Saturday evening. Fire started there in some unexplained manner during the day and at night it had burned in a serpentine course over an acre or more of land, destroying fences and young trees. Street car passengers between Plainfield and Dunellen had an opportunity of witnessing the sight.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Election has come and gone; but not so with the trolley, which is so much needed here.

Robert Jahn, the contractor, expects to begin on the new roofing for the Saengerbund building tomorrow morning.

Fred Clark is entitled to a prize. He has husked and housed 900 bushels of fine corn alll from fourteen acres of farm land.

Eugene Guerier, John Rieck and Peter Nagel will start for Lambertville, on a few days' hunting expedition, Tuesday.

The Fanwood and Scotch Plains football teams played a game Saturday, and the Scotch Plains boys won by a score of 10 to 8.

One of W. S. Emery's team of handsome grey horses is laid up with a severe cold and fever. Dr. Pocock, of Plainfield, is in daily attendance.

A week ago last Saturday night a valuable bicycle, owned by A. D. Shepard's son, on East Front street, was stolen from in front of the house and the wheel is still missing. It was traced as far as Springfield where all trace of it was lost.

Mrs. E. Richards, of Blimm's Hotel, who has been spending a few days in New York city, will return to the Plains for the winter tomorrow.

Martin R. Carey, of New York, and Daniel McNamara, of Brooklyn, took a train to Elizabeth yesterday and then wheeled to Plainfield, Scotch Plains and home again via Springfield. Except in a few places they found the roads in an excellent condition.

A surprise was tendered to T. J. Walsh by his wife and friends at his home on the mountain northwest from here, Saturday evening, and about thirty young and middle aged people from here, Plainfield and Fanwood participated. Music was furnished by Robert Frazer, and the dancing continued until midnight.

Scotch Plains wants and needs a telephone system. At present the inhabitants only have stage communication with the outside world. A private wire now runs to A. D. Shepard's handsome residence on East Front street and it is thought with consent and a small expense the circuit could easily be extended to the Plains.

The twenty-fourth annual reception and ball of Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., in Excelsior Hall, Thursday evening, November 19th, will be the main event here since election. Prof. O'Reilly will furnish the music and the committee of arrangements consists of T. Brookmany, J. B. Guttridge, T. Emery, L. Dexter and E. T. Bowman.

The peace and quietude of the quaint old village was rudely disturbed by a "scrap" under Hand's sheds, late Saturday evening. The participants were two well-known residents of the place and the fracas was over an election bet. Ever since, one of the participants has carried a broad mourning band around his right optic. No arrests have yet been made.

It is said that a Young Men's League has been formed in connection with the Baptist church here, with a total enrollment of twenty-six names. It is also understood that three of the prominent financial members of the church have signified their willingness and desire to provide a clubhouse as soon as thirty names shall have been enrolled on the list.

NEW MARKET.

New Market is going to have her little jollification tomorrow night in company with Dunellen, and her citizens are going to paint the two towns red in honor of the victory of the "sound money" forces.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A regular meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held this evening.

—An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church this evening.

—Cypress Commandery, colored Masons, will hold a regular communication this evening.

—An important meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will be held tomorrow evening.

—Rev. H. C. Johnston, of Grace M. E. church, preached a strong sermon to young men last evening.

—A regular communication of Anchor Lodge, No. 49, F. and A. M., will be held tomorrow evening.

—The King's Daughters of Grace M. E. church will hold a sociable on Thursday evening in the church.

—Mizpah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of I. O. L., will meet this evening and arrange for an entertainment.

—The case of Kelly against Tobin, in tort, has been adjourned in Justice Newcorn's court one week, as was also the case of Beekman against Beekman.

—Through the kindness of Andrew Wilson, of the borough, there was a very choice display of chrysanthemums at Grace M. E. church yesterday.

—The Superintendent and teachers of the Mt. Olive church Sunday-school met after the session yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the Christmas celebration.

—Allan Hazen, formerly consulting engineer of the sewer work in this city, who made an inspection of the sewer farm Saturday in company with Councilman Frost, states that the system is in perfect working order.

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BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

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—The City Council will meet in adjourned session this evening.

—Needed repairs are being made to the bridge over Green brook on Grove street.

—The work of slating the new Lincoln School building was begun Saturday.

—John H. Kitchen, of Somerset street, has purchased a lot on Coddington avenue.

—The Queen City Fife and Drum Corps will have a rehearsal this evening in their rooms on Park avenue.

—The Cranford Sewer Commissioners estimate that the cost of the Cranford sewer system will amount to $150,000.

—The friends of School Commissioner F. C. Lounsbury are quietly making a canvass for him for the Mayoralty.

—The rain Thursday night put out a destructive woods fire that was burning on the east side of the Second Mountain.

—The members of that famous organization, "The Seven Wonders," are now selecting a pin. There is no doubt but that the pins will be as charming as their owners.

—The Jersey Central Railroad Company has given to Smalley Bros. the contract to macadamize North avenue for 200 feet north of Richmond street. The work will be started at once.

—An evening sociable will be given by Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, the only confined auxiliary to the Jr. O. U. A. M., in Skandia Halll, tomorrow evening.

—Only one special train is now run out here from New York Saturdays, and this will be kept on during the winter months. The train leaves New York at 2:30 p. m. and arrives here at 3:26.

—Car No. 14 of the street railway broke down at the Watchung avenue terminus at 11:30 o'clock Saturday evening, and another car was obliged to push it over the Fourth street route to the car house.

—The borough of Roselle will have to pay for the dogs killed by the marshal, who acting under their orders, killed several unmuzzled dogs. Judgment has been given against them.

—It is credited more to Providence than good management that there were no conflagrations on Saturday night. After the parade boys, mere children, run about the streets with lighted torches, poking them into obscure and out-of-the-way places, where they would not dare to venture even in the day time on ordinary occasions.

—Studies in the life of Paul are conducted by William D. Murray at the Y. M. C. A. building every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The lesson tomorrow evening will treat of Paul, the Persecutor, his spirit and methods, his explanation of his conduct and other causes for his opposition to Christianity. All men interested are invited.

—The Plainfield commuters who go to Bound Brook to work in the American Engine Works, sent a petition to the officials of the Jersey Central asking that the early morning train from here stop opposite the works which are located some distance east of the town. At present the men have to take a roundabout course in order to reach the works, or else walk over a 125 yard tressel, which is both high and dangerous.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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KIRK'S CHANCE TO SCORE.

Union Sheriff-Elect Can Disappoint G. O. P. Office-Seekers.

There is sharp rivalry among Elizabeth Republicans for the position of Under Sheriff of Union county, says this morning's World. Freeholder Hulskamper expects the plum, but it is said the friends of former Freeholder Robert Houston are not willing that Hulskamper shall get it. They think it would put him right in line for the nomination for Sheriff in 1899.

Houston was promised the Shrievalty nomination in 1893, it is claimed, only to be rejected by the party bosses this year. Now, he expects, if alive, to receive the nomination next time.

His friends realize that if Freeholder Hulskamper, who was also a candidate for Sheriff, is now made assistant Sheriff he will have the inside track to be Sheriff Kirk's successor. This the Houston faction do not want.

There promises to be a lively time over the appointment, although Sheriff Kirk may decide to settle the fight by retaining in office Lewis Miller, of Fanwood, the present assistant Sheriff.

Kirk's friends say he is not under any obligation to the Elizabeth Republicans, as he got knifed over 1,200 votes in that city last Tuesday.

Reading and Tableaux from
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GOOD DRESSMAKER would go out by the day at reasonable terms. B., care Press.

WANTED—Situation by a young colored man to do general work, good reference. 54 Elm place.

FOUND—Saturday evening, a small brass key. Owner can have same by applying at the office of this paper. 11 9 2

WANTED—Situation by a colored woman, experienced cook. 54 Elm place.

WANTED—A general housework girl, good cook, no washing. 97 Mercer avenue.

TO LET—5 rooms, two first, three second floor. Call 131 New street. 11-9-2

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AN EPISODE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR.

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CHAPTER I.

THE cold passed reluctantly from the earth and the retiring fogs revealed an army stretched out on the hills resting. As the landscape changed from brown to green the army awakened and began to tremble with eagerness at the noise of rumors. It cast its eyes upon the roads which were growing from long troughs of liquid mud to proper thoroughfares. A river, amber-tinted in the shadow of its banks, purled at the army's feet, and at night, when the stream had become of a sorrowful blackness, one could see across it the red, eye-like gleams of hostile campfires set in the low brows of distant hills.

Once a certain tall soldier developed virtues and went resolutely to wash a shirt. He came flying back from the brook waving his garment, banner-like. He had heard a tale.

"We're going to move to-morrow—sure," he said, promptly, to a group in the company street. "We're going way up the river, cut across and come around in behind them."

To his attentive audience he drew a loud and elaborate plan of a very brilliant campaign. When he had finished the blue-clothed men scattered into small, arguing groups between the rows of squat brown huts. A negro teamster, who had been dancing upon a cracker box with the hilarious encouragement of two-score soldiers, was deserted. He sat mournfully down. Smoke drifted lazily from a multitude of quaint chimneys.

"It's a thundering lie!" said a loud young private. "I don't believe the derned old army's ever going to move. We're sot. I've got ready to move eight times in the last two weeks, and we ain't moved yet."

The tall soldier felt called upon to defend the truth of a rumor he himself had introduced. He and the loud one came near to fighting over it.

Many of the men engaged in the spirited debate. One outlined in a peculiarly lucid manner all the plans of the commanding general. He was opposed by men who contended that there were other plans of campaign. They clamored at each other, numbers making futile bids for the popular attention.

There was a youthful private who listened with eager ears to the words of the excited soldier and to the varied comments of his comrades. After receiving a fill of discussions concerning marches and attacks, he went to his hut and crawled through an intricate hole that served it as a door. He wished to be alone with some new thoughts that had lately come to him.

He lay down on a wide bunk that stretched across the side of the room. In the other end cracker boxes were made to serve as furniture. They were grouped about the fireplace. Equipments hung on handy projections. The smoke of the fire at times neglected the clay chimney and wreathed into the room. And, too, this flimsy chimney of clay and sticks made endless threats to set afire the whole establishment.

The youth was in a little trance of astonishment. So they were at last going to fight. On the morrow, perhaps, there was going to be a battle and he would be in it. For a time he was obliged to labor to make himself believe. He could not accept with assurance an omen that he was about to mingle in one of those great affairs of the earth.

He had, of course, dreamed of battles all of his life—of vague, bloody conflicts. In visions he had seen himself in many struggles that had thrilled him with their sweep and fire. But monotonous weeks of camp life had made him finally regard himself as merely a part of a vast blue demonstration. He had come prepared to devastate the enemy; instead, he was made to sit still in one place and try to keep warm during the winter. He decided then that war was a legend.

However, he was now told that he was going to fight. He was mutely astonished, and lay in his bunk trying to prove mathematically that he would not run. Here was a great problem. Previously he had never felt obliged to grapple too seriously with this question. In his life he had taken certain things for granted, never challenging his belief in ultimate success and bothering little about means and roads. But here he was suddenly confronted with a thing of moment. It had suddenly appeared to him that in a battle he might run. He was forced to admit that as far as war was concerned he knew nothing of himself.

A little panic fear grew in his mind. As his imagination went forward to this fight, he saw hideous possibilities. He contemplated the lurking menaces of the close future and his mind failed in an effort to see himself standing stoutly in the midst of them.

He sprang from his bunk and began to pace nervously to and fro. "Good Lord, what's the matter with me," he said in dismay.

After a time the tall private slid dextrously through the hole. The loud young one followed. They were wrangling. "That's all right," the tall soldier was saying as he entered. "You can believe me or not—just as you like."

His companion grunted stubbornly and said: "Well, you don't know everything in the world, do you."

The youth, pausing in his nervous walk, interrupted their quarrel. "Going to be a battle, sure, is there, Jim?"

"Of course there is," said the tall soldier.

Presently the youth asked: "How do you think the regiment will do?"

"Oh, they'll fight all right after they once get into it," said the other with cold judgment. "There's been heaps of fun poked at them because they are new, but they'll fight all right, I guess."

"Think any of the boys'll run?" persisted the youth.

"Oh, there may be a few of 'em run, but there's them kind in every regiment, especially when they first goes under fire," said the tall soldier, in a tolerant way. "The boys come of good stock and they'll fight all right after they once get dead into it."

"Did you ever think you might run yourself, Jim?" remarked the youth, thoughtfully.

The tall private waved his hand. "Well," said he, profoundly, "I've thought it might get too hot for Jim Conklin in some of them scrimmages, and if a whole lot of the boys started to run, why I s'pose I'd start and run. But if everybody was a-standing and fighting, why then I'd stand and fight, by jiminy."

HE SPRANG FROM HIS BUNK.

"Shucks!" snorted the loud private, scornfully. But the youth felt grateful for these words of his tall comrade. He had feared that all of the untried men felt a great and correct confidence. He was now in a measure reassured.

CHAPTER II.

The next morning the youth discovered that his tall comrade had been the fast-flying messenger of a mistake. There was much scoffing at the latter by those who had yesterday been firm adherents of his views, and there was even a little sneering by the men who had never believed the rumor. The tall soldier fought with a man from Chatfield Corners and beat him severely.

The youth felt, however, that his problem was in no wise lifted from him. There was on the contrary an irritating prolongation. The tale had created in him a great concern for himself. And now, with this newborn question in his mind, he was compelled to sink back into his old place as part of a blue demonstration.

For days he made ceaseless calculations, but they were all wondrously unsatisfactory. He found that he could establish nothing. Finally he concluded that the only way to prove himself was to go into the blaze and then, figuratively, to watch his legs to discover their merits and faults.

Meanwhile he continually tried to measure himself by his comrades. The tall soldier, for one, gave him some assurance. This man's serene unconcern dealt him a measure of confidence, for he had known him from childhood, and from his intimate knowledge he did not see how this man could be capable of anything that was beyond him.

The youth would have liked to have discovered another who suspected himself. A sympathetic comparison of mental notes would have been a great joy to him. He occasionally tried to fathom a comrade with seductive sentences. He was afraid to make an open declaration of his condition, because it might place some unscrupulous confidant upon the high plane of the unconfessed, from which elevation he could be derided.

In regard to his companions, his mind wavered between two opinions, according to his mood. Sometimes he inclined to believe them all heroes. Then in other moments he assured himself that his fellows were all privately wondering and quaking.

In his great anxiety, his heart was continuously clamoring at what he considered to be the intolerable slowness of the generals. They seemed content to perch tranquilly upon the river bank and leave him bowed down by the weight of his great problem.

One morning, however, he found himself in the ranks of his prepared regiment. The men were whispering speculations and recounting the old rumors. In the gloom before the break of day, their uniforms glowed a deep purple hue. From across the river the red eyes were still peering. In the eastern sky, there was a yellow patch like a rug laid for the feet of the coming sun. And against it, black and pattern-like, loomed the gigantic figure of the colonel on a gigantic horse.

From off in the darkness came the trampling of feet. The youth could occasionally see dark shadows that moved like monsters. The regiment stood at rest for what seemed a long time. The youth grew impatient. It was unendurable, the way these affairs were managed. He wondered how long they were to be kept waiting.

At last he heard from along the road at the foot of the hill the clatter of a horse's galloping hoofs. It must be the coming of orders. He bent forward, scarce breathing. The exciting clickety-click as it grew louder and louder seemed to be beating upon his soul. Presently a horseman with jangling equipment drew rein before the colonel of the regiment. The two held a short, sharp-worded conversation. The men in the foremost ranks craned their necks.

As the horseman wheeled his animal and galloped away, he turned to shout over his shoulder: "Don't forget that box of cigars." The colonel mumbled in reply. The youth wondered what a box of cigars had to do with war.

A moment later the regiment went swinging off into the darkness. It was now like one of those moving monsters wending with many feet. The air was heavy and cold with dew. A mass of wet grass, marched upon, rustled like silk.

There was an occasional flash and glimmer of steel from the backs of all these huge crawling reptiles. From the road, came crackings and grumblings as some surly guns were dragged away.

The men stumbled along still muttering speculations. There was a subdued debate. Once, a man fell down and as he reached for his rifle a comrade, unseeing, trod upon his hand. He of the injured fingers swore bitterly and aloud. A low, tittering laugh went among his fellows.

Presently they passed into a roadway and marched along with easy strides. A dark regiment moved before them, and, from behind, also, came the tinkle of equipments on the bodies of marching men.

The rushing yellow of the developing day went on behind their backs. When the sun rays at last struck full and mellowingly upon the earth, the youth saw that the landscape was streaked with two long, thin, black columns, which disappeared on the brow of the hill in front and rearward vanished in a wood. They were like two serpents crawling from the cavern of the night.

The river was not in view. The tall soldier burst out in praise of what he thought to be his powers of perception. "Didn't I tell you?"

The youth took no part in them. As he walked along in careless line, he was engaged with his own eternal debate. He could not hinder himself from dwelling upon it. He was despondent and sullen and threw shifting glances about him. He looked ahead often expecting to hear from the advance the rattle of firing.

CHAPTER III.

When another night came, the columns, changed to purple streaks, filed across two pontoon bridges. A glaring fire wine-tinted the waters of the river. Its rays, shining upon the moving masses of troops, brought forth here and there sudden gleams of silver or gold. Upon the other shore, a dark and mysterious range of hills was curved against the sky. The insect voices of the night sang solemnly.

After this crossing, the youth assured himself that at any moment they might be suddenly and fearfully assaulted from the caves of the lowering woods. He kept his eyes watchfully upon the darkness.

Presently, the army again sat down to think. The odor of the peaceful pines was in the men's nostrils. The sound of monotonous ax-blows rang through the forest and the insects, nodding upon their perches, crooned like old women. The youth returned to his theory of a blue demonstration.

One gray dawn, however, he was kicked in the leg by the tall soldier and then, before he was entirely awake, he found himself running down a wood road in the midst of men who were panting from the first effects of speed. His canteen banged rhythmically upon his thigh and his haversack bobbed softly. His musket bounced a trifle from his shoulder at each stride and made his cap feel uncertain upon his head.

He thought the damp fog of early morning moved from the rush of a great body of troops. From the distance came a sudden spatter of firing.

He was bewildered. As he ran with his comrades he strenuously tried to think, but all he knew was that if he fell down those coming behind would tread upon him. All his faculties seemed to be needed to guide him over and past obstructions. He felt carried along by a mob.

The sun spread disclosing rays and, one by one, regiments burst into view like armed men just born of the earth. The youth perceived that the time had come. He was about to be measured. For a moment he felt in the face of his great trial like a babe. And the flesh over his heart seemed very thin.

The regiment slid down a bank and wallowed across a little stream. The mournful current moved slowly on and from the water, shaded black, some white bubble eyes looked at the men.

As they climbed the hill on the further side artillery began to boom. Here the youth forgot many things as he felt a sudden impulse of curiosity. He scrambled up the bank with a speed that could not be exceeded by a bloodthirsty man.

HERE THE YOUTH FORGOT MANY THINGS.

He expected a battle scene.

There were some little fields girted and squeezed by a forest. Spread over the grass and in among the tree trunks, he could see knots and waving lines of skirmishers who were running hither and thither and firing at the landscape. A dark battle-line lay upon a sun-struck clearing that gleamed orange color. A flag fluttered.

Other regiments floundered up the bank. The brigade was formed in line of battle and, after a pause, started slowly through the woods in the rear of the receding skirmishers who were continually melting into the scene to appear again further on. They were always busy as bees, deeply absorbed in their little combats.

The youth tried to observe everything. He did not use care to avoid trees and branches, and his forgotten feet were constantly knocking against stones or getting entangled in briars. He was aware that these battalions with their commotions were woven red and starting into the gentle fabric of softened greens and browns. It looked to be a wrong place for a battle-field.

The skirmishers in advance fascinated him. Their shots into thickets and at distant and prominent trees spoke to him of tragedies, hidden, mysterious, solemn.

During this march, the ardor which the youth had acquired when out of view of the field rapidly faded to nothing. His curiosity was quite easily satisfied. If an intense scene had caught him with its wild swing as he came to the top of the bank he might have gone roaring on. This advance upon nature was too calm. He had opportunity to reflect. He had time in which to wonder about himself and to attempt to probe his sensations.

Absurd ideas took hold upon him. He thought that he did not relish the landscape. It threatened him. A coldness swept over his back, and it is true that his trousers felt to him that they were no fit for his legs at all.

A house standing placidly in distant fields had an ominous look. The shadows of the woods were formidable. He was certain that in this vista there lurked fierce-eyed hosts. The swift thought came to him that the generals did not know what they were about. It was all a trap. Suddenly those close forests would bristle with rifle barrels. Iron-like brigades would appear in the rear. They were all going to be sacrificed. The generals were stupids. The enemy would presently swallow the whole command. He glared about him, expecting to see the stealthy approach of his death.

He thought that he must break from the ranks and harangue his comrades. They must not all be killed like pigs. And he was sure it would come to pass unless they were informed of these dangers. The generals were idiots to send them marching into a regular pen. There was but one pair of eyes in the corps. He would step forth and make a speech. Shrill and passionate words came to his lips.

The line, broken into moving fragments by the ground, went calmly on through fields and woods. The youth looked at the men nearest him and saw, for the most part, expressions of deep interest as if they were investigating something that had fascinated them. One or two stepped with overvaliant airs as if they were already plunged into war. Others walked as upon thin ice. The greater part of the untested men appeared quiet and absorbed. They were going to look at war, the red animal, war, the blood-swollen god. And they were deeply engrossed in this march.

As he looked, the youth gripped his outcry at his throat. He saw that even if the men were tottering with fear, they would laugh at his warning. They would jeer him, and if practicable pelt him with missiles. Admitting that he might be wrong, a frenzied declamation of the kind would turn him into a worm.

He assumed, then, the demeanor of one who knows that he is doomed, alone, to unwritten responsibilities. He lagged, with tragic glances at the sky.

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8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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FOURTEEN INCHES OF SNOW.

Remarkably Heavy Storms Reported from South Dakota.

St. Paul, Nov. 9.—Reports from points in South Dakota give news of a remarkably heavy fall of snow for this season of the year. A Huron special says that from twelve to fourteen inches of snow covers the ground in that portion of the state, more than fell all last winter, and the heaviest so early in the season for sixteen years. Thousands of acres of corn are covered, and but a small portion of the crop has been threshed. Settlers are unprepared for winter, and much suffering will follow. The snow has drifted and railway trains are impeded. Chamberlain and Miller report heavy loss to stock and much suffering as a result of the severe weather.

EBBING WATER SUPPLY.

Middletown, Conn., Anxiously Awaiting a Fall of Rain.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 9.—This city has only thirty days' supply of water in the reservoir, and unless heavy rain soon comes, pond and river water will have to be used. The low water has already caused many cases of malarial and typhoid fever. There is said to be more cases of sickness here now than in any month this year, much of it being intermittent in character. The city has been asked to build a pumping station at Pameacha pond to aid the reservoir, but has postponed action. In the country the complaint is that springs and wells are dry.

KILLED A BURGLAR.

A Pennsylvania Farmer Shoots His Discharged Colored Farm Hand.

Lancaster, Pa., Nov. 9.—A burglar yesterday morning entered the house of a farmer named Hooper living near Parkesburg, Chester county. Mr. Hooper was aroused and, arming himself with a gun, proceeded to search the house He discovered the burglar in the dining room and fired a shot into the man's body, killing him instantly. The burglar proved to be a colored man named Johnson, who was recently in the farmer's employ, but who had been discharged.

Northern Pacific Reorganization.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 9.—The stockholders of the Northern Pacific Railway company held a special meeting here Saturday. The purpose of the meeting was the final step in the reorganization plan adopted last March authorizing the issue of bonds to the amount of $190,000,000, to take the road out of the receiver's hands. Of the bonds $60,000,000 are general lien 3 per cent. bonds and $130,000,000 are 4 per cent. gold, running 100 years. The issue of bonds is secured by mortgages on the company's property and franchises.

Knights of Labor Convention.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 9.—The twentieth general assembly of the Knights of Labor of Canada and the United States will begin its session in this city to-morrow morning. All of the officers and most all of the delegates are already upon the scene and preparations are being made for the most successful convention in the history of the order. Several of the committees held special sessions yesterday to consider the propositions to be brought before the assembly later.

Cook Coaching the Yale Crew.

New York, Nov. 9.—Robert J. Cook, the Yale crew coach, who came here Saturday to see that the candidates for the eight were given their first work of the year properly, the crew using a shell rigged in the English fashion, driven with English oars, and manned by an eight which pulled close to an English stroke, will visit the crew regularly until rough weather prevents further work.

Col. Grant for Secretary of War.

Indianapolis, Nov. 9.—Dr. T. J. Charlton of Plainfield, recently returned from a visit to Gen. Miles, is authority for the statement that Col. Fred Grant of New York is to be secretary of war in McKinley's cabinet. Dr. Charlton says it is well understood by Gen. Miles and the members of his staff that Grant is to be at the head of the war department.

Reorganization of Turkish Finances.

London, Nov. 9.—The Standard today publishes a dispatch from Vienna saying it is reported there that France has obtained the assistance of Russia in a reorganization of the Turkish finances on the basis of European control. The dispatch notes that M. Berger, the agent of the French holders of Turkish bonds, is at present in St. Petersburg.

French Claims Against Spain.

Madrid, Nov. 9.—The French government has communicated to the government here a list of claims made by French citizens for losses incurred through the rebellion in Cuba. The Spanish government has ordered an inquiry to be made into the claims. The relations between the two countries are friendly.

To Invest in Pulp and Wood Mills.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 9.—Friends of Senator Camden, who is now in the east, announce that he has closed a deal by which a syndicate will invest $1,000,000 in the erection of pulp and wood working mills on the Camden property near Gauley.

May Be a Total Loss.

London, Nov. 9.—The British ship Soudan, Capt. Donald, from Leith for Rio Janeiro, standed at Yarmouth during a dense fog. The crew was brought ashore by the life boats. The sea is very rough and if it continues so it is thought the vessel will be a total loss.

Railroad Shops Running on Full Time.

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 9.—The West Shore railroad shops at Frankfort, employing 800 men, started running on full time again this morning.

IRELAND'S DISTRESS

Reports of Impending Famine Not Unexpected at New York.

DESTRUCTION OF CROPS BY FLOODS

The British Government Inactive—Landlords Ejecting Thousands of the Peasantry, Entailing Additional Misery Upon the Sufferers.

New York, Nov. 9.—The report from Ireland that a famine resulting from the failure of the crops is almost sure to occur this winter is a matter of no surprise to well informed Irishmen in this city, as for several months past letters have been received by prominent sons of Erin who have taken up their residences here, but who still take an active interest in everything that concerns the welfare of their native land. But it seems that the prospects are even more dreary than these letters indicated. The latest news received declares that no such appalling outlook has presented itself during the present generation. Concurring reports show that the prolonged rains of the autumn have ruined the crops north and south, and that by their failure a period of desolation is about to set in. The rich lands have been flooded for weeks at a time when the harvest should have been proceeding. Corn and haystacks have been submerged, and potatoes are rotting in the fields. In the poorer hill lands the small farmer and cotton population are face face with one of those failures of the potato crop which have so often brought the uttermost horrors of starvation and disease among them. The government is doing nothing. The Irish secretary's tour in the west and northwest occurred before the bad weather set in, and at a time when little could be predicted of the harvests. Since then he has obtained reports from official sources—from landlord sources—which can only be described as misleading. The farmers on many of the large estates have informed their landlords' agents that no rents can be paid this year because none was earned. But the landlords have entered into a combination for wholesale pressure on the tenants. Using their utmost privileges under the land act, they are applying for ejectment decrees by the thousand, and an eviction campaign such as rarely has been witnessed even in Ireland is now in progress in many districts. As soon as the rigors of winter set in the demand for relief will be clamorous. The government will be compelled to intervene before parliament opens, or face an accusation of reckless indifference to suffering, and in some quarters it is expected that Irish discontent will assume a more active form than mere talk or agitation for home rule.

To Work at Full Capacity.

Malone, N. Y., Nov. 9.—This morning Lawrence, Webster & Co., whose looms have been operated at less than their full capacity for a considerable time, began working at full force to fill large orders. A single order comprises 5,000 pairs of pants. The Chautauquay Ore & Iron company has resumed work in the mines at Lyon mountain, which have been closed a long time. Surveys are being made for an extension of the Bombay railroad to Hogansburgh in this county. and for St. Lawrence river connections.

Would Accept a Cabinet Portfolio.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—When a dispatch from Washington stating that there was a report in republican circles at the capital to the effect that he would be tendered a portfolio in the McKinley cabinet was shown to Congressman Harmer, he said that the idea of seeking a cabinet portfolio was never thought of by him for a moment, but when asked if he would accept an appointment in the cabinet he said that if such an offer was made to him by Major McKinley, he would certainly give it consideration.

A. B. Powers Regains His Reason.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 9.—A. B. Powers, the young Kentuckian who so mysteriously disappeared from Chicago while conducting the Cuban relief corps some time ago, and who was finally found in a badly deranged condition at Humboldt, Tenn., suddenly became possessed of his mental faculties last night at his home here. Physicians believe that Powers' return to reason will be permanent.

Anglo-French Differences Settled.

London, Nov. 9.—Judging from the best information obtainable it is believed that the czar's influence has brought about an arrangement of the Anglo-French differences regarding Egypt. This implies a prolongation of the British occupation of Egypt, with a free hand to extend it to the whole of the Upper Nile.

Ambassador Uhl's Daughter Engaged.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—Ambassador Uhl requests the United Associated Presses to correct the statement that his daughter, Miss Lucy Uhl, is engaged to be married to a student in Yale university. The gentleman to whom Miss Uhl is engaged is Prof. Guy Thompson, a member of the faculty of Yale university.

Senator Mitchell for Gold.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 9.—Intimate friends of United States senator John L. Mitchell say that he will support all gold measures in the senate, and that he so declared himself before he left this city for Washington. His position was that it was his duty to support the regular nominee of the party.

Cecil Rhodes' Ambition.

London, Nov. 9.—Cecil Rhodes is seeking through certain well known Irish members to be elected to parliament. If he obtains a seat he will appear as an anti-Parnellite.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:38 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:49 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:49 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Dunellen and Bound Brook football teams played two games Saturday. The Dunellens won both games by the scores of 12 to 0 and 30 to 0.

The members of the Spartan Athletic Club, of the borough, are planning to re-organize their football eleven and play a game on the morning of Thanksgiving Day.

Martine's field is certainly an excellent place to play football, and the Y. M. C. A. team is greatly indebted to its owner, James E. Martine, for his kindness in allowing them the use of it. It is very smooth and level and presents all the agreeable features of an up-to-date gridiron.

It was too bad that it was necessary to cancel Saturday's game between the local Y. M. C. A. eleven and the Orange Y. M. C. A., but all teams that have not a crowd of substitutes to back them are likely to be found in a similar position, without sufficient men to play the game, and the Orange boys appreciate the fact.

Alex. Milne played guard Saturday afternoon on the New Jersey Athletic Club eleven against a crack Brooklyn team, the Irvings, at Eastern Park, Brooklyn. The New Jersey management is very anxious to have "Shorty" become a regular member of the team but he prefers to remain true to his colors and play at home.

Preparations are being made for a great game on Thanksgiving Day afternoon. Efforts have been made to secure the strongest team possible for that date and the management has settled on the senior class team at Princeton University, Princeton '97, they call it for that day. That team is the strongest in the college beside the "varsity" eleven. The "varsity" team will not play on Thanksgiving and, as several members of that team are seniors, Plainfield is likely to see some of the famous "varsity" men line up against the home team. It will be by far the strongest team that has ever played in this city and their appearance will effectually stop any rumor that the local players are afraid to meet any strong eleven. The Princeton boys want to come here and promise to bring a crowd of rooters with them.

While the first game between the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. football team and the Westfield eleven was watched with much interest the second and concluding game of the series next Saturday promises to be even more exciting and its result will be watched for even more anxiously. The team Plainfield had on the field for the first game was a complete surprise for the Westfielders, and they were not surprised to meet it. Now, however, they know what to expect and they have been strengthening their team with new men and more practice ever since their defeat. The courage of their backers, which fell to the zero point during the other game, has risen again, and with their present team the Westfield boys are very confident of winning the second game. It is to be played on their grounds which will be, of course, to their advantage. There are wise men behind the Y. M. C. A. team and they realized the necessity of plenty of preparation for this next game. Saturday night the team met for practice as well as they could in their present disabled condition and several new schemes were tried which are likely to tell heavily against Westfield. By next Saturday, it is confidently expected that all the players, except Smith, will be in condition to play and Plainfield will send a team down the road that will be able to hold its own against the best Westfield can put up.

—Contractor William Brokaw had several men engaged Saturday in repairing the flooring of the Grove street bridge.

—Mulford Estil and A. B. Darby, of Grove street, are having their respective houses painted. Woolston & Buckle are doing the work.

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GOLF.

The Hillside Tennis and Golf Club grounds was crowded as usual Saturday afternoon last when the handicap semi-finals for the Reinhart cup were played. As the match draws to a close the interest increases and the enthusiasm was marked on Saturday. Dr. F. C. Ard beat J. S. Anthony 7 up with 5 to play; Lee Ashley Grace beat George VanBoskerck 6 up with 5 to play. This places the contest between Dr. Ard and Lee Ashley Grace for the finals, which will be played next Saturday afternoon. Tea was served as usual in the club-house. Mrs. William Dellancy poured tea and she was assisted by Miss Walz, Miss Dumont and Miss VanBoskerck.

Carried Through.

Two little boys from South Second street were playing on a coal train Saturday morning, when the train increased its speed. The elder of the two lads jumped off, but the other was afraid to. He was carried to Jersey City and was not found by his parents until yesterday.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., meets tonight as usual.

—William Force, of Somerset street, will play at George Jenkins' banjo concert at Somerville tomorrow night.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon in Vincent chapel.

—Contractor John A. Goodwin has just completed painting the exterior of J. A. Alexander's house on Mercer avenue.

—The Midmer Glee Club, of this city, will go to Orange Wednesday evening to take part in an entertainment given in that place.

—The petit jurors were sommoned to Elizabeth again this morning to try criminal cases. It is thought the session will be completed this week.

—Young People's Society Christian Endeavor prayer meeting tonight in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed church at 8 o'clock. Everbody welcome.

Mrs. William Whitenack, an aunt of Charles Willis, of Johnston Drive, died at her home in Basking Ridge, last Thursday, from a complication of diseases.

—Crescent Division, No. 13, Uniformed Rank of Knights of Pythias, will hold a meeting Wednesday evening. Special business of importance will come up.

—Some members of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Church of Christ attended the consecration meeting of a sister society (Congregational) Sunday night, which was very interesting.

—The first lecture in the University Extension course will be delivered in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock by Prof. Robert W. Prentess. Subject, "The Sun' its Phenomena."

—The Christian Endeavor meetings of the First Church of Christ are held Tuesday evenings at 122 Liberty street. The topic this week is found in Acts 17, 16 31. All Endeavorers and their friends always welcome.

—J. W. VanSyckle, A. Lusardi, and the Hotel Grenada on North avenue, painted the avenue crimson, during the parade, Saturday night. They burned up about $40 worth of red fire, sky rockets, Roman candles, and squibs, and yesterday morning it was found necessary to shovel away the remains from their pyrotechnic display of the night before.

Miss Laura Smith, of Somerville, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Hobb, of Newark, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

J. W. VanNess, of West 206th street, New York, is visiting in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wedemeyer, of Somerset street, went to New York yesterday to attend a christening.

Mrs. E. J. Powers and son, Ray of Willington, N. C., are spending a few days with Plainfield relatives.

Miss May MacLaughlin, of Somerset street, is the guest of her friend, Miss Katheryn Krymer, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. J. A. Wells, of West Port, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson L. Douglass on Mercer avenue.

Mrs. Louis Volz, of Johnston drive, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Watkins at the Highlands of Navesink.

Mrs. Kate Slater and her granddaughter, Miss Clyde Slater, of Jackson avenue, spent yesterday at Elizabeth with relatives.

Edward Beekman, of Brooklyn, son of J. V. Beekman, of West Eighth street, has rented a house on Rockview avenue. He will take possession about Thanksgiving.

Miss Cleava Janette Whitlock, daughter of John V. Whitlock, formerly street commissioner of the borough, was married to George Walter King at Newark on November 2d. The bride has many friends in this city.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street, is visiting friends in New York.

Dr. and Mrs. Bristow, of Brooklyn, were visiting F. L. Martin, Saturday.

George Bird, of Reed & Coddington's law office, has returned from a visit with out of town friends.

Miss Adelaide Hillhouse, of Paris, spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street.

Miss Martha May Wright and Frederick Rupprecht, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with Miss Wright's mother on East Front street.

Mrs. James Burns and son, Walter, of Newark, are spending a few days with Mrs. Burns' sister, Mrs. Louis Volz, of Johnston's drive.

Rev. Dr Lamb visited the Church of the Holy Cross yesterday afternoon and presented the 'Cause of the Aged Clergy" to the congregation.

The "Jolly Chrysanthemum Four" enjoyed a delightful theatre party on Saturday. They witnessed a production of "Secret Service" at the Garrick Theatre, New York.

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DIDN'T STICK TO TRUTH.

PATROLMAN COONEY WILL HAVE TO STAND A PUBLIC TRIAL.

He is Charged With Telling Falsehoods When Brought Before the Police Board on a Serious Charge Some Time Ago.

A considerable amount of committee work made it impossible for the City Council to meet until 8:45 last evening. Just what was done, no one except those present know, but it is supposed that the report regarding the case of Patrolman Joseph Cooney, Jr., which appears later in the proceedings, came up for consideration.

All the members except Mr. Westphal were present. Among the petitions presented was one from A. L. C. Marsh for a fire hydrant at the corner of Watchung and Hillside avenues, another from L. C. Batson for two two way hydrants on West Front street near Albert street, and one from Ira Smith asking for a fire alarm box at the corner of Park avenue and Randolph road All three petitions were referred to the fire and building committee.

Mr. Stebbins offered a resolution later, which was adopted, that hydrants be located as follows: Two two-way between Richmond and Berckman streets on East Second street; two two-way on East Front street above Berckman street; two two-way on West Front street, between Grant avenue and Albert street.

A bill was received from J. W. Van-Eps for repairing the town clock, and it was ordered paid. Geo. R. Wooden, of Orchard place, asked the Council to pay him $5 for the loss of seven chickens, presumably killed by dogs. The matter was referred to the finance committee, and Mr Dumont reported that inasmuch as the claim had not been established the Council could do nothing.

Evarts Tracy and others recommended that the proposed amendment to the building ordinance be passed.

Washburn & Washburn asked that the Council notify the American Surety Company that the former had completed their work on the sewage system in this city, so that the bonds could be surrendered. Mr. Frost moved that such action be taken, which was so ordered.

City Physician Simpson's report showed that eighteen cases had been treated during the past month, and Building Inspector Doane's report showed that twenty-seven permits had been granted.

Overseer of Poor Ernest Marx stated that the burying ground matter had not yet been settled, as he was waiting to hear from the officials of the First M. E. church. His report showed that at present the city has forty beneficiaries, thirty-one of whom are women, seven men and two boys.

Street Commissioner Meeker reported that $29 had been received from sewer connections and the same had been turned over to the city treasurer.

At this point Chairman Barrows, of the Police Board, submitted a lengthy report regarding the case of Patrolman Jos. Cooney Jr., against whom their is a serious charge. The report charges that Patrolman Cooney was called before the Police Board September 21st, 1896, to answer to alleged mis-conduct and that he did then and there deliberately and wilfully utter falsehoods regarding his whereabouts in the charge in question. On a resolution offered by Mr. Barrows, Monday night, November 16th, at 8 o'clock, was set as the time when Patrolman Cooney should appear at the council rooms for a public examination of the charges preferred on the complaint of Chief George W. Grant. Mr. Barrows then offered another resolution that when council adjourns it be to meet Monday night, November 16th, at 8 o'clock. On resolutions offered by Mr. Dumont one sewer note for $3,000 was renewed and the proper city officers were authorized to renew such notes as would mature in the next sixty days, the time of such notes not to extend over twelve months. On motion of Mr. Frost, the communication received sometime ago from the Plainfield Sanitary Company was ordered returned. Mr. Fisk called up the ordinance amending the building ordinance and asked that it be placed on a second reading which was done. Mr. Fisk stated that the object of the amendment was to allow property owners who at present had no provision for sanitary arrangements the privilege of building additions to their houses for that purpose. The ordinance was read and ordered engrossed and advertised.

Mr. Frost called up the ordinance relating to the charge now made for sewer connections and on his motion the price was changed from $1 to $3.

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TREND TOWARDS A MAYOR

MR. FISK SAYS HE DON'T WANT IT.—OTHERS THAT DO.

Councilman Frost's No-License Record Hurts His Chances.—F. C. Lounsbery and William Newcorn From the Fourth Ward.

With Charles J. Fisk not a candidate for Mayoralty honors in the G. O. P. camp, with its sixteen hundred odd majority in this year of our grace to give it a bright aspect to those who would succeed Mr. Gilbert if the political winds blow them good, there bobs up candidates for the nomination of His Honor that make it necessary to use several fingers to calculate them with a strict regard for mathematics.

Drawn out by the forecast published in these coulmns last Saturday, Mr. Fisk says that he is not a candidate for Mayor. So long as Mr. Fisk was considered a candidate for the honor every other Republican who is willing to succeed Mayor Gilbert remained quietly in the background; ready, however, to jump into the contest the minute it became known that the Third ward Councilman and Republican leader was not desirous of becoming the chief executive of the city.

Councilman George Frost's position was defined in these columns last Saturday. Therefore, with Mr. Fisk known as not being anxious for the nomination—which everybody regarded as his for the asking—Mr. Frost steps in with a willingness to stand as a man who, if elected, will carry on the executive department of the city in direct sympathy with its present policy as to municipal improvements under way and proposed. Mr. Frost is not a politician in the sense that the word is usually applied. It is said that he will not get out and hustle for votes in the primaries in order to get the nomination. He wants the office to seek him. To be explicit, he is a candidate so far as expressing a willingness to run if nominated, is concerned. But since, in the evolution of things political nowadays, it is the man who gets out among the boys and is a hale fellow well met that usually gets there when the nominating time comes, Mr. Frost's candidacy cannot be regarded with an optimistic view. And I know that Mr. Frost's candidacy is not looked upon with favor by many who are now in the lead in Republican ranks. One thing that will militate against his chances of nomination—and still more against his chances of election if he should be nominated—is his record on the license question. Mr. Frost is a no-license man as his every vote on applications for liquor licenses to the Common Council shows since he has been a member of that body. With all due regard for the moral standing of the people of the First and Fourth wards, it will be admitted that as a rule they are "liberal" in their views on temperance matters, and a man who is on record as "no license" would not be regarded with much favor when it comes to the dispensation of political favors from them. As an observer, I do not regard Mr. Frost's candidacy as a likely one beyond the confines of his personal friends.

Many months ago The Press announced that F. C. Lounsbury was talked of as a possible Mayoralty candidate. It can be said with assurance that Mr. Lounsbury is a candidate. He is from the Fourth ward. The Fourth ward, though big and powerful in the number of its delegates to city conventions and large in its Republican majorities in latter years, has fared rather poorly in the distribution of city offices. Last year they went in and captured the City Judgeship. This year they are going to make an effort for the biggest game—Mayor. Mr. Lounsbury is a member of the Board of Education, where, his friends say, he has evidenced signal ability in working for the best interests of the city.

Another name mentioned for the nomination is Justice William Newcorn. Mr. Newcorn is a successful politican. He is one of the leaders that has made the Fourth ward an almost impregnable stronghold for Republicanism, with a machine that works with wonderful effectiveness. Mr. Neweorn has the quality that may make him a strong candidate on one point. He is a Plainfield business man. There is a clear disposition on the part of hundreds of voters that Plainfield wants a business man from her own town for Mayor.

Ex-Mayor George Rockfellow has been spoken of. He would also make a strong man for all the-time Plainfielders to center their support on.

A meeting of the Republican leaders will probably be held some evening this week when the prospects of the campaign will be informally discussed with a view to party unity.

Nay Pen.

Miss Katie Lawless, of East Front street, arrived home on Tuesday from Edgewater-on-the-Hudson.

LOOTED THE "BUNGELO"

THIEVES SWOOP DOWN UPON AND STEAL LITTLE MEMENTOES.

Young People Go to a Mountain Lodge to Find That Its Interior is Topsy-Turvy from the Visit of Thieves

The rustic cottage built and owned by Mrs. F. O. Herring on Johnston's Drive, which has been the scene of many a gay crowd of Plainfield society people during the past summer, where the stiff conventionalities of a prosaic world were wafted away on the many breezes that cool the Watchung range of mountains in dog days, has been swooped down upon by thieves and looted of many little things that made attractive and convenient its interior. The structure was not such as to withstand the assault of anyone really bent on mischief, and through a window the thieves had made their entrance. The discovery was made by a party of young people who went from this city last Saturday afternoon and were bent on having a good time in the autumn weather that marked the day. It was a sorry looking sight, however, that met their eyes when they opened the door. The whole interior seemed to be topsy-turvy; every article that had been in its place when last seen by the owner was now strewn and scattered about in a promiscuous manner. A little investigation on the part of the visitors showed that the marauders had taken away pretty much everything of value, such as tableware, bric-a-brac, etc. The missing articles considered singly were not of great value, but in the aggregate they amounted to quite a sum. But the loss that was felt most by Mrs. Herring was the disarrangement and destruction of many little mementoes of former visitations to the "Bungelo," as she had termed it. There is no clue to the depredators.

NEW VOLUNTEER OFFICERS.

Capt. and Mrs. A. E. Ransom to Take Charge Next Thursday.

Captain and Mrs. E. A. Ransom will assume charge of the American Volunteer post in this city next Thursday after having been stationed at Newark since their marriage some weeks ago. Mrs. Ransom was well known as Captain Mimms and she was the first Volunteer officer to serve in this city. Before the organization of the Volunteers she was in charge of the Salvation Army Corps in this city also. She is very popular among workers in this kind of religious warfare. The romantic courtship of Mr. and Mrs. Ransom has been fully told in the columns of The Press heretofore. Captain Ransom was a former reporter on the New York Advertiser and is a bright writer. The new officers will undoubtedly invigorate the activities of the Volunteers in this city to a considerable extent. Sunday night they were given a farewell at the Newark post, and much regret was expressed that they were to leave there.

ANOTHER COP ON THE RACK.

Charged He Sold a Coat Which He Represented as Discarding.

Last night the Police Board had another offending officer on the rack. This time it was Patrolman Totten. It is charged that Totten represented to the Board that a coat, which was part of the uniform furnished by the city, had been worn out and discarded by him, whereas he had sold it to Special Officer Hansen. The two officers and the coat were before the Board last night. It is not known what the Board decided to do in the matter.

MR. KIRK SWORN IN.

Became Sheriff De Facto at 10 o'Clock This Morning.

In a room full of the leading lights of Union county, William T. Kirk took the oath of office of Sheriff in the County Clerk's office in Elizabeth this morning at 10 o'clock. Judge McCormick administered the oath of office. The following qualified as bondsmen in the sum of $20,000 jointly and severally for the faithful performance of the duties of the office by Mr. Kirk.

John Kean, J. W. Whelan, Meline W. Halsey, Edward C. Woodruff and E. M. Wood, of Elizabeth; J. F. Hubbard, Plainfield.

Mr. Kirk has not yet announced his deputy. He has retained James H. Clark, of Rahway, as office clerk.

—Martha Washington Council, Daughters of America, will hold a reception and dance in the rooms over the Republican Association rooms, this evening.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

MISSION WORKERS WED

MISS NOAH HERNDON BECOMES MRS. FRANK W. MORSE.

The Ceremony Quietly Performed at the Home of the Groom's Brother on Franklin Place at 7:30 Yesterday Evening.

Very informal, but very pleasant, were the wedding ceremonies by which Miss Noah Mildred Herndon, of Carnesville, Ga., and Frank W Morse, of 301 West Fourth street, were united in marriage last evening. The wedding took place at the home of the groom's brother, Joseph E. Morse, of 338 Franklin place, and was attended by the family of the groom and a few of the more immediate friends.

It was a home wedding and a very happy occasion. Rev. A. B. Simpson, of New York, was to perform the ceremony, but was unavoidably detained at Northfield, and sent in his place Rev. A. E. Frink, secretary of the New York Missionary Training Institute.

At 7:30 o'clock, the couple were united by a simple, but very impressive ceremony, and then Mr. and Mrs. Morse and the guests adjourned to the dining room where the wedding supper was served, and the rest of the evening passed in a delightful manner.

Mr. Morse is well known in this city, having resided here for some time. He is superintendent of the Garwood Land and Improvement Company. Miss Herndon was a graduate of the New York Missionary Training Institute of the Christian Alliance and has been city missionary in Plainfield during the last six months.

The house was decorated with white chrysanthemums and carnations. The table decorations were very handsome, the prevailing colors being pink and white. Max Wiertz was caterer.

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE.

Tableaux Presented and Described by Young Mission Workers.

The cosy and pretty little chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church was comfortable filled by an appreciative audience, last evening, when the Young Ladies' Mission Bands, of the Crescent Avenue and First Presbyterian Churches joined in giving and entertainment that was most pleasing and besides netted the bands a snug little sum in reward for their efforts. Miss Carrie Dewey presided at the piano and rendered some delightful music, bringing forth well merited applause.

The entertainment consisted principally of tableaux from "Pride and Prejudice," by Jane Austen, written in 1796, and the costumes were in keeping with colonial times. A list of the characters and impersonations follow: "Mrs. Bennet," Miss Grace Petrie; "Mr. Bennet," W. L. C. Glenny; "Miss Bennet," Miss Ethel Holmes; "Miss Elizabeth Bennet," Miss Sarah Richards; "Miss Mary Bennet," Miss Searing; "Miss Kittie Bennet," Miss Luckey; "Miss Lydia Bennet," Miss Harriet Goddard; "Lady Catherine de Bourg," Miss Harriet Gardner; "Miss Bingley," Miss Louise Patten; "Mr. Bingley," Edward Petrie; "Mr. Darcy," Henry Patten; "Mr. Collins," Mr. Bonnell. Miss Edith R. Leonard acted as reader.

On the whole the entertainment was a pronounced success, and at the completion of the tableaux homemade candy was offered for sale in the church parlors.

Four More Lawyers.

Plainfield has turned out four more lawyers, for Robert M. Clark, A. H. Cornish, George H. Bird and Irving Brady have successfully passed their examinations and are now full-fledged attorneys. They took their written examinations at Trenton last week and yesterday went there for their oral examinations. The four young men all succeeded, and are today receiving the congratulations of their friends. They will probably all locate in this city.

New Jersey's Flower Show.

The annual fall flower show of the New Jersey Horticultural Society will open today in the big tennis building of the Orange Athletic Club on Halstead street, East Orange. Entries have been received from all over the State, and one of the best shows the society has ever held is expected. Tomorrow will be children's day.

Direct Route to the Pacific Coast.

The 2 o'clock train from New York, Sundays, and a car attached to the 3:30 p. m. train week days passing through here, now runs direct to New Orleans, and connects with the well-known "Sunset Limited" there for San Francisco. Single tickets to San Francisco are $75 and the excursion rate is $143.50.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will meet tomorrow night.

ELECTION OFFICERS' PAY

COUNTY ATTORNEY CODINGTON INTERPRETS THE LAW.

In Elizabeth Election Officers Will Be Paid Per Diem, and in the Country Districts According to the Number of Voters

The question of the compensation of the board of registry and election, owing to the recent change in the State laws, has perplexed the freeholders, and they were in doubt about what they should pay the members of the board for their services at the recent election.

The electoin board has exhibited considerable interest on the subject, and has held several meetings.

The freeholders referred the question to County Attorney Codington, and his opinion, which will be submitted to the board at the meeting on the 19th inst., is as follows:

November 9th, 1896.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—My opinion having been asked as to what compensation members of the boards of registry and election were entitled to for services rendered at any general election in this State, I would say that under the supplement to an act entitled "An act to regulate elections," which supplement is found on page 85 of the laws of 1896, the compensation to each member of the board of registry and election shall be in proportion to the number of registered voters in their respective election districts, as follows, that is to say: To each member of the boards of registry and election in districts where the number of registered voters is more than 150 $15; in districts where the number of registered voters is more than 150 and not more than 300, $20; in districts where the number of registered voters is more than 300, $25. Said sums to be paid in lieu of all other fees and charges whatsoever.

The above, however, will not apply to cities having a population exceeding 40,000. By the eleventh section of an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled an act to regulate elections," which supplemental act was passed in 1895, page 659, of the laws of 1865, it is provided that in cities having a population exceeding 40,000, each member of the boards of registry and election for all services performed by them shall be paid as follows: For each registry day $5, for each election day, including counting of the votes and the delivery of the returns and ballot boxes to the municipal clerk, $10.

I understand that the city of Elizabeth has a population exceeding 40,000; therefore the payment to the members of the boards of registry and election in that city would be control led by the last above stated act.

I would suggest that all members of the boards of registry and election outside of the city of Elizabeth when making up their bills state in the body thereof the number of registered voters of their respective districts, so that the county collector may the more readily verify their bills.

Yours very respectfully,
W. R. Codington,
County Attorney.

GRAND OFFICERS COMING.

Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., to Have a Big Time Thursday Night.

Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., are making extensive preparations to entertain a host of lodge delegates and friends on Thursday evening, in the Exempt Firemen's Association Hall. Among the Grand Lodge officers who have signified their intention to be present are: Grand Master Workman E. H. Collins, of Newark; Grand Overseer Stahl, of Trenton, who is also Department Commander of the G. A. R; Grand Recorder G. H. Lippencott, of Camden. Grand Receiver Goldsen Test will also be present and make a few remarks, and besides Grand Trustee Henry Liefke, Carl Schlaepfer, of Trenton, chairman of finances; Walter Sellers, of Camden, member of the finance committee, and Deputy Grand Master Workman J. A. VanDuzen, of Rahway, will also be here.

In addition to the above, Medical Examiner Elmer D. Barnes, of Trenton, will probably be in attendance, and delegations will come here from Bernards Lodge, No. 67, of Basking Ridge; Upchurch Lodge, No. 50, of Westfield; Memorial Lodge, No. 63, of Newark; and Earnest Lodge, No. 61, of Elizabeth.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the following cases:—Potter vs. Fett, returnable November 16; Sternberg vs. Brown; Sternberg vs. Coster; Sternberg vs. Smith; Sternberg vs. Yetman, returnable November 20, and executions have been issued in the cases of Seabury and Johnson vs. Richards; Mellick vs. Richards; Jackson vs. Richards.

Entertainment at St. Joseph's.

Rev. William Miller, pastor of St. Joseph's Church in North Plainfield, announces an entertainment on the evenings of November 18th and 19th. It is for the benefit of the church, and the programme will include, recitations, dialogues, tableaux, posing, and other amusements.

Sheriff-Elect Kirk's Plurality.

The County Board of Election made a mistake in figuring up the plurality received by William T. Kirk, the Republican candidate for Sheriff of Union county. The corrected returns give Sheriff-elect Kirk 4,403 plurality.

New Bank Officers Elected.

The managers of the Dime Savings Bank held a meeting last evening and elected James C. Pope, treasurer, to fill vacancy caused by the death of the late E. R. Pope, and Howard A. Pope assistant treasurer.

Captured a Big Eagle.

Louis Wyckoff captured an immense eagle on the first mountain election day. Smalley Brothers, of the borough, are going to have the bird stuffed and placed in their store.

TALKED GOLD TO WOMEN

MAYOR GILBERT ON THE DELOPMENT OF THE MONETARY SYSTEM.

Says That the Masses Are Not Able to Intelligently Decide What is Good in a Financial System for Them.

At a special meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club held at the Casino yesterday afternoon, Mayor Gilbert delivered an address on the "Delopement of the Monetary System." The hall was well-filled with the members of the club and their friends who were greatly enlightened by Mr. Gilbert's talk, a portion of which is as follows:

"Among the alarming features of the great campaign through which we have just passed is that the great ecomic question was left to the masses instead of the acknowledged financers of the country of the country who are thoroughly versant as to what is needed. If the election had gone the wrong way we could not conceive the result Savings of a life time might have been swept away and ruined. We cannot expect the masses to understand this money question. No doubt you all think you know what it is, and you would probably say that money is a medium of exchange. If we go back to Chinese history 2 500 years ago, we find the people using clay tablets as money and it performed the function of money satisfactory. That was flat, pure and simple. When Li Hung Chang visited this country he showed himself to be a close observer and a profound student of finance, and when he left the Treasury department he left a memoranda which said: 'I have travelled all over the world and I have discovered that all nations using gold as a standard are the most powerful and prosperous nations of the world.' China has made very little progress in the monetary system. They now use coppers on a string, 1,000 to 1,800 of which make a dollar. They are piled up in the market places the same as potatoes, etc. The Chinaman receives eight and ten of these coppers for a work.

"Mr Bryan said, among other things, that if gold was demonetized and the value was destroyed, it would decline like silver. That is where he made a mistake. You cannot destroy the value of gold. If all the mints were closed, people would still demand gold until some more valuable metal was discovered. My purpose is to impress upon your minds that money is more than a medium of exchange. It is a measure of value the world over and money is worth just what it will buy. Gold is the only substance that will fill all the requirements and pass safely through fluctuation.

"No other commodity has had such qualifications. With the silver dollar today the government stands behind it, but with Mr. Bryan's silver dollar the government could not do this, for it would not have a redeeming place and its purchasing power would be limited. From the earliest period nations have regarded metals the best thing for money, principally because they are instructible, and they receive and hold impressions easily. Prior to 1870, England was the only nation where gold was used. In 1816 she demonetized silver and wrestled with the question of bimentalism. After these years we take up the question which England settled. England found it impossible to maintain a parity. In 1871 or 1872 Germany demonetized silver. Previous to the French war she wrestled with the problem. In 1873 the United States took up the question as to what should be done with the silver dollar. There was only $800,000 coined and they were sent abroad. The monetary system has been reduced to a scientific basis and the world is constantly advancing toward better things. Gold has been selected as the best and safest for the banker, merchants and laboring man. It fluctuates less than any other metal, while silver has been demonetized the same as copper. We have no more use for silver today than we have for the old stage coach. Gold will do thirty-two times as much work. People don't want metallic money except to pay foreign indebtedness. While Bryan sought to restore the money function of silver he charged the banking system with being the cause of all ills. Years ago people used to hide money away in stockings, etc., but when banks were instituted they deposited their money, had it invested and as a result untold industries were started and the country became prosperous. Mr. Bryan attempted to throw us back one hundred years by given us the dollar of our fathers. Why not give us the battleships and tallow-dip of fathers? The people would not be influenced and we have today the standard of the world the gold standard." After Mrs. Sterling announced the next lecture to be held December 14th, which will be delivered by E. C. Perkins on the subject "The Man With the Iron Mask," a vote of thanks was given Mayor Gilbert for his excellent talk. The meeting then adjourned.

THE TEXAS FLOATED

Believed That the Battleship Sustained No Serious Injury.

WILL BE DOCKED THIS AFTERNOON

Official Report of the Accident Received at the Navy Department — A Board of Inquiry Appointed at Once.

New York, Nov. 10.—The Texas was floated late last night and was immediately pumped out. She will be docked this afternoon. It is believed that she sustained no strain or other serious damage.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Secretary Herbert has ordered the following court of inquiry on the sinking of the Texas at her dock at the Brooklyn navy yard: Commodor J. N. Miller, now commandant of the Boston navy yard; chief engineer, W. W. Dungan, the senior officer of his corps, now inspector of machinery at Cramps', and naval constructor J. F. Hanscom, with Lieut. B. T. Walling as judge-advocate. The court will meet at the navy yard, New York, at 1 p. m. to-morrow. Additional information has just been received at the navy department in an official telegram from Commodore Sicard which said: "A section of Texas' starboard main injection pipe was removed for repairs and the pipes to seaward was blanked off just inside of main injection valve just above floorplates. About 6 a. m. the yoke through which the stem to the injection valve passed broke under pressure of water outside and the seawater filled starboard engine compartment, and thence leaked through the closed water-tight doors and gradually filled the port engine compartment. Ship not flooded in other parts. The ship settled down upon the soft bottom, heading south, and now lies easily at high water in twenty-five feet of water port side and twenty-nine feet starboard side, secured to cob dock, just south of Vermont's stern, and listed about six degrees to starboard. Two tugs of Chapman Wrecking company are alongside pumping and diver down in starboard engine room endeavoring to stop leak. Narkeeta in attendance; Nina's boilers repairing, so connot be used. Dry-dock No. 2 is being prepared to receive Texas as soon as leak is stopped. Further details will be wired as soon as obtainable. "SICARD."

Fierce Glove Contest.

New York, Nov. 10.—Dick O'Brien of Boston whipped "Scaldy" Bill Quinn of Pennsylvania in the thirteenth round of their battle at the Union Park Athletic club last night. For seven rounds the Boston man jabbed his opponent until his face was a perfect sight, but the colored boy's gameness never deserted him and he kept up his reputation as a glutton for punishment. O'Brien was utterly unable to hit hard enough to put Quinn to sleep but the latter's seconds seeing that their man was fighting a hopeless battle, threw up the sponge.

Will Not Sell His Franchise.

St. Louis, Nov. 10.—President Von Der Ahe of the St. Louis Baseball club states that there is absolutely no foundation for the rumor that negotiations have been or are now in progress for the purchase of his club by the Baltimore club owners. Mr. Von Der Ahe says that under no consideration will he part with his franchise.

Wants $300 War Bounty.

Hartford, Nov. 10.—Benjamin Hill of this city has brought suit against the town of Bloomfield to recover $300 town war bounty. Hill enlisted Dec. 22, 1863, in Company A, Seventh regiment, Connecticut volunteers, and claims that the town voted on Aug. 22, 1863, a bounty of $300 to every man enlisting.

Tennessee's Tardy Returns.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 10. — Only twelve counties have made official returns of the recent election. From unofficial, but reliable sources, the vote in this state will give Bryan a plurality of 15,000 to 17,000; Taylor, dem., for governor, will beat Tillman from 6,000 to 8,000.

Mrs. Castle To Be Released To-day.

London, Nov. 10.—The United Associated Presses is informed that Mrs. Ella Castle of San Francisco, sentenced a few days ago to three months' imprisonment for shoplifting, will be released this afternoon. She is at present in the hospital of the Holloway jail.

Breckinridge Will Not Formally Protest.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 10.—Col. Breckinridge will not make a formal contest for the Ashland district seat in congress, but he will offer a protest before the returning board against the vote of Owen county being counted because of violations of the election law.

Political Jubilee at Winsted.

Winsted, Conn., Nov. 10.—The biggest political demonstration in the history of this town occurred last night. Nearly 3,000 men were in line, mostly laboring men. The parade was reviewed by governor-elect Lorraine A. Cook.

Fell and Broke Her Neck.

Nyack, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Mrs. George P. Madden of this place fell from the roof of her home to the street last evening, a distance of forty feet, and broke her neck, dying instantly. She leaves a husband and two children.

Killed His Wife and Himself.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—William G. Mays yesterday murdered his wife by cutting her throat. He then committed suicide. The tragedy occurred at the home of the couple and was the outcome of a quarrel.

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Leaves Havana To Take Personal Command of the Troops.

WILL BEGIN ACTIVE OPERATIONS

A Change in the Situation in Cuba Now Speedily Expected---No Grounds for the Rumor of Minister de Lome's Recall.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The Duke of Tetuan, minister of foreign affairs at Madrid, cabled Senor Dupuy de Lome last evening that Gen. Weyler left Havana yesterday to take immediate personal command in the field of the comprehensive operations against the insurgents which has been in preparation for some months and for which large reinforcements have been made available. The minister says the campaign will be at once pursued most energetically and that a change in the situation in Cuba may be expected. There is apparently no ground for a report circulated yesterday that the Spanish minister, M. Dupuy de Lome, would be recalled. There has been no change whatever in the government which sent him here to succeed Senor Murugua in April, 1895. The liberal party, of which he is an adherent, continues in power, and it is understood that in his constant correspondence with his superiors no intimation has reached him of dissatisfaction. Secretary Olney has had no intimation from Minister Taylor of any change in the legation, and does not believe such a thing is contemplated. It is pointed out by state department officials that the minister has been exceedingly active as Spain's representative, and at this juncture his recall even for promotion to a higher post might be disastrous to Spain's interests.

Seizure of the Three Friends.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 10. — The steamer Three Friends, seized Sunday for a violation of the neutrality laws, is still in charge of Lieut. Hilditch of the revenue cutter Boutwell. The captain of the steamer has not been informed upon what definite charge his boat is being held, and will make application to-day to the secretary of the treasury for her release.

To Attack Maceo in the Hills.

London, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to the Central News from Madrid says that cable advices from Havana show that extensive operations against the rebels are beginning. Capt.-Gen. Weyler will start for Artemisa to-day to attack Maceo in the Cuzco hills.

DANGEROUS CRANK AT CHICAGO

Wants To Murder Mayor Swift, and Says McKinley Must Also Be Removed.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Joseph Maruska walked into the lower corridor of the city hall yesterday afternoon armed to the teeth and intent on killing Mayor Swift. Maruska asked in an excited manner to be directed to the mayor's office. An officer took him to detective headquarters, where the sergeant was introduced to him as the mayor. Maruska declared that the mayor was a menace to society, and reached for his hip-pocket. He succeeded in drawing a bull-dog revolver, but was disarmed by the officers at hand. Maruska swore that he would kill Mayor Swift and then go to Canton and dispatch President-elect McKinley, both of whom, he said, must die before the country could prosper. He was handcuffed after a hard struggle and then locked up.

Behring Sea Claims.

Detroit, Nov. 10.—Hon. Don M. Dickinson and Charles B. Warren left last evening for Victoria, B. C., where they are to appear with other counsel for the United States government before the international high commission, appointed by the British and American governments to adjudicate claims arising out of the seizures made in Behring sea by the United States government from 1886 to 1889. The international commission is composed of Judge Putnam of Maine by appointment of the United States, and George Edwin King by appointment of Great Britain.

New York World Mulcted in $5,000.

Washington, Nov. 10.—By the decision of the supreme court yesterday the decision of the court of appeals, awarding to Miss Harriet Monroe a verdict of $5,000 against the New York World for prematurely publishing the ode she wrote for the opening of the World's fair at Chicago, is sustained, and the award is final.

ELECTRICITY FROM COAL.

A Process Which May Revolutionize Methods of Generating Power.

"When we remember," said a well-known citizen to a Washington Star reporter, "that the finest triple-expansion engine on one of the great ocean liners only obtains about 14 per cent. of theoretical efficiency in burning her coal, and that our ordinary steam engine does not get over six or seven per cent. therefrom, we cannot overestimate the recent discovery of a process for generating the electric current direct from coal, or coke, and from the process, it is claimed by its inventor, 87 per cent. of the theoretical efficiency of the coal used has been obtained. Further, it is claimed that the cost will be from one-fifth to one-tenth of the present expense. The process seems simple enough, for we take a quantity of coke, reduce it to powder, and make it into big, round sticks of carbon, that then look a good deal like giant firecrackers, or the sticks of carbon for an electric arc light, though very much enlarged. This stick carbon is suspended in a cylindrical iron pot, containing an electrolyte of melted caustic soda. And when a current of air, introduced by a small tube, is driven through this solution, electrical action is set up, producing a current of extraordinary volume.

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"The expense of maintenance, or, rather, of attending the process, it is asserted, will be very small. The carbon cylinder will last 150 hours, or even more; the inclosing oven has a self-feeding attachment, and the attention required will be no more than an ordinary small steam-heating house arrangement."

A POPULAR FALLACY.

Fall in Temperature of Ocean Does Not Indicate Presence of Ice.

For many years an opinion existed among seamen and others that a fall in the sea-surface temperature implied nearness of ice. Nothing, says the Nautical Magazine, can be more remote from the truth, though shore folk still perpetuate this fiction in books and newspapers. A sudden fall in sea-surface temperature is likely near the Agulhas, the Japanese current, the gulf stream, while running the Easting down in the South Indian ocean, in the South Atlantic about 40 degrees south, 40 degrees west, and elsewhere; and this, whether icebergs be near or hundreds of miles away. Capt. S. T. S. Lecky, R. N. R., to whom the nautical profession is indebted for his "Wrinkles in Practical Navigation," was probably the first to draw the attention of his brethren to this fact. In the ninth edition of his book he points out that "allied to fog is the question of danger from ice. It is a popular delusion among passengers on board ship that, by taking the temperature of the water at short intervals, the approach to ice is unfailingly indicated. Unfortunately such is by no means the fact, and it is time the idea was exploded. More than ordinarily cold water merely shows that the ship is in a part of the ocean where ice may possibly be encountered, and not that it is actualy present." Shipmasters of repute freely confess, with Capt. Evans, of the Tainui, that they have "never found sea temperature fall lower when near ice than when several miles away" from the danger.

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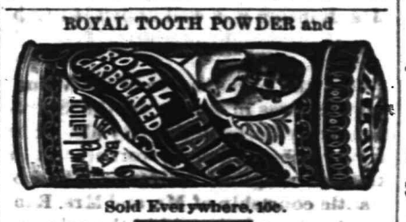

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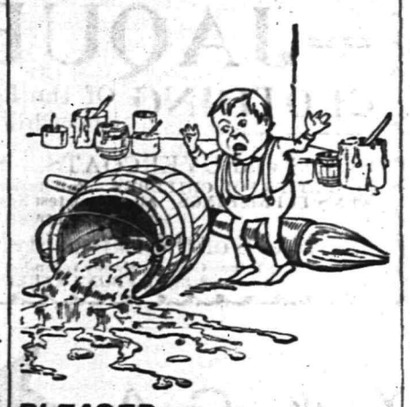

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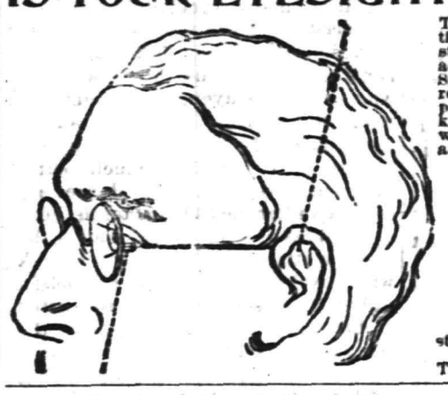

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THE BOOM AT EASTON.

Various Manufacturing Companies Report a Big Increase of Business.

Easton, Pa., Nov. 10.—From now on the Easton Foundry company will work twelve hours a day. The management says this is due to an increase of orders. Herman Simon, of the firm of R. & H. Simon, silk manufacturers of this place and Rose Hill, N. J., says that he will rush the fitting up of the new mill here. This mill will employ 100 more hands. At the Bushnell works there are orders for fitting up 100 cars for a traction line in Kansas City. At the National Switch & Signal company's works the officials say they have a contract for a machine of 148 levers for the Union Loop, the new elevated road in Chicago, also for a 216-lever machine at Hammond, Ind., for the State line. They also have an order for a 16-lever machine for the Lehigh Valley, to be put in at Depew, N. Y., and they are now figuring on a plan for a 28-lever machine and a 12-lever machine to be put in at points in Ontario, and a 16-lever machine for the Pittsburg & Western road. The works will at once start up on full time.

RESUMPTIONS AT PITTSBURG.

Thousands of Employes Benefitted by Returning Good Times.

Pittsburg, Nov. 10.—The Star Tinplate works, which has been running half time, have started up in full with two additional mills, giving employment to 100 skilled workmen. The Oliver Iron & Steel company will start their plant in full to-morrow morning, employing 600 men. The Clinton Furnace company, located on the south side, have started up in full, giving work to 300 men. The Westinghouse Electric company, which has been running but five days per week, has started on a six days' schedule, giving one more day's work to 2,000 men. The Carnegie company has closed the Edgar Thomson Steel works for repairs and additions. Work will resume on Thursday with 3,000 men. The puddling department of the Sligo Iron works is undergoing repairs, with the intention to start in full the latter part of this week.

Encouraging News from Pottstown.

Pottstown, Pa., Nov. 10.—The iron business in this town is assuming a more encouraging aspect. Many iron workers who have been idle for a long time are now again at work. The Glasgow Iron company has started the puddle and rolling mills full handed. The Pottstown Iron company has fired up one of its puddle mills and two rolling mills and is preparing for further resumption, which, it is expected, will take place this week.

Working Time Increased.

Rockville, Conn., Nov. 10.—Cheney Brothers big silk mills at South Manchester, employing 2,500 persons, when working at their full capacity, have begun running on full time. For three years many departments of the mills have been running only four or five days a week. Talcott Brothers Manufacturing company, manufacturers of woolens at Talcottville, will increase their running time this week.

Increased Pay; Longer Hours.

Cleveland, Nov. 10.—J. C. Moorehead, general superintendent of the Erie railroad, has issued an order which will affect for the better several thousand men. The order calls for longer hours, increased pay and more men.

Revival of Freight Traffic.

Meadville, Pa., Nov. 10.—The Erie railroad carshops in this city have started running on full time. The road expects a big increase in freight traffic on account of the revival of business.

Big Political Celebration at Augusta.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 10.—Augusta had the greatest political celebration in its history last night. The city was thronged with people from all parts of Kennebec county. A feature of the occasion was a reception to Hon. J. H. Manley, who arrived on the evening train. He was met at the depot by an immense concourse of people and was driven to Postoffice square, where an eloquent address of welcome was made by Hon. H. M. Heath.

Payne To Consult with Hanna.

Milwaukee, Nov. 10.—Henry C. Payne left for New York last night to attend to private business and consult with Chairman Hanna of the national republican committee about future campaign work of the party and incidentally to talk over cabinet and other appointments. Before leaving Mr. Payne said that he had a plan outlined for a permanent literary bureau in Chicago to furnish material for the party papers of the country.

Killed by a Folding Bed.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Warren D. Mason, president of the Chicago Acetylene Gas & Carbide Co., was killed yesterday at his residence by a folding bed. Mr. Mason arose to see what time it was, and in getting back into bed jarred it so that the top fell upon him, breaking his neck.

Could Not Stand Bryan's Defeat.

Columbus, O., Nov. 10.—Morris Brown, aged 60, committed suicide at the Star house last night by taking morphine. He was an ardent supporter of Mr. Bryan for the presidency and regret over his defeat is believed to have led him to destroy himself.

$40,000 Offered for Fire Island.

Albany, Nov. 10.—William W. Brown of Buffalo has submitted to the state land board a bill of $40,000 for Fire island. The last bid received for the property was $35,000.

Death of Rev. G. P. Clover.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Rev. George P. Clover, D. D., died here yesterday afternoon. He was one of the founders of the Academy of Design, New York.

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Returning Prosperity Manifested in a Substantial Manner.

EMPLOYMENT FOR MANY THOUSANDS

Iron, Steel, Cotton and Woolen Mills Carpet and Silk Factories, Machine Shops and Tinplate Works Favorably Affected.

New York, Nov. 10.—Reports from various sections of the country continue to tell of the revival of business in its different branches. Iron and steel and cotton and woolen mills, railroad shops, silver-plating works, carpet mills, silk manufacturies, machine shops, tinplate factories, electric concerns, carriage and wagon companies, brick works—all are either starting up after idle periods of varied duration or are increasing their forces or hours of labor. The importers, jobbing houses and commission merchants of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Pittsburg, St. Louis, New Orleans, Denver and San Francisco—in fact, all the large cities of the country—report increased orders, with every prospect of the improvement in trade conditions being permanent. This is particularly apparent in the dry goods business. Bank statements are also reported to show a more prosperous condition of affairs than for several months, and the clouds of uncertainty which have obscured the future for so long have apparently been cleared away. Heavy deposits of gold are reported from this city and Philadelphia, and the treasury gold reserve has increased to more than $121,000,000.

TRADE PICKING UP.

Silverplating Works at Lyons, N. Y., Report a Rushing Business.

Lyons, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The Manhattan Silverplate company, which during the past summer has been running on irregular time, has commenced running overtime. Salesmen report a great picking up in trade and the company's branch agencies in New York, Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and San Francisco are rushing in telegraphic orders for more goods. The New Haven Silverplate company's plant has shut down since February last. It is now running on full time with enough orders to last until January, and if more come they will be compelled to work night and day. A. H. Towar & Co.'s silverplating works has received a large batch of orders and a full force is at work.

Force and Working Time Increased.

York, Pa., Nov. 10.—The great industrial boom has manifested itself here in a substantial manner. The York Card & Paper Co. has increased working hours and employed more men. They will at once erect a four-story addition, employing 350 more men, making a total of 660. The York Manufacturing Co. has secured $70,000 in contracts and their hours and force are increased. They employ 300 men. The York Carriage Co. works have started up on full time and sent out ten new men on the road. Their hands number 150. Morgan Smith's foundry has commenced working night and day. Hench & Dromgold have increased their force to 200.

Employment for 5,000 Hands.

Laport, Ind., Nov. 10.—The Porter brick yards, located at Chestertown, which have been idle for six months, have resumed operations. Fifteen hundred men returned to work. The syndicate operating the Porter yards control immense brick making industries in Ohio, Michigan and Illinois and the resumption of work furnishes employment to over 5,000 men.

Increased Wages 25 Per Cent.

Baltimore, Nov. 10.—The John S. Gibbs company, one of the largest canning industries in the state, has increased wages 25 per cent. to take effect at once. Seventy-five men will be benefitted. Mr. Gibbs says that there is an unprecedented era of prosperity ahead and he expects all the packing firms in the city to follow his example.

Big Johnstown Mills To Start Up.

Johnstown, Pa., Nov. 10.—It is authoritatively announced that the great Cambria steel mills, which have been closed down for some time, will resume work the latter part of the week, giving employment to a large force of men. The company hopes to put the blooming and billet mill in operation about the same time.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 10—First University Extension lecture in Crescent Avenue chapel.
Nov. 10—Catholic Club meets.
Nov. 10—Dance in Scandia Hall.
Nov. 13—Public meeting Town Improvement Association in Y. M. C. A. building at 4:30 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Increasing Cloudiness Wednesday, with Showers Wednesday Night; Stationary Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 50 Degrees.

It is a matter of regret that the police force is subject to such a lot of ignomy as is attached to the charges that are now pending against different members of the force.

In the municipal campaign just opening, as in the National contest just ended The Daily Press will be the only paper in Plainfield to present all sides without bias or prejudice.

Sheriff George Kyte retires from the office that he has filled for three years with the respect and approbation of the people of Union county. The important services of the position have been discharged by Mr. Kyte with eminent satisfaction, and where in many counties the Shrievalty has become the source of many political scandals and alleged miscarriages of justice, that office in this county has been administrated with fairness and honor to all concerned. A good man is succeded by a good man.

Col. Fred D. Grant was seen yesterday relative to a statement for which Dr. C. J. Charlton of Plainfield, N J., who returned recently from a visit to Gen. Miles at Washington, is authority, that he is to be appointed Secretary of War in President McKinley's Cabinet. Col. Grant said:

"I don't know anything about, but I hope it's true. Mr. McKinley has not notified me. I would be very much pleased if I got such word from him. I have been working for his nomination and election for two and a half years, but nothing has been said as to any return whatever. I worked for him because I thought him to be the best and most and most available candidate. I am as delighted with his election as if I expected some return, which I do not."—New York Times.

INSPIRED ACTIVITY.

Rev. C. E. Herring Reads a Paper on the Endeavor Convention.

At the Plainfield Ministers' Association meeting, held yesterday afternoon, Rev. C. E. Herring read a paper on impressions received by Drs. French, Brett and McEwan, of the recent Christian Endeavor convention. The paper was a valuable one. Mr. Herring said:

"Mr. Anthony has received letters from all parts of the State of New Jersey from those who testify of the spiritual advantages they have gained from the Plainfield convention. Better still, the Endeavor papers are constantly reporting new lines of activity which had their origin and inspiration here. The convention is already bearing fruit.

Rejoicing Over the Election.

A sound-money parade was held last evening in Somerville. There was a troop of cavalry, division of bicyclists, and many on foot, numbering in all about 3,000. Fireworks were set off along the line of parade, which extended through the main streets and Raritan. Citizens illuminated their houses. A search light on the top of the Somerville Woollen Mills was thrown along the streets as the parade marched. The light could be seen for ten miles.

Miss Shinn, of Philadelphia, has commenced her work as city missionasy for the First Baptist church.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Many lives of usefulness have been cut short by neglect to break up an ordinary cold. Pneumonia, bronchitis and even consumption can be averted by the the prompt use of One Minute Cough Cure. J. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

$800 IN GOLD DROWNS A MAN.

At the burning of a steamboat on the Hudson river many years ago, many of the passengers were drowned. Among the bodies brought up from the bottom by grappling was that of a man known to have been an excellent swimmer. Around his waist was a belt containing nearly $800 in gold. That told the story.

'In old and chronic cases of indigestion (dyspepsia or gastritis—it is all the same) the sufferer develops a great variety of symptoms and often dies—poisoned by the products of his own torpid and inflamed stomach. His food, instead of being digested, and so furnishing strength and physical substance, ferments and putrefies within him. The chief process of life is arrested at a vital point. The more he eats the worse off he is. And yet unless he can be fed he must also perish. People do so die, daily by thousands, but we doctors seldom have the moral courage to give the cause its true name lest we should be laughed at for our inability to cure so 'simple' a thing as indigestion. Simple? Why, it is the capstone of all complaints—and the mother of most of them."—So writes a famous English physician.

Some of the symptoms alluded to are these: Loss of appetite; distress after eating; heartburn and palpitation; giddiness; foul taste in the mouth; the rising of nauseous acids and gases into the throat; furred tongue; spots before the eyes; unaccountable weariness and fatigue; sluggish circulation; weakness and nervous prostration; constipation or diarrhœa; discolored skin, etc.

The sufferer's friends often advise him to cheer up; to throw off his lethargy and eat freely. Bad advise. He knows better. "No," he answers. "I cannot; my food does me no good." He is right. Food now is gold in the spent swimmer's belt.

Take light nourishment, followed immediately by a dose of the Shaker Digestive Cordial—a new and radical remedy discovered and prepared by the Shakers of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y.—the essence of medicinal herbs and plants cultivated by them alone. Then continue with it. Relieves at once and soon cures. Pleasant to the palate and adapted to all constitutions.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

H. S. Thomas, of the News, is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Matie VanHorn, of Duer street, is entertaining a friend from Newark.

Mrs. Wm. C. Ayres, of West Second street, is the guest of Rahway friends.

Dr. K. P. Kitcham, of Long Island, has been visiting his daughter in this city.

Miss Charlotte Cave, of Sandford avenue, is confined to her home with illness.

Miss Laura Colling, of Camden, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. A. Starr, of Park place.

Miss Bedford, of New York, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Stevens, of Clinton avenue.

Robt. Douglass, of Sycamore avenue, is home from Columbia School on account of illness.

Mr. Barry, of Ashaway, R. I., has been visiting his friend, Nathan Lewis, of West Eighth street.

Assemblyman W. R. Codington, of Sandford avenue, is spending the day at Millington, hunting.

Mrs. John Roumaine, of Jersey City, has been visiting Mrs. Margaret MacLaughlin, of Somerset street.

Miss Cornelia Rockfellow is now acting as cashier in the grocery store of her father, Geo. W. Rockfellow.

Miss Clara Fleming has returned to her home on Willow avenue after spending a week with friends in Jersey City.

Miss Kingman, of Trenton, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. St. John McCutchen, of Rockview terrace.

Mrs. T. H. May, of Somerset street, returned home on Saturday evening, after a short visit with friends in New York.

E. W. Pepper, of Manasquan, formerly superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, was in town today.

Miss Lida Menzie, of St. Louis, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. Waldo, of East Fifth street, returned home today.

Mifford Giles, of East Third street, has gone to spend the day with his parents, at Stelton, and try his hand at rabbit hunting.

J. F. Harrison, of New York, who has purchased E. R. Taylor's residence on Rockview avenue, will take possession Thursday.

Nicholas R. O'Connor, of New York, returned home this morning, after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bovey, of Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, of Rockview avenue, have stored their household goods and will board during the winter months at 172 East Front street.

S. W. Clarke, of West Fifth street, has accepted the position as manager of the New York office of Hubbard & Company, the Philadelphia publishing house.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

DIDN'T STICK TO TRUTH

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The ordinance was then laid on the table.

Mr. Serrell offered three ordinances One provided for the regulation of speed for vehicles and bicycles to ten miles an hour, with a $5 fine for each violation. Mr Barrows thought that this ordinance needed consideration before adoption as there were some out-lying districts where such an ordinance would not apply. The second ordinance provided that all vehicles as well as bicycles should carry lights under the same restrictions as the bicycles. This ordinance provided a $5 fine for each violation. The last ordinance was the one relating to ash carts, which has been before the council on several occasions. The three ordinances were laid on the table, and copies of each were ordered sent to the members of the Police Committee for investigation.

Mr. Frost at this time made a verbal report concerning his attendance at the convention of the American Society of Muncipal Improvement, held in Chicago recently. He said that he had been made a member of the Sewage Committee of that body and was asked to present a report at the convention to be held next year at Nashville.

There being no further business council then adjourned.

EDUCATING COLORED YOUTH.

The Bordentown Manual and Training School Appealing for Help.

The manual and training school at Bordentown for colored youth is the only school of the kind in the middle States. It is partly a State school or, at least, it comes under the manual training act of this State, and the board of trustees (to manage this part of the school) is appointed by the Governor. The act of the Legislature makes the Hon. Charles J. Baxter chairman of the board of trustees (as State superintendent). One of the provisions of the act of the Legislature is that all sums of money raised by private subscription is duplicated by the State, not exceeding $5,000 annually. The school also receives $3,000 annually from Congress as under the provisions of the agricultural act.

Rev. W. A. Rice, one of the founders of the school and who is now its superintendent and financial agent, spoke in Trinity church last Sunday morning and handed out some circulars at the door of the church; after services he also received some substantial aid for the school, amounting to $10. Hon. Charles J. Baxter, State superintendent, being present, also made an able appeal endorsing Mr. Rice's remarks, saying among other things, that if persons of means would come to the aid of the school, it will prove a great blessing to the 40,000 colored people of this State. The school has now in roll about forty students, with twice that number of applications.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Annabelle McAfee, of East Front street, has returned home from a pleasant visit with friends up the Hudson.

John Riger, formerly of Somerville, and now connected with a Meridan, Conn., paper, is visiting relatives in North Plainfield.

Wm Newman, of the fire department, who was recently injured while retunring from a fire, is able to be out, though he is still very lame and sore as a result of the accident.

Mrs. Mary Jane Cutter, of Rahway, mother of the late J. S. Cutter, of this city, died at her home in Rahway Sunday morning. The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Chas. Schantz, of West Front street, is going to White House station today for a hunt. He expects to return home alive, but a truck may have to be chartered to carry home the cotton tails and "sich."

Miss Ella Crane, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Annie Crane, of Grove street, for the past three weeks, left Friday for a short visit with relatives at Liberty Corner before leaving for her home at Omaha, Neb.

Miss M. McCarthy, of North Plainfield, and Miss Mary Kenney, of this city, will sail for Europe, to morrow, on a White Star Steamer, their objective point being Ireland. They will spend the winter at home and return to this country early in April next year.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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THEATRICAL.

At H. R. Jacob's Theatre in Newark "The Great Train Robbery," with real Indians, an acting bear, a bowie knife duel, representation of raids by bandits, robbery of express trains and other sensational features, will be the attraction of the week. The play promises to satisfy the most exacting admirer of the kind of wild western drama of which it is a type.

Plainfield theatre-goers have had opportunity of witnessing the best repertoire companies on the road from time to time, but at no time have they been better pleased with a combination company than that of the Kennedy Players who made their debut in this city last night. As John Kennedy, who is at the head of the company, said last night, we have had pretty nearly all the Kennedy's (Lillian, James, Alfred Kelcy) here before, and he comes as the last installment. He may be last, but he is not least; as a matter of fact he is the best actor of the family. The opening piece was "The Midnight Express," recognized heretofore under the title of "She Couldn't Marry Three." But what's in a name? The melo drama was witnessed by an audience that filled every seat in the theatre, and that it struck the popular fancy of the audience was assured by their frequent and vigorous applause. Though the piece was written expressly as a vehicle to present Lillian Kennedy favorably before the public, it must be confessed that the production last night was very much superior to that ever witnesred with the fair Lillian in the cast herself. During its presentation many specialties were introduced in an up-to-date manner with song and jest. John Kennedy is naturally unctious in his wit and whenever he essayed to be funny, he really was funny. The much-advertised dance of "Flora" came in the nature of a surprise; much better than was advertised. Her dances are modeled after the famous terpischore exhibitions of Loie Fuller, and in the manipulation of untold yards of silk with novel effects and colored calcium lights, she poses as a very clever artist in her line of work. Tonight the company present "The Octoroon." They will undoubtedly play to big business during their stay here.

—The annual meeting of the Brotherhood of the Church of the Holy Cross will be held in the parish room this evening. Election of officers and other important business will come up. A full attendance is expected.

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Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., November 9th, 1896.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance Relating to the Construction of Buildings," approved January 3d, 1896.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Section 12 of the Ordinance entitled as aforesaid, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the words, "and the several component parts of such building shall be as hereinafter provided," where they occur in the first paragraph of said section, the words following, that is to say: "provided that in all cases of wooden or frame dwelling-houses within the fire limits which now have wooden or frame extensions of one story or more in height, the Building Inspector may grant a permit for the erection upon and above said existing extension of a new extension one or more stories in height, said new extension to have floor space not exceeding eighty square feet on each floor, and the room on each floor of said new extension to be used exclusively for the purpose of placing and using therein a wash basin, bath tub, and water closet, and appropriate apparatus to be used in connection therewith.

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December 29th—
E. R. ACKERMAN.—Illustrated Lecture—"Trip Around the World."
January 28th, '97—
MISS AGNES E. BOWEN, Whistling Soloist. MISS ADDIE PARKER JACKSON, Reader
February 22d—
S. M. SPEDON, Artist, Entertainer and Caricaturist.
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2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Oscar Runyon spent Sunday with friends in Somerville.

Samuel Giles, of Staten Island, is visiting among many of his old friends here.

B. F. McGovern, who has been ill for some time past, resumed his labors yesterday.

Caspar Maier, of Martinsville, visited the family of Mrs. Joseph Maier yesterday.

Mrs. M. Peters has returned from an extended visit with relatives on the Hudson.

Bernard Sirisky will head a theatre party to the Bijou Theatre, in New York, Friday evening.

Albert Randolph and Adam Dealaman have gone to Buttsville, Pa., on another hunting and outing trip.

About a carload of people from here went to Somerville last night to witness the Republican demonstration.

Mrs. John Griggs has gone to New York for a week's visit with Miss Elsie Baumiller, of Bathgate avenue.

An agent from the Union News Company was in town Monday sizing up matters about the company's stand.

Trackmen yesterday cleared up the leaves and debris in the depot park. The leaves were piled up in heaps and burned.

Conductor Dodwell has so far recovered from his recent indisposition as to go on duty again, but he is yet quite weak.

C. D. Teale and Mr. Andrews, of Jersey City, rode their wheels out to Dunellen Sunday and spent the day with friends.

The officers and teachers of the M. E. Sunday-school will hold a regular monthly meeting in the class room this evening.

Not a gun or a dog could be hired for hunting purposes after noon yesterday, although some flattering offers were made for both.

Brakeman John Reinhardt, of drill engine No. 30, has gone out for cotton tails, and to each one of the engine's crew he has promised a pair of rabbits.

Augustus Warden starts today on a hunting and fishing expedition. "Gus" won't say just where he is going, but it is safe to say he will not come back without game of some sort.

E. S. Dowe and son, of Bayonne, spent Sunday with I. J. Stites. Mr. Dowe was for twenty-five years ticket agent at the Bayonne station of the New Jersey Central Railroad.

A sociable is to be held in the M. E. church, on Thursday evening of this week, under the auspices of the Junior League of the church. There will be music, recitations and refreshments.

Drill engine No. 112 has been put on a through freight run between Phillipsburg and Jersey City, and freight engine No. 75 has been substituted to drill cars here and in Plainfield.

Court Dunellen, No. 1123, I. O. F., met last evening and initiated one new member into the order. One application for membership was also received and laid over under the rule for investigation.

Joel Giddes and John Hunt started for "Peapack, Pluckamin, Crossroads and back again" in Mat Agany's open wagon, with a mule, yesterday afternoon. They started early so as to be on hand to catch the early run of rabbits.

Postmaster Staats, who is now recovering from a protracted spell of illness, is anticipating a pleasure drive to Pennsylvania. He will start this afternoon and will be gone for several weeks, in the hope that he may permanently regain his health by the change of air.

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SCOTCH PLAINS.

The surprise party mentioned in yesterday's Press as given to T. J. Walsh was erroneous. The surprise was tendered to Miss Katie Murphy at the latter residence.

The Scotch Plains pump—the great friend of the farmers' horses—has gone dry. The pump has stood in its present position for the past thirty-five years, and has always, up to within a year past, furnished an abundant supply of pure and wholesome water. The continual draining of water for Plainfield's supply is thought to be the cause of the well giving out.

FANWOOD.

The ladies of All Saints church, Scotch Plains and Fanwood, will hold an oyster supper and sale in aid of the funded debt of the church, tomorrow afternoon and evening from 4 to 10 o'clock at the Force House. Many of the articles on sale will be suitable for Christmas gifts, and will be sold at low prices.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A gang of young men and women made the night hideous on East Front street, near Washington, near midnight last night.

—The wrecking train went up the road at 8:15 o'clock this morning, but there was no wreck. It went to Bound Brook to make some repairs to the long railroad bridge there.

—The frost on the depot platform this morning, resembled a miniature skating rink. The platform was white and looked as though snow had fallen on it.

—The Rt. Rev. John Scarborough D. D., Bishop of New Jersey, will hold a confirmation on Friday afternoon in St. Stevens' church. Service begins at 5:30.

—Frank Day, liveryman, of 114 West Sixth street, near Park avenue, can supply you with plenty of robes and wraps and a good turnout. Horses perfectly safe and careful and attentive drivers.

—There was a scarcity of ice in town this morning. Six ice wagons were in waiting opposite the depot, for the ice cars that didn't come from Lake Hopatcong.

—One of the search lights from the World's fair was in operation at Raritan, last evening, and its rays shed over the paraders at Somerville so bright that pocket-picking was not reported to the police.

—On Friday evening of this week the Father Mathew T. A. B. Society of Bound Brook will hold an aninversary and reception in the Bound Brook Hall, and Prof. O'Reilly, of this city will furnish the music for dancing.

—Allen's "Mother's Friend" Talcum and Royal Tooth Powder are both sold with a guarantee that they are unexcelled and as fine as skill can prepare. The purest and finest ingredients being used, experts commend them. They are for sale everywhere.

—Some of the contractors and builders in this city, who do not care to have their names known, just at this time, say that they are figuring on plans and specifications for many new buildings. Besides a lot of little houses, there is to be built a new residence on Park avenue, below the bridge.

Extension of the Cleveland Baking Powder Works.

Builder William J. Moran has just signed a contract to build a four story extension to the factory of the Cleveland Baking Powder Co., on South Fifth street. He will also build a two-story stable, forty feet in depth. "I got the contract," said Mr. Moran, "the day after election."—Brooklyn N. Y. Times.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

Give it a Trial.

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My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

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BITS OF BRIEF NEWS

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps will meet for practice tonight.

—There were seven new initiations in the A. O. U. W. lodge last evening.

—Street Commissioner Meeker's men are now cleaning LaGrande avenue.

—The New Market "sound money" demonstration takes place this evening.

—A business meeting of the Congregational church will be held tomorrow night.

—Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R., K of P., will meet to-morrow evening for a drill.

—A festival and entertainment will be held at the Mt. Pleasant chapel tomorrow night.

—Special music will be rendered at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday evening.

Thomas D. Blair, of East Second street, was home from Princeton College over Sunday.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church met in the Vincent chapel this afternoon.

—A public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held next Friday afternoon.

—An important meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held on Friday evening of this week.

—Water mains are being run through Berckman street to supply water to the new public school.

—A business meeting of the Congregationel church will be held tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock.

—The Lincoln public school is rapidly nearing completion. At present the slate roof is being put on.

—Plans are on foot for an entertainment for the benefit of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association.

—Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, will transact important business this evening at their meeting.

—Mrs. Tobin, defendant in the case of Kelly against Tobin, has retained Lawyer S. S. Swackhamer to represent her.

—Several affications will be received at the meeting of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., this evening.

—The case of Beekman against Beekman, on contract, was adjourned for a week in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday.

—Miss Krymer, of Brooklyn, gives a musicale this evening that will be attended by a number of her Plainfield friends.

—The "Jolly Six" will hold a dance at Saengerbund Hall on Thursday evening. A number of young people from New Brunswick will be present.

—The Advance Circle, King's Daughters, of the First Presbyterian church, are making great preparations for a turkey supper to be held next month.

—The weekly morning drill of the Plainfield High School Cadet Corps will hereafter be held on Wednesday, instead of Tuesday, morning at the usual time, 9:15 o'clock.

—The electric light doing duty under the New street railroad bridge has had a habit recently of going out very often. Residents in that vicinity would like to see the matter attended to.

—Charles Lewis regularly began his duties as singing instructor at the Plainfield High School this morning. The first period of every Tuesday morning will hereafter be devoted to singing.

—Meetings in connection with the Y. M. C. A. week of prayer will be held at the building this evening and also on Thursday and Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock. All men interested are invited.

—Arrangements are making for a grand ball for the German Sick Benefit Association of this city and North Plainfield, which is to be held in Gesang and Turner Hall on the evening of December 14.

—The Union County Farmers' Institute will be held at Westfield on December 15th. It will be an all-day meeting, and speakers of ability on many important agricultural topics will be present.

—The G. A. R. fair committee met last evening for the purpose of settling accounts, but as there was considerable business to transact the members were unable to complete it They will meet again in a few days.

For Toilet AND BATH! BRUSHES for the body, for the Teeth, for the Hair, Brushes for the Clothing, and the hat we wear "Quite Pat." Brushes for this and Brushes for that. In fact, with us, Brushes are

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

—Klinsman, the West Front street baker, placed a handsome new wagon into service today.

—Several streets in the borough are being cleaned by Street Commissioner Emmons and his men.

—The condition of Henry Voehl, who was recently injured in a runaway accident, is somewhat improved.

—The contract cases of Hand against Harder and Griffen against DeLaney are returnable in Justice Newcorn's court November 16th.

—The new police-rules and regulations have been in the hands of the printer for the past three months and there is at present no reasonable hope that the work will be completed for for some time to come.

TIME WILL TELL.

Old Time sifts out the poor coal, and leaves the best. And the best will prove to be——clean, solid and full of more fire, than any intoxicated Indian. It has the best treatment that the human brains can give it, and will prove the most economical, and most satisfactory coal in the land.

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MORSE—HERNDON—In this city, November 9, 1896, at the residence of J. E. Morse, 338 Franklin place, by Rev. A. E. Funk, of New York, Mr. Frank W. Morse, of this city, and Miss Noah Mildred Herndon, of Carnesville, Ga. No cards.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

ROOMS with board at 217 West Second street. 11-10-6

FIRST CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 11-10-1

FURNISHED rooms to let with or without board. 9 Grove street. 11-10-3

GOOD Swedish girl wants place as laundress or chambermaid call Swedish intelligent office. 23 Somerset place. 11-10-2

INTELLIGENT, men furnishing good reference, can secure permanent employment, $600 yearly. Apply room 610, Washington street, corner Market, Newark N. J. 11 10 2tt

FOUR rooms with city water to let, upstair, at 124 Duer street. 11 10 tf

TO LET—Rooms to professionals or nurses, furnished to suit with services, from $2 to $3 per week. Address M., care Press. 11 10 6

LOST—Tortoise shell buckle comb. Return to 19 Craig place.

LOST—On Thursday afternoon, a pair of tortoise shell eyeglasses, with long handle lorgnette. Lost inside or near the depot.. Finder will be rewarded at this office.

WANTED—A sober, industrious man, to collect and work insurance; $8.00 a week steady, with big commissions. Apply O. M. Pier, 8 to 9 a. m., 5 to 6 p. m., room 6, 221 Park avenue. 11 9 2

FOUND—Saturday evening, a small brass key. Owner can have same by applying at the office of this paper. 11 9 2

TO LET—5 rooms, two first, three second floor. Call 131 New street. 11-9-2

WANTED—Team of well broken matched horses, in exchange for one horse and balance cash. Apply 830 Central avenue. 11 9 0

MONEY to loan on bond and mort gage. Charles L Moffett, att'y., corner Park and North aves. 11 7 10

HOUSES TO LET—Manning and Watchung avenues, North Plainfield; $10 to $14 per month. Geo. F. White, tea store, 116 West Front street. 11 7 2

HOUSE to let, 416 East Fourth street. Inquire 407 New street. 11 4 6

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

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HORSES boarded by the month. Terms reasonable. W. H. Rogers Washingtonville. 9 16tf

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for your gloves. You would not spend so much if you bought the **"Kayser Patent Finger-Tipped" CASHMERE Gloves.** We GUARANTEE them best-fitting and warmest gloves made. Look in the hem, the name **"Kayser"** is in the genuine.

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Of the series of trade makers that

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WILL OFFER TOMORROW ONLY.

No 9—Children's Natural Wool Shirts & Pants

Sizes	16	18	20	22	24	26	28
Price	10	12	15	18	20	22	25

No 10—One case of fancy colored crepe cloths 7c. the yard.

No 11—500 Corset Covers, made of Lonsdale Cambric, V shaped and handsomely trimmed, 19c each.

No 12—25 dozen Ribbed Combination Suits for Ladies', real value $1.50. Our price will be 89c each.

Ladies' and Children's Coats.
A beautiful assortment we are showing and prices all your way. Children's long Coats and Jackets made to order. Ladies' Skirts made of fine black boucle cloth, $3.59 each.

Horse Owners
Will find here the most complete line of stable and road blankets. Our stable blankets all have the patent surcingle attachment. We sell a good blanket for 98c.

Dress Goods
Wonderful values we are offering in fine Dress Goods. We put on sale today ten pieces of silk and wool mixture that have been $1 per yard. Our price will be 59c the yard.

Housefurnishing Department.

It is the push
that keeps a moving—the best goods for the least money and courteous treatment to all is the marked rule of the busiest store in Plainfield.

Glassware.

Thin blown engraved tumblers 5c each	
Wine glasses	2c
Goblets	2½c
Tumblers	1½c
½ gal pitchers	19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles	9c

Granite Ware.
Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:

Wash basins	10c
Oval dish pans	48c
Cullenders	19c
Fry pans	29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans	19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots	43c

EDWARD WHITE.

OYSTERS BY THE QUART, 30 CENTS.
PRIMES, $1 AND $1,50 PER HUNDRED.
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Elegant " Men's Cash. " " " " $6 & $7.
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THE RED BADGE of COURAGE.

AN EPISODE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR.

BY STEPHEN CRANE.

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CHAPTER IV.

The brigade was halted in the fringe of a grove. The men crouched among the trees and pointed their restless guns out at the fields. They tried to look beyond the smoke.

Out of this haze they could see running men. Some shouted information and gestured as they hurried.

The men of the new regiment watched and listened eagerly, while their tongues ran on in the gossip of the battle. They mouthed rumors that had flown like birds out of the unknown.

"They say Perrey has been driven in with great loss."

"Yes, Carrott went to the hospital. He said he was sick. That smart lieutenant is commanding G company. The boys say they won't be under Carrott no more if they all have to desert. They always knew he was a—"

"Dern this being in reserve, anyhow. I didn't come here to be in reserve. I—"

"Hannises' batt'ry is taken."

"It ain't, either. I saw Hannises' batt'ry off on the left not more than fifteen minutes ago."

"Well—"

"The general he says he is going to take the whole command of th' Three Hundred and Fourth when we go into action, and then he says we'll do such fighting as never another one regiment done."

"Bill wasn't scared, either. No, sir. It wasn't that. Bill ain't a gitting scared easy. He was just mad, that's what he was. When that fellow trod on his hand he up and said he was willing to give his hand to his country, but he be dumbed if he was going to have every dumb bushwhacker in the country walking around on it. So he went to the hospital disregardless of the fight. Three fingers was crunched. The dern doctor wanted to amputate 'em, and Bill he raised a heluva row, I hear. He's a funny feller."

"Hear that what the old colonel says, boys. He says he'll shoot the first man that will turn an' run."

"He'd better try it. I'd like to see him shoot at me."

"He wants to look out for his own-self. He don't want to go 'round talking big."

The din in front swelled to a tremendous chorus. The youth and his fellows were frozen to silence. They could see a flag that tossed in the smoke angrily. Near it were the blurred and agitated forms of troops. There came a turbulent stream of men across the fields. A battery changing position at a frantic gallop scattered the stragglers right and left.

A shell screaming like a storm-banshee went over the huddled heads of the reserves. It landed in the grove and, exploding redly, flung the brown earth. There was a little shower of pine needles.

Bullets began to whistle among the branches and nip at the tree-trunks. Twigs and leaves came sailing down. It was as if a thousand axes, wee and invisible, were being wielded. Many of the men were constantly dodging and ducking their heads.

The lieutenant of the youth's company was shot in the hand. He began to swear so wondrously that a nervous laugh went along the regimental line. The officer's profanity sounded conventional. It relieved the tightened senses of the new men. It was as if he had hit his fingers with a tack hammer at home.

He held the wounded member carefully away from his side so that the blood would not drip upon his trousers.

The battleflag in the distance jerked about madly. It seemed to be struggling to free itself from an agony. The billowing smoke was filled with horizontal flashes.

Men running swiftly emerged from it. They grew in numbers until it was seen that the whole command was fleeing. The flag suddenly sank down as if dying. Its motion as it fell was a gesture of despair.

Wild yells came from behind the walls of smoke. A sketch in gray and red dissolved into a mob-like body of men who galloped like wild horses.

The veteran regiments on the right and left of the Three Hundred and Fourth immediately began to jeer. With the passionate song of the bullets and the banshee shrieks of shells were mingled loud cat-calls and bits of facetious advice concerning places of safety. But the new regiment was breathless with horror. "Gawd, Saunders got crushed," whispered the man at the youth's elbow. They shrank back and crouched as if compelled to await a flood.

The youth shot a swift glance along the blue ranks of the regiment. The profiles were motionless, carven. And afterwards he remembered that the color sergeant was standing with his legs braced apart as if he expected to be pushed to the ground.

The bellowing throng went whirling around the flank. Here and there, were officers carried along on the stream like exasperated chips. They were striking about them with their swords, and, with their left fists, punching every head they could reach. They cursed like highwaymen.

A mounted officer displayed the furious anger of a spoiled child. He raged with his head, his arms and his legs.

The hoofs of his horse often threatened the [illegible]ds of the running men, but th[illegible]ered with singular good fortu[illegible] rush, they were appar[illegible]f and blind. They needed [illegible] largest and longest of the oa[illegible] were thrown at them from all directions.

Frequently, over this tumult could be heard the grim jibes of the critical veterans, but the retreating men apparently were not even conscious of the presence of an audience.

The battle reflection that shone in the faces on the mad current made the youth feel that forceful hands from Heaven would not have been able to have held him in place if he could have got intelligent control of his legs.

The sight of this stampede exerted a flood-like force that seemed able to drag sticks and stones and men from the ground. They of the reserve had to hold on. They grew pale and firm, and red and quaking.

The youth achieved one little thought in the midst of this chaos. The composite monster which had caused the other troops to flee had not then appeared. He resolved to get a view of it and then, he thought, he might very likely run better than the best of them. There were moments of waiting. Then some one cried: "Here they come."

There was rustling and muttering among the men. They displayed a feverish desire to have every possible cartridge ready to their hands. Their boxes were pulled around into various positions and adjusted with great care. It was as if seven hundred new bonnets were being tried on.

At last a cry was repeated up and down the line in a muffled roar of sound: "Here they come. Here they come." Gun-locks clicked.

Across the smoke-infested fields came a brown swarm of running men who were giving shrill yells. They came on stooping and swinging their rifles at all angles. A flag tilted forward sped near the front.

CHAPTER V.

A hatless general pulled his dripping horse to a stand near the colonel of the Three Hundred and Fourth. He shook his fist in the other's face. "You've got to hold 'em back," he shouted savagely. "You've got to hold 'em back." He seemed greatly insulted.

In his agitation, the colonel began to stammer. "A-all-right, general, all right, by Gawd, we-we'll do our best." The general made a passionate gesture and galloped away.

The man at the youth's elbow was mumbling as if to himself: "Oh, we're in for it now. Oh, we're in for it now."

The captain of the company had been pacing excitedly to and fro in the rear. He coaxed in school-mistress fashion as to a congregation of boys with primers. His talk was an endless repetition: "Reserve your fire, boys—don't shoot until I tell you, save your fire—wait until they get close up—don't be damned fools."

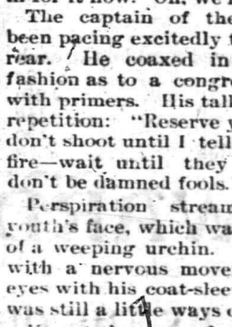
Perspiration streamed down the youth's face, which was soiled like that of a weeping urchin. He frequently with a nervous movement wiped his eyes with his coat-sleeve. His mouth was still a little ways open.

He got the one glance at the foe-swarming field in front of him and instantly ceased to debate the question of his piece being loaded. Before he was ready to begin, before he had announced to himself that he was about to fight, he threw the obedient, well-balanced rifle into position and fired a first wild shot. Directly, he was working at his weapon like an automatic affair.

He suddenly lost concern for himself and forgot to look at a menacing fate. He became not a man but a member. He felt that something of which he was a part—a regiment, an army, a cause, or a country—was in a crisis. He was welded into a common personality which was dominated by a single desire. For moments he could not flee, no more than a little finger can commit a revolution from a hand.

If he had thought the regiment about to be annihilated perhaps he could have amputated himself from it. But its noise gave him assurance. The regiment was like a fire-work, that, once ignited proceeds superior to circumstances until its blazing vitality fades.

It wheezed and banged with mighty power. He pictured the ground before it as strewn with the discomfited.



DIRECTLY HE WAS WORKING.

There was a consciousness always of the presence of his comrades about him. He felt the subtle battle brotherhood more potent even than the cause for which they were fighting. It was a mysterious fraternity, born of the smoke and danger of death.

Presently he began to feel the effects of the war atmosphere—a blistering sweat, a sensation that his eyeballs were about to crack like hot stones. A burning roar filled his ears.

Following this came a red rage. He developed the acute exasperation of a pestered animal, a well-meaning cow worried by dogs. He had a mad feeling against his rifle which could only be used against one life at a time. He wished to rush forward and strangle with his fingers. He craved a power that would enable him to make a world-sweeping gesture and brush all back. His impotency appeared to him and made his rage into that of a driven beast.

Buried in the smoke of many rifles, his anger was directed not so much against the men whom he knew were rushing toward him, as against the swirling battle-phantoms who were choking him, stuffing the irsmoke-robes down his parched throat. He fought frantically for respite for his senses, for air, as a babe, being smothered, attacks the deadly blankets.

There was a blare of heated rage, mingled with a certain expression of intentness on all faces. Many of the men were making low-toned noises with their mouths, and these subdued cheers, snarls, imprecations, prayers, made a wild, barbaric song, that went as an under-current of sound, strange and chant-like, with the resounding chords of the war-march. The man at the youth's elbow was babbling. In it there was something soft and tender, like the monologue of a babe. The tall soldier was swearing in a loud voice. From his lips came a black procession of curious oaths. Of a sudden another broke out in a querulous way like a man who has mislaid his hat. "Well, why don't they support us? Why don't they send supports? Do they think—"

The youth, in his battle-sleep, heard this as one who dozes hears.

There was a singular absence of heroic poses. The men bending and surging in their haste and rage were in every impossible attitude. The steel ramrods clanked and clanged with incessant din as the men pounded them feverishly into the hot rifle barrels. The flaps of the cartridge-boxes were all unfastened and flapped and bobbed idiotically with each movement. The rifles, once loaded, were jerked to the shoulder and fired without apparent aim into the smoke or at one of the blurred and shifting forms which upon the field before the regiment had been growing larger and larger like puppets under a magician's hand.

The men dropped here and there like bundles. The captain of the youth's company had been killed in an early part of the action. His body lay stretched in the position of a tired man resting, but upon his face there was an astonished and sorrowful look as if he thought some friend had done him an ill turn. The babbling man was grazed by a shot that made the blood stream widely down his face. He clapped both hands to his head. "Oh," he said and ran. Another grunted suddenly as if he had been struck by a club in the stomach. He sat down and gazed ruefully. In his eyes there was mute, indefinite reproach.

At last an exultant yell went along the quivering line. The firing dwindled from an uproar to a vindictive popping. As the smoke slowly eddied away the youth saw that the charge had been repulsed. The enemy were scattered into reluctant groups. He saw a man climb to the top of the fence and fire a parting shot. The waves had receded leaving bits of dark debris upon the ground.

Some in the regiment began to whoop frenziedly; many were silent. Apparently, they were trying to contemplate themselves.

After the fever had left his veins, the youth thought at last he was going to suffocate. He became aware of the foul atmosphere in which he had been struggling. He was grimy and dripping like a laborer in a foundry. He grasped his canteen and took a long swallow of the warm water.

A sentence with variations went up and down the line. "Well, we've held'em back, we've held'em back—derned if we haven't." The men said it blissfully, leering at each other with dirty smiles.

The youth turned to look behind him and off to the right and off to the left. He experienced the joy of a man who at last finds leisure to look about him.

Under foot, there were a few ghastly forms motionless. They lay twisted in fantastic contortions. Arms were bended and heads were turned in incredible ways. It seemed that the dead men must have fallen from some great height to get into such positions. They looked to be dumped out upon the ground from the sky.

Directly he began to speed toward the rear in great leaps. His rifle and cap were gone. His unbuttoned coat bulged in the wind. The flap of his cartridge-box bobbled wildly and his canteen, by its slender cord, swung out behind. On his face was all the horror of those things which he imagined.

HE SPED TOWARD THE REAR.

The lieutenant sprang forward, bawling. The youth saw his features, wrathfully red, and saw him make a dab with his sword. His one thought of the incident was that the lieutenant was a peculiar creature, to feel interested in such matters upon this occasion.

He ran like a blind man. Two or three times he fell down. Once he knocked his shoulders so heavily against a tree that he went headlong.

Since he had turned his back upon the fight his fears had been wondrously magnified. Death about to thrust him between the shoulder blades was far more dreadful than death about to smite him between the eyes.

As he ran on he mingled with others. He dimly saw men on his right and on his left, and he heard footsteps behind him. He thought that all the regiment was fleeing pursued by these ominous crashes.

As he went across a little field, he found himself in the region of shells. They hurled over his head with long, wild screams. As he heard them he imagined them to have rows of cruel teeth that grinned at him. Once, one lit before him and the livid lightning of the explosion effectually barred his way in his chosen direction. He groveled on the ground and then springing up went careering off through some bushes.

The youth moderated his pace when he had left the place of noises behind.

Later, he came upon a general of division seated upon a horse that pricked its ears in an interested way at the battle. There was a great gleaming of yellow and patent-leather about the saddle and bridle. The quiet man, astride, looked mouse-colored upon such a splendid charger.

A jingling staff was galloping hither and thither. Sometimes the general was surrounded by horsemen and at other times he was quite alone. He looked to be much harassed. He had the appearance of a business man whose market is swinging up and down.

The youth went slinking around this spot. He went as near as he dared trying to overhear words. Perhaps the general, unable to comprehend chaos, might call upon him for information. And he could tell him. He knew all concerning it. Of a surety the force was in a fix and any fool could see that if they did not retreat while they had opportunity—why—destruction.

He felt that he would like to thrash the general, or, at least, approach and tell him in plain words exactly what he thought him to be. It was criminal to stay calmly in one spot and make no effort to stay tempestuous defeat. He loitered in a fever of eagerness for the division-commander to apply to him. But, a moment later, the youth saw the general bounce excitedly in his saddle.

"Yes, by heavens, they have." The officer leaned forward. His face was aflame with excitement. "Yes, by heavens, they've held them. They've held them."

He began to blithely roar at his staff. He beamed upon the earth like a sun. In his eyes was a desire to chant a paean. He kept repeating: "They've held 'em, by heavens."

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Deposits of Gold at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 10.—For several days heavy deposits of gold have been made in this city, the total amount received by banks, trust companies and savings funds being placed at $500,000. Of this sum $150,000 was deposited yesterday. One bank received $100,000 in gold from a single customer.

Work for All Laid-off Employes.

Newburgh, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The Firth Carpet mills at Cornwall, which have been running on three-fourths time, have started up on full time. It is stated that all the employes who were laid off during the dull times, will be taken back.

Car Works Resume.

Detroit, Nov. 10.—The Michigan works of the Michigan Peninsular Car company have started work, and 400 men were set to work on repairs. The Peninsular shop has been running for some time with a reduced force.

Work for 700 Men.

Huntington, W. Va., Nov. 10.—The car shops of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway in this city, employing 700 men, began this morning a ten-hour day. The shops have been on eight-hours time for a year past.

Knocked Out in Eight Rounds.

London, Nov. 10.—The fight between Solly Smith of Los Angeles, Cal., and Willie Smith, the featherweight champion of England, for a purse of $2,500, took lace last night at the National Sporting club. The American knocked the Englishman out in eight rounds, pounding him all around the ring.

Fire Loss for October.

New York, Nov. 10.—The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin of to-day says: "The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of October shows a total of $8,993,000. This is a remarkable improvement over October's showing in 1895, when the total loss was $13,411,500.

Getting Ready To Assume Office.

Albany, Nov. 10.—Lieutenant-governor-elect Timothy L. Woodruff has leased the Sweny house, furnished, for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff will come to Albany a few days before Christmas.

SHE WAS SUSPICIOUS.

Hubby Said Times Were Hard, But She Went to Headquarters.

It was not necessary for the men in line at the back to turn their heads in order to be informed that a good-looking young woman was approaching, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. The winsomely bland smile which flowed across the countenance of the clerk at the window conveyed the information swiftly and conclusively.

"Excuse me," she said, as she took her place at the head of the procession—a place which strong and brave men could have reached only by wading through gore—"I would like to ask you a question."

"Certainly."

"Are times really hard?"

"There isn't any use trying to conceal it. In a good many branches of industry the depression is very serious."

"I'm ever so much obliged to you," she responded, and turned to go away.

"If you were worrying about any particular investment I might be able to give you some advice."

"No. It wasn't about anything special. I just wanted to satisfy myself that times are hard. I don't really wish to annoy my husband with my expenses, and I thought the best thing to do was to come and find out for certain whether times are hard or whether it is merely the same story that he has been telling me every year when the fall styles come in."

An Ingenious Chinaman.

It is evident that Ling Yeng possesses ingenuity. Mr. Ling is a Chinese merchant, and is the richest man in Formosa, his wealth being estimated at $30,000,000. After the war between Japan and China, Ling so far allowed his patriotism to get the better of his discretion as to engage in an insurrection against the victorious nation. The result was that Ling is now living in Pekin for his health. His property interests being in Formosa, he is naturally anxious to return to the island, but is afraid to do so for fear of being executed. So Mr. Ling Yeng is endeavoring to get the Chinese government to appoint him a consul to Formosa. If he succeeds in this, he can return to Formosa with impunity, for under international law, the person of any foreigner acting in a diplomatic capacity is, of course, inviolable.

AN ANXIOUS YEAR

Salisbury Speaks of Affairs at the British Foreign Office.

MATTERS AT PRESENT ARE CALM

Refers to Our Recent Presidential Campaign and Election, and Speaks with Assurance of the Speedy Settlement of the Venezuelan Dispute.

London, Nov. 10.—There was a sumptuous display last night at the banquet marking the installation into office of George Faudel Phillips, the new lord mayor of London. The banquetting hall of the Guildhall was crowded, many of those present being of world wide celebrity, including Prime Minister Salisbury, the Rt. Hon. George J. Goschen, first lord of the admirality; Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India; Gen. Sir Herbert Kitchener, sirdar of the Egyptian army; the Rt. Hon. William Court Gully, speaker of the house of commons, and the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the American ambassador. Interest centered in the speech made by Lord Salisbury, it being the custom in recent years for the prime minister at the lord mayor's banquet to make a statement regarding the foreign and domestic policies of the government. Ambassador Bayard replied to the toast "The Foreign Representatives."

Mr. Bayard's Remarks.

Mr. Bayard, in treating of the community of interests of the nations of the world all being affected by the doings of others, referred to the presidential election in the United States, saying: "I am very sure that it was in no narrow party sense, no merely national sense, that the heart of the people, which it is my highest honor to represent, was echoed in a verdict that could not be misunderstood, standing as it does for national honor, and the continuity of national obligations, making the world safer in the trust of each part, and speaking as emphatically as the human mind and human heart ever spoke in favor of that honesty which is an essential condition of civilization everywhere." (Loud cheers).

Salisbury's Address.

When Lord Salisbury arose to reply to the toast "Our Ministers," he received an ovation. After thanking the lord mayor and the others present for the warmth of the welcome extended to him, he said: "I thank the ambassador of the United States for his presence here and for joining a great historical meeting. By the few words he has uttered he has raised his own plane of observation so far above the mere level of party, though contrary to practice to remark upon the internal politics of other states, I may be permitted, without impertinence, to congratulate him upon the splendid pronouncement the great people he represents have made in behalf of the principles which lie at the base of all human society (Cheers). It is rather bathos to have to turn therefrom to the rather unimportant controversy his country and ours have had in recent months. I only do so for the purpose of expressing the belief that it is at an end (Cheers). You are aware that in the discussion had with the United States on behalf of their friends in Venezuela our question has not been whether there should be arbitration, but whether arbitration should have restricted application, and we have always claimed that those who apart from historic right had the right which attaches to established settlements should be excluded from arbitration. Our difficulty for months has been to define the settled districts, and the solution has, I think, come from the government of the United States that we should treat our colonial empire as we treat individuals; that the same lapse of time which protects the latter in civic life from having their title questioned should similarly protect an English colony, but beyond that, when a lapse could not be claimed, there should be an examination of title and all the equity demanded in regard thereto should be granted. I do not believe I am using unduly sanguine words when I declare my belief that this has brought the controversy to an end. (Loud cheers). It is a matter of no small satisfaction to the government that at a time when anxious social questions, which are far more important than political questions, are troubling the United States, and therefore troubling the world, we should remove any semblance of political difference that might hinder common action in defense of the common heritages of society. We have had an anxious year at the foreign office, but we have floated into a period of comparative calm, and I do not intend to trouble you with matters that have passed away." Lord Salisbury repudiated the idea that there was necessarily permanent antagonism between Great Britain and Russia. (Cheers). Such an idea was a superstition of antiquated diplomacy. He had, he said, good ground for believing that Russia had the same views. He did not desire to imply that there was any power with which Great Britain would specifically act. He only protested against the idea that any power was especially Great Britain's opponent. He would not say there would be difficulty in concurring in any scheme to exercise force if the other powers agreed, but he did not know whether the use of force was meditated against Turkey. He referred to the latest promises of reform made by the sultan, and said that the future alone could determine how far even such humble promises as these would be realized. He hoped the powers would be able to convince Turkey that she was drifting in the current towards an abyss, and that they would succeed in diverting her before she arrived at the edge.

British Press Comment.

The Post says that the settlement of the Venezuelan dispute is wholly satisfactory to Great Britain and the United States. The Daily Graphic holds that the solution of the vexatious question reflects the highest credit upon all concerned. It fully justifies the intervention of the United States. The Standard briefly welcomes the "auspicious announcement." The Chronicle says that it finds Lord Salisbury's statement rather puzzling. It doubts whether settled colonists exist in any great numbers, but supposes it is all right. The Daily Graphic says the terms of the settlement leave the dignity and interests of Great Britain and the United States unimpaired.

WHEAT AGAIN BOOMING.

Probability of a Scarcity in the World Again Starts a Bear Campaign.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—The news concerning the probability of a scarcity of wheat in the world before next harvest was more emphatic yesterday than it has been at any time, notwithstanding that December wheat at the close of the session was only ⅛ cent higher than it rested on Saturday, and May wheat without any change whatever. The spread between December and May which on Saturday was 4⅝ cents is now reduced to 4¼ cents. After momentary hesitation as to its course for the day wheat appeared to make its mind up promptly to a continuation of its bull campaign. December, which Saturday closed at 78⅝ cents, was offered freely for a few moments at the start at 78 cents and some was even parted with at 77⅞. It immediately thereafter commenced to climb. On occasions during its advance when it took too long a step it would slide back a little, but until it touched 80 cents—and it did that before the session was two hours old—it gave no sign of being tired by its active exertions. In the afternoon the prices had a bad break. December had a quick reaction from around 80 to 78⅞ cents, and then after a slight recovery to 79⅛ cents, it began a further but more gradual decline to 78⅛ cents, and it stood at 78⅝ cents as the session was ending.

Attempt To Wreck a Russian Royal Train.

Vienna, Nov. 10.—The Neue Freie Presse publishes a dispatch from St. Petersburg saying it is stated there that a railway train which was conveying the Dowager Czarina, Grand Duke Michael, Grand Duke Nicholas and Grand Duchess Olga was stopped between Sombatowo and Mikalejewo, the engineer finding that parts of the locomotive had been wilfully loosened. The occupants of the train were compelled to walk to Mikalajewo. Several of the employes of the railway have since been arrested.

The Alleged Virginia Election Frauds.

New York, Nov. 10.—A committee consisting of Edward Weddell and James G. Brady from the Virginia republican state committee called on Mr. Hanna this morning and made a report to him concerning the alleged frauds in Virginia. It is claimed that whole counties were stolen there by the democrats. John M. Wise, who made a speaking tour through Virginia during the campaign, was also present.

Gougar-Morse Libel Suit Dismissed.

Boston, Nov. 10.—In the United States circuit court of appeals the famous libel suit of Helen M. Gougar vs. Elijah A. Morse has been dismissed, on motion of defendant's counsel for want of prosecution. The result is that the verdict below is sustained, and judgment in the case follows for Mr. Morse.

Issue of Silver Coin.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The issue of standard silver dollars from the mints and treasury offices for the week ending Nov. 7 was $717,823, and for the corresponding period last year was $617,726. The shipment of fractional silver coin from Nov. 1 to 7 aggregated $221,030.

No Trace of Missing Insane Convicts.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 10.—The hospital authorities this morning report that no trace has been found of the missing insane convicts Castanetto, Huriey and Peters, who escaped Friday night. It is thought they have got out of the state.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot is higher; checking trade. Nov., 84⅝c.; Dec., 85⅝c.; May, 87⅞c.

Corn—Spot held firmly but quiet. Nov. 31c.; Dec. 32c.; Jan. 33c.; May, 35c.

Oats—Fair demand; firmer prices. Dec. 23⅛c.; March, 26c.; May 26¼c.

Pork—Spot steady; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.25; family, $10.50@12.00.

Lard—Market firmer; fair demand. $4.55.

Eggs—Prices are firm; light receipts. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 21@22c.; ice house, 16@17c.; western, 20@22c.; duck, 19½@22½c.; goose, 22@24c.; western, case, $3.25@3.90.; limed, 14½@15c.

Butter—Receipts light; trade quiet; feeling steady and firm. Fresh creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 15½@19c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6⅝c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:38 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:49 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:49 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

All football players who would like to get a game for Thanksgiving Day morning are requested to meet at the field on Summit avenue just below Westervelt avenue on Thursday evening where the Spartan Football team will be re-organized and a team picked to play on the above date. It is essential for all who wish to play to be on hand the first night as the time is limited. A captain will be selected and the management will be able to explain all details.

WHIST.

A friendly game of compass whist was enjoyed at the Park Club last evening by the following persons, who arrayed themselves as the North and South against East and West: Mr. and Mrs. S. St. John McCutchen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGee, Mrs. Clapp, Henry Wells, Henry Depew, James DeGraff, Fred Ball, Percy Sandford, George T. Rogers, J. H. Howell, Miss French, Miss Daniel, Mrs. Ball, Clarence Peck, Edward Wilson, Samuel Townsend and Peter Matthews. Very commendable was the playing of the women, who introduced several new leads. At the conclusion of the game it was decided not to announce the winners until the next game is played.

CYCLING COMMENT.

F. L. C. Martin, Geo. H. Macintyre and J. Frank Richards rode to Philadelphia today on the Cleveland triplet, accompanied by Fred Kerr and a number of friends from Newark.

ROBBED WHILE SHE WAITED.

A Plainfield Woman Loses Money on a Shopping Trip to New York.

Mrs. L. Wilkins, of East Fifth and Sycamore streets, was robbed while shopping in New York yesterday. Mrs. Wilkins was in the coat department at H. O'Neill's trying on a winter coat at 2 p. m. and she left a satchel containing $29 in money, a trip ticket and some other articles of minor importance, standing on a chair in the room. When she went to look for the satchel, supposing it was all right, it was gone, and although the entire force of store detectives were put on the case, no trace of the missing articles could be found. Mrs. Wilkins says she blames no one but herself. She further says that she saw a strange woman standing near the satchel at the time, and this woman is the one who undoubtedly got the satchel and its contents. Yet Mrs. Wilkins says she could not identify the woman even if she should happen to see her again.

Bishop Wigger to Confirm.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Wigger, of Newark, will be in this city tonight and preach a sermon in St. Mary's church, after which he will visit the clubhouse of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum. Tomorrow morning the Bishop will confirm a class of some fifty children in the church. The service of confirmation in the Catholic church is most solemn and impressive, and a large attendance will undoubtedly be present to witness the ceramony.

—John Vetterlein has gone to Asbury Park today to look after an important contract.

—The wool on Mary's little lamb was quite fine but not equal to that in the underwear sold at Peck's.

—Walter Laing, of Geo. Watt's Market, has gone to the Mountain this afternoon in search of rabbits.

—Packer, the furniture dealer, has had his van treated to a fine coat of paint. Vroom, the artist, did the work.

—Moses Terrill and Chas. Burnett have gone to Stirling hunting today. They left at 3 o'clock this morning, so there's nothing left for afternoon hunters.

The friends and pupils of Miss Phelps will be glad to know that she took her first carriage ride since her accident, yesterday.

Mrs. F. A. Pike, formerly of Rockview Terrace, who has spent several months abroad with Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor and Miss Edith Taylor, has returned to her home in Baltimore.

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THE WAYS OF JUSTICE.

An Innocent Man Suffered for Seeing Another Commit a Crime.

When one reads in the newspapers a statement that a person who happened to witness the commission of a crime has been held to insure his appearance at the trial one wonders at the ways of justice, says the New York Mail and Express. In these days the only way to escape being held as a witness, if one happens to be in the neighborhood when a crime is committed, is to flee. It is almost as bad, taking into consideration the ordeal of the cross-examination at the trial, for a man to be caught and tried for committing a crime as to be caught as a witness to the commission.

In Boston about three years ago a man was arrested for the crime of manslaughter. There was no doubt about the fellow's guilt, but there was only one witness. This witness happened to be a poor man, without friends, and he was put in jail in default of bonds for his appearance at the trial. He occupied a cell near the one in which the fellow who committed the crime was detained. The idea of being in jail, with the knowledge that his wife and children were without the necessaries of life on account of his detention, so weighed upon his mind that before the date of the trial he had become hopelessly insane and had to be committed to an asylum, where he is now. That disposed of the only witness in the case and the man who was to be tried for the commission of the crime had to be discharged for lack of evidence. The children of the unfortunate witness were afterward placed in the care of a charitable society.

THE WELL-MANNERED BOY.

He Is Simply Charming, But Altogether Too Scarce.

Is there anything more charming in this world than a nice, well-mannered boy? I don't want to be hypercritical, but I must add, as I am a strictly veracious woman, that they are, alas! as rare as they are charming., says the Philadelphia Record.

Such a boy, the well-mannered genius—thank heavens!—I met not long ago, and my instant thought was what a fine mother his must be. I know her by reputation, a celebrated actress, who has carefully shielded her private life from the public, and my estimation of that woman immediately arose 50 degrees. None but a woman of culture, refinement and true nobility of character could rear a son whose every lightest word showed respect for women, innate good breeding, and, best of all, in this day of affected skepticism among the jeunesse doree, an honest belief in the existence of good among men and women in general.

And I couldn't help thinking, sorrowfully, as I chatted with this delightful boy, how few mothers really understand their metier. It's the most responsible work in the world, that of motherhood, and is entered into with the least training and preparation. Women are proverbially proud, vain, their masculine critics say, and I wonder whether they realize how they are reflected in their children? If they did, would they not make a greater effort to have reflected only their good points their gentleness, breeding, and, above all, their faith in human nature?

THE LIVELY CHILDREN.

Showing Some of the Difficulties Attending Literary Work at Home.

"When you come in to-night," said the literary man to his two sprightly children, who were accustomed, when they came in, from their evening walk, to walk straight into the library where he was at work, and sit down and talk awhile, "I wish you would just say how d'ye do and then go out. I have a lot of work to do to-night, and I don't want to be disturbed."

An hour later the literary man heard a latch key placed carefully in the front door, as though the person placing it there didn't wish to be heard. Then he heard smothered laughter in the hall; it was from the children; they were up to something, sure. A moment later they came marching through the hall, one behind the other, with military step, back toward the library. They turned in, marched like a file of soldier alongside the library table on the side opposite the literary man, halted, fronted, raised their hands in salute and said in unison:

"How d'ye do?"

Then says the New York Sun, they faced to the left and marched out again, one behind the other, keeping step as before, and keeping as sober as they could until they came to the parlor, there they exploded.

IRRIGATION IN THE WEST.

Millions Invested in Ditch Enterprises Along the Union Pacific.

The magnitude of irrigation enterprises in the west has been attracting attention throughout the country for some time.

The quantity of capital attracted to the states along the line of the Overland road for the purpose of investment or irrigation ventures is something enormous—sufficient in the aggregate to almost construct a great railroad system. In some sections the magnitude of the work in hand is something enormous, contemplating the diversion of great streams, volumes of water equal to that of the Missouri river, into immense storage reservoirs stretching over miles of ground to be gradually distributed over acres of farms at the proper time. In Nebraska there are 17 great companies on the Union Pacific lines. In Wyoming, 27; in Utah, 20, in Idaho, 30; in Colorado, 17; in Kansas, 10; in Oregon, 8. This does not include small affairs, of which there are innumerable numbers, but great concerns of from $500,000 to $3,000,000 capital, employing hundreds, and supplying thousands of acres, sometimes controlling hundreds of miles of canals, many of which assume the proportions of rivers when bank full.

NEW WOMAN VS. BULK.

How a West Side Girl Succeeded in Closing a Car Door.

He was so big he got in his own way. Not only was his stature exceptional, but his girth kept even stride therewith. He floundered onto a Madison street trailer the other morning and took station before the forward door. There he remained for a space. This is how it all happened, says the Chicago Chronicle.

She was young, pretty, black-haired and black-eyed. When the train stopped at one of the cross streets she stepped gracefully on that forward platform and encountered him of the bulk. He shambled a bit, but got in the way more than he would have done if he had retained his position. Finally, after much darting about, the girl succeeded in entering the car to escape the chill wind, which was blowing gayly.

The car was crowded and she was forced to stand. So she took her position immediately inside the door, while the big man maintained a similar position on the platform. He settled back against the door and by sheer weight inserted a portion of his anatomy in the doorway. It was cold, but the girl could not shut the door; he was too heavy. Then she thought and then she smiled.

She quietly adjusted her hat pin, gave the door a gentle pull and the big man nearly vaulted over the dashboard. He did not say anything nor did he upset more than half the other passengers on the platform. He fell off to the street, gazed wistfully at the receding car and started down the street. The girl burst into a hysterical laugh, bottled up suddenly and became preternaturally solemn. There was a button off the back of his coat. She put her foot over it as it lay on the car floor.

"CALLERS" NOT DESIRED.

A Writer's Reasons for Thinking "Visiting" Intolerable.

Of what earthly use is "company?" You probably see your neighbors once a week, meeting them on the public highways, and if you nod pleasantly and speak a word or two of the weather and of the health of the family, has not everything been done that our necessities require or formality can reasonably demand? If we have business, or need information that others can give us, go and ask of them. Be brief, but to the point, advises the Detroit Free Press, and, leaving with what is desired, carry away also their blessing. To go to another's house, to request of its inmates, one or all, to sit for half an hour or longer and listen to your platitudes, and, coming away, lie to them about a pleasant call, is intolerable. Yet there are thousands who do this daily. Why should I leave my occupation, be it loafing even, and give my attention to some man or woman who is thoughtless enough to "call?" The actuating motive never appears. Much is spoken and nothing said. I receive no worthy thought to profit by or increase the probability of a beatific eternity. The familiar well-gnawed bones of doctrine fall from the devil's table. Usually I am forced to breathe at such a time a gossip-poisoned atmosphere. This "call" is another idea of civility, and I am compelled, it appears, to be a victim of his or her whim. If I refuse, as I have done point-blank, to present myself, I am called a boor and all manner of ugly names.

THE WAY IT ACTED.

It Was Quite a New Thing to Sam and He Was Bound to Try It.

A tailor named Sam Smith, from a country place, visited a large wholesale warehouse and ordered a quantity of goods. He was politely received and one of the principals showed him over the establishment. On reaching the fourth floor the customer saw a speaking tube on the wall, the first he had ever seen, says the Detroit Free Press.

"What is that?" he asked.

"Oh, that is a speaking tube. It is a great convenience. We can talk with it to the clerks on the first floor without taking the trouble of going downstairs."

"Can they hear anything that you say through it?"

"Yes, and they can reply."

"You don't say so! May I talk through it?"

"Certainly."

The visitor put his mouth to the tube and asked:

"Are Sam Smith's goods packed yet?"

The people in the office supposed it was the salesman who had asked the question, and in a moment the distinct reply came back:

"No; we are waiting for a telegram from his town. He looks like a slippery customer."

Didn't Believe It.

Some years ago, while visiting the Spokanes, Gen. Philip Sheridan related to the Indians, through an interpreter, the wonders of the railroad, and then waited to see what effect the revelation would have upon them. "What do they say?" he asked the interpreter. "They say they don't believe it," was the answer. Sheridan then described the steamboat, and the interpreter repeated this. "What do they say to that?" the general asked again, seeing the Indians faces all impressive. "They say they don't believe that, either." Then the general gave an account of the telephone, and told how a man at the end of a long wire had talked to a man at the other end of it. The interpreter remained silent. "Well," said the general, "why don't you interpret that to them?" "Because I don't believe that story myself," answered the conscientious man.

Diners Are Useful.

One day, when somebody objected to the practice of having dinners for parish or public purposes, "Sir," said Lord Stowell, "I approve of the dining system: it puts people in a good humor and makes them agree when they otherwise might not; a dinner lubricates business."

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RABBITS ARE PLENTIFUL

THE FIRST OPEN DAY BRINGS OUT MANY HUNTERS.

Owing to the Fact That There Have Been No Heavy Downpours of Rain to Drown Out the Young, Game is Abundant.

The resonant bray of a hound followed up by a commotion in the underbrush and the sudden appearance of a diminutive grey-skinned animal bounding away with jerky little leaps that end in sharp crack like sounds every time its paws struck the dry grass and brittle twigs; the accompanying alertness and furtive glance of a man togged out in high boots, canvas coat with great capacious pockets and a gun thrown over his shoulder or carried with head toward the earth in a resolute manner; a quick methodical-like change of carriage on the part of the latter and the firearm is raised to the shoulder, the eye scans the sight-mark, the trigger clicks, biff-bang, a smoky wave floats away in air, the man casts his eye in the direction that the shot has taken flight, and what does he see? The scurrying animal of but a moment before now lies toppled over a few rods in advance, its tiny feet twitching in the throes of death, a crimson fluid ebbing forth from a clean-bored hole in its carcass and staining its furry coat with its ghastly hue.

With visage gleaming with satisfaction at his annihilation, the man advances and grasps the still quivering animal by the long ears and thrusts it into the pockets of his canvas coat without sentiment so much as to look into its fawn-like eyes, pink and pretty, and remember that but a few months ago, when the Law said he must not shoot, the little thing was of a brood that every boy and every girl would fain possess and see munch and nibble the vegetables thrown to it and hop away to a burrow running into the bowels of the earth. Then the man goes on seeking repetitions of but death dealing performances.

The man was a hunter, the victim a rabbit. The day was yesterday—the first day of the opening season for shooting rabbits and quail, and which will legally be allowed until December 10th; and after that only at the risk of being nabbed by vigilant game wardens and made to pay $20 a piece for every one killed. And so, since the time is limited in which the sport of hunting those wary animals known as "Cottontails," the modernized Nimrod described above hastens forth and improves the time of license.

Rabbit and quail hunting in Warren, Somerset and upper Hunterdon counties affords great sport to the huntsmen, who come from the metropolitan district, as well as those in their own confines. The nimble rabbits are very plentiful this season owing to the fact that there were no heavy downpours of rain to drown out the young in breeding time. Every Plainfielder who owns a gun, or who could borrow one, and ever had the taste of excitement incident to hunting down the "Cottontails," was out yesterday. The Watchung range of mountains was litterally covered with hunters and it is a wonder that some were not peppered with the shot of their brother Nimrods while aiming at the rabbits.

One farmer near Whitehouse reports having discovered ten in one field. Another says they are so plentiful on Pickel Mountain, near Bloomsbury, that they actually crowd each other for space. Quail are also numerous in Somerset and Warren counties this year. Last season game was scarce in Hunterdon county, and gunners filled their game bags with chickens, turkeys and pigeons. Some farmers also had horses and cows killed by careless gunners. This year the farmers will start a crusade against the sportsmen. Many gunners have already arrived.

John Shaney, E. Gould and Cornelius Hoagland, went to Three Bridges, yesterday. Their total reward will not be announced until they return tonight.

The early morning trains along the Central Railroad carried scores of hunters with their dogs and guns and the mountains and fields are being pretty thoroughly searched for bunny. In some parts of Union county rabbits were plentiful in September, but it is said there has been so much illegal hunting and trapping that they are now nearly all killed off and those that remain are so wild as to be difficult hunting.

George Voehl went hunting on the mountain, yesterday, and captured twenty rabbits and four quail. James Babbit, who has a record of getting more game than any other local hunter, during the open season, returned from a trip yesterday with twelve rabbits and a number of quail.

William Kiely and Herbert Over-

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EXTRA!

A FRONT STREET FIRE!

Lederer's Dry Goods Establishment Endangered.

ALL THE APPARATUS TURNED OUT.

The Fire Burned Furiously—Front Street and Park Avenue Befogged With Smoke—A Large Crowd Was Present.

The largest conflagration that has visited Plainfield for some time, is now in full sway and threatens to damage property to the value of several thousand dollars.

At about 3:15 o'clock Lederer's dry goods store on West Front street near Park avenue, was suddenly filled with smoke. The half-smothered clerks were driven out by it.

An alarm was sent in from box 12. The fire department responded promptly. It was impossible to gain access to the store on account of the volumes of smoke that filled the store.

The fire was started in the basement where a swinging gas jet set fire to a shelf full of cotton batting. A second alarm was turned in about ten minutes after the department arrived, and all the apparatus responed.

The streets were filled with smoke and a large crowd assembled.

The fire still continues to burn vigorously in the basement, although the flames have not yet appeared on the first floor.

All of the money and books belonging to Mr. Lederer still remain in the store above the fire.

BUTCHERS' ORGANIZE.

COMBINE TO PROTECT THEMSELVES AGAINST "DEADBEATS."

The Wholesalers Demand Prompt Payment and the Retailers Organize so as Not to Become Easily Embarrassed.

The Retail Butchers' Mutual Protective Association, composed of the meat dealers of the city and borough, was organized last night to promote the interests of that trade and to prevent impositions by a class of customers who fail to pay their bills. Every dealer is troubled more or less wtth those who either fail entirely to meet their obligations or else are so slow that it causes the merchant not a little embarrasment.

The beef companies, from whom the butchers buy at wholesale, have a system that compels the settlement of all bills for the previous week on Monday, and if they are not paid no meat is delivered on Tuesday. With such a condition it is necessary for the retail butchers to carefully guard against customers who are not prompt or else have the reputation of not paying at all. The aims of this new organization is to provide a medium whereby every merchant may become acquainted with the irresponsible customers of the other dealers.

The following officers were elected: President, Charles Ulrich; vice president, Fred Endress; secretary, L. A. Hummer; treasurer, David Smalley; trustees, James Guttridge, George Watts and George Eddy.

Confirmation Services.

Once in every three years Rt. Rev. Bishop Wigger, of the Newark diocese, of which Plainfield is a part, pays an official visit to each parish under his charge, and thus it was that he came to this city yesterday. The principal object of his visit is to confirm those who have been preparing for the sacrament, and this morning a large assemblage gathered in St. Mary's church to witness the rite administered to a large class. The bishop spoke a few words on the importance of confirmation, and that those on whom it was conferred would become firm and faithful in their religion.

City Election Primaries.

The City Republican campaign committee met last evening and in the absence of President W.R. Codington, his place was filled by Roger F. Murray. The committee decided to hold the ward primaries Tuesday evening, November 17th, and the City Convention, Thursday evening, November 19th. The representation was apportioned on a basis of one delegate to every fifty voters and a fraction. This is based on the last vote for freeholders.

—S. A. Cruickshank's coachman yesterday morning captured an opposum climbing into the poultry yard.

—L. W. Randolph, the West Front street druggist, has a fine display of imported perfume atomizers in his window.

ASTRONOMY THE TOPIC

FIRST OF THE SERIES OF UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURES

Prof. R. W. Prentiss Delivered His Remarks With Aid of a Stereopticon Before an Appreciative Audience

The series of University Extension lectures for 1896-97 opened very auspiciously last night, when Prof. R. W. Prentiss delivered, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, his first illustrated lecture on astronomy. The chapel was crowded with a deeply interested audience, and Prof. Prentiss was listened to with careful attention throughout his lecture. A large screen was stretched above the platform, and an excellent stereopticon, with oxy-hydrogen light, was operated by an assistant in the gallery. When the lights were turned out some of the women in the audience removed their hats, in order that those sitting behind them might have a better view of the screen. It is to be hoped that during the remaining lectures this practice may become general, as, in a level-floored audience-room such as the chapel, it adds much to the comfort of those present.

Prof. Prentiss' subject was: "The Sun, the Center of Our System." He began by showing views of observatories where the sun was especially studied, and explained the comparatively new method of taking observations by means of photography. Then he showed a plan of our solar system, and a picture showing the comparative size of the sun and the planets. In order that the audience might realize the tremendous distance of the sun from us—about 92,897,000 miles—he said that a railway train going 1,000 miles a day, would take over 254 years to make the journey. The sun's diameter is about 866,500 miles, or 109½ times that of the earth, but its mean density is less than 1¼ times that of water, a very significant result as bearing on its physical condition. Gravity is so much greater at the sun's surface that a person weighing 150 pounds here, would there weigh nearly two tons.

Mr. Prentiss then proceeded to show a great many very fine photographs of the sun, explaining each in a very clear manner, with a welcome absence of technical terms. He first showed views of the photosphere, or the visible surface of the sun, with its peculiar structure of grains or "nodules," presenting a mottled appearance; its "faculæ," or bright streaks, probably, like the nodules, heminous clouds floating in an atmosphere of uncondensed gases, but elevated above the general level, and its wonderful "sunspots," ever-changing depressions in the photosphere, forming, closing up, drifting across the sun's surface, presenting an ever-new and absorbing object for study. At the times, about eleven years apart, when the spots are most numerous, magnetic disturbances on the earth are most frequent.

Outside of the photospere lies the chromosphere, a sheet of flames overlying the photosphere to a depth of from 5,000 to 10,000 miles, which as seen through the telescope has been aptly described as "like a prairie on fire." By means of the spectroscope, fiery clouds, projections from the chromosphere, may be seen upon the edge of the sun's disc. These clouds, or "prominences," are often 50,000 or 60,000 miles in heighth and of corresponding horizontal dimensions, and undergo wonderful changes or eruptions, under the very eye of the observer.

During a total eclipse, there may be seen surrounding the sun a halo or glory of pearly light, known as the corona. The outer boundary of this halo is not very well defined, and widely differing pictures have been made of it at different times and in different places. Its spectrum is that of a glowing gas, and it contains some gaseous element unknown on the earth, which has been called "coronium."

At the close of the lecture many remained to the conversation class, that, as last year, will doubtless be a very pleasant and profitable feature of the lecture course.

Planting Maple Trees.

The Town Improvement Association has been planting several maple trees within the past few days. Three have been placed on East Third street, near Mr. Finley's residence, and two fruit trees have been placed in the latter's yard. Between Sixth street and Cottage place, on Richmond mond street, four maple trees have been planted. Mrs. Pierre Malli had the work in charge.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

REAR THE CHILD RIGHT.

BISHOP WIGGER'S ADVICE TO CATHOLIC PARENTS LAST NIGHT.

If Properly Trained in Their Young Years, the Rising Generation Will Better Heed the Teachings of the Church.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Wigger, of Newark, was in this city last evening, and before a large and appreciative audience in St. Mary's church, he delivered a sermon so fluent and eloquent as to hold the close attention of his hearers throughout. Said the learned Bishop in beginning:

"One of the many opportunities offered by having the Bishop visit the parish is that all can confer with him." The main point, he contended, is that parents should give their children a religious education. Religious training, he said, should begin when the child is two years of age, and the parents should instruct it in the teachings of the Holy Spirit—our Father, our Mary and the sacred creed. "It is a disgrace," said the Bishop, "if the children have to be taught their prayers in the church." In the old country, father, mother and children gather and recite prayers; in this country the child at the age of six years can distinguish between good and evil, and it is then they should be brought to the parish priest for their first confessional. Some parents allow their children to grow to eight and ten years without giving them the knowledge of confirmation. Any person knowing the difference between good and evil is capable of distinguishing from mortal sin—"Whosoever dies in the state of mortal sin is lost to hell and to all eternity."

Continuing his discourse, Bishop Wigger said: "Almighty God holds the parents responsible for the proper bringing up of their children. The Parochial School was established for those who have neither time or means to educate their offspring." He congratulated the Plainfield parish for having such an admirable school, and said he hoped if any Catholics were sending their children to other schools they would take them out tomorrow, and thus adhere to the principles and doctrines of the church. If parents disobey the ecclesiastical doctrines of the church, how can children be obedient to it, and in later years they will show disobedience to both parents and church.

Bishop Wigger went on to explain the holy sanctity of marriage. Every Catholic couple should be married by a priest, according to the law ordained over 400 years ago, and they should be united with the approbation and full approval of the parish priest.

In conclusion the Bishop said: 'Obey the church and we save our souls; those who despise the church despise Him, and those who hear and believe in the church believe Him. He that despiseth you despiseth me, and he who despiseth me despiseth Him who sent me. Do as Christ commands and omit what he forbids, and carefully and conscientiously gain the reward of unspeakable happiness in Heaven."

The Coat Was His Own.

Patrolman Totten, against whom the charges of misrepresentation were made before the Police Board, and before whom he was called, vindicated himself at the time. The coat which it was alleged the city furnished him and he sold to Special Special Officer Hansen was not the city's property at all. Officer Totten bought the coat of ex-Special Officer William Robinson, paying for it out of his own pocket. Therefore he had a perfect right to dispose of it as he saw fit. This explanation was given to the Board.

A Wandering Equine.

A stray horse whose ribs were plainly visible under the rough hide, wandered into the front yard of Mrs. Deazey, of East Sixth street, last Friday night. Mrs. Deazey found the poor animal and, at her request, Jack Krietling led the equine to Day's stable and there it has remained ever since. No one has come to claim it and the police think the animal was turned away to die by its former owner. It is a bay horse with bobbed tail.

Sign of Returning Prosperity.

Last Sunday was Home Missionary Day at the Crescent Avenue church and the regular collection was taken. It amounted to $1,500. Last year it was $1,000.

Lawyer Clark to Open an Office.

Rob't M. Clark will open law offices in this city soon. They will be in the old Dunham offices on East Front street, over Shaw's pharmacy.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

DON'T WANT THE OFFICE

MAYOR GILBERT AND F. C. LOUNSBURY DECLINE THE HONORS.

Mr. Gilbert is Very Brief and to the Point—Mr. Lounsbury Says He Could Not Devote Enough Time to the Office.

Though it was thought almost for a surety that F. C. Lounsbury was a positive candidate for the Mayoralty nomination on the Republican ticket, Mr. Lounsbury now comes forward over his own signature and says that he does not want it. Mayor Gilbert also says that he cannot accept a renomination. Their letters follow:

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—Please say for me through the columns of The Press that I am not a candidate for Mayoralty honors this fall. I mean by this that I cannot accept a renomination.

Respectfully yours,
A. Gilbert.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: In view of the continued mention of my name among the aspirants for the office of Mayor, I feel constrained to say through your columns that I am not now and never have been a candidate for the nomination; and have never authorized or consented to the use of my name as such.

While I am not unmindful of the high honor this official position confers, and fully appreciate the compliments of those of my fellow-citizens who deem me worthy to succeed our present illustrious executive, I cannot, on the other hand, lose sight of the arduous work and grave responsibility which it also incurs.

To properly administer the duties of the office calls for a greater sacrifice of time than I can possibly afford to make, and I must, therefore, most positively decline to consider even the question of attempting to secure the nomination.

Very respectfully yours,
Fred C. Lounsbury.

Where They Graduated.

The recent additions to the legal fraternity from this city are not only representative young men but their creditable passing of examinations reflect not a little credit on those with wnom they have been studying. Irving Brady has been associated with Counselor William K. McClure. Robert Clark has been a faithful student in Lawyer J. B. Coward's office, while George W. Bird has been a hard worker with the firm of Reed & Coddington. Abram Cornish, was a student in Assemblyman W. R. Codington's law office. All of the above have proved themselves worthy young men and entitled to the respect and confidence of all with whom they come in contract.

All on Account of a Drum.

Tom Martin and James Frisbie had a set-to at the North avenue station, Monday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock. No blood was spilled. According to Frisbie's story Tom Martin had a drum in "hock" at a local pawn shop and when election time came around, one of the Republican heelers gave Frisby ten dollars to get the drum out. Frisby says he returned the money with scorn, and Martin "hooked him" at the depot for so doing, claiming that the ten dollars belonged rightly to him. Hence the fracas.

A Rugged Constitution.

Gabriel H Bellis, of West Second street, aged sixty-three years, joined Post 73, G. A. R., last evening. Mr. Bellis thinks nothing of going out on a twenty-mile walk. A day or two ago he walked over to Rahway, took dinner with his sister and walked back the same day. He mustered in the service with the Second New York Volunteers and later became a member of the Eighty-second New York Volunteers.

Struck on the Knot With a Feed Bag.

T. W. Blain, of Green Brook, took a load of grist to the New Market Mill, yesterday, and while hoisting the bags up to the second story of the mill, one of them dropped and struck him on the head, nearly dislocating the neck. Mr. Blain survives, but he considers his escape somewhat miraculous.

At a Church Conference.

A Congregational church conference is being held in Orange today. Those attending from this city are Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, Rev. M. E. Dwight, Mrs. B. T. Barnes, Mrs. Geo. Raynolds and Jos. A. Robinson.

Mr. Fisk to Talk to Women.

A public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held Friday afternoon at 3 p. m., which will be addressed by Councilman Charles J. Fisk.

—Work was begun today on the Gesang and Turn Verein building on Somerset street. The plan is to make the structure as high as the ones adjoining. There will be a twenty foot addition built to the rear of the building which will give them more needed room.

FROM BOTTOM TO THE TOP

MAYOR GILBERT RISES FROM A CLERK TO PRESIDENT OF A BANK.

Chosen Yesterday as the Head of One of New York's Biggest Banking Institutions—An Example of Honesty and Industry.

The reward of integrity and industry has no better example than the career of Alexander Gilbert, Mayor of Plainfield, and who was yesterday elected to the office of president of the Market and Fulton National Bank, one of the largest banking institutions in the city of New York. He started from the very lowest rung of the ladder, but perseverance, honesty and carefulness assisted him to climb up higher and higher, until now he has reached the top and is today president of the bank in which he was only an ordinary clerk thirty-seven years ago. It was not accident that lifted him to this high position, but years of hard toil and well directed effort.

Alexander Gilbert was born in Elizabeth on August 10, 1839. When twenty years old, he entered the Market National Bank, in New York, as a clerk, and in that bank he has remained through the rest of his career.

In 1863, he was made cashier. The deposits of the bank were then about $1,500,000. He filled the office with credit and refused the offers of two other banks to become their president. They were afterwards incorporated into the bank and its name changed to the Market and Fulton National Bank.

Mr. Gilbert's ability gained for him the position of vice-president in 1892, and yesterday he was elected to fill the responsible office of president. He came to Plainfield in 1856 and has resided in this city ever since. His present residence, at the corner of Central avenue and West Eighth street, is one of the most charming in the city. For two terms, six years, has Mr. Gilbert served the city faithfully as Mayor and made one of the efficient best Mayors Plainfield has ever had. His integrity, good judgment and liberality are too well known in Plainfield to need more than passing mention and he is looked upon by all as one of the first men of the city.

His career is one that he and all the people of Plainfield can look at with pride, as it well illustrates one of the fundamental principles of the American Republic by which any one can by honesty and industry rise from the lowest position to the highest.

NOTHING UNLUCKY IN THIS THIRTEEN

Central Lodge Arranges to Initiate a Baker's Dozen.

The entertainment committee of Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., met last evening and prepared a programme for the celebration tomorrow evening, when thirteen candidates will be initiated. In addition to the grand officers who will be present, there will be representatives from Westfield, Newark, Rahway and Basking Ridge. The programme will be substantially as follows: Address of welcome, Master Workman Gray; vocal solo, Past Master Workman Spicer; comic address, Past Master Workman Westphal; organ recital, Prof. Wentworth, of Newark; recitations and readings, Past Master Workman Baker; vocal solo, Brother David Thompson; recitation, Brother Geo. Leighs; vocal selections, Central Lodge quartette, N. C. Mague, C. H. Randolph, G. W. Clark and W. H. Brokaw; address, Past Master Workman T. C. Smith; comic readings, Foreman Clark Rogers. At the conclusion of the above the committee in charge will serve a collation and a general good time will be enjoyed.

Martha Washington Council Entertains.

A large number of the friends of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, auxiliary to the Jr. O. U. A. M., attended the evening sociable given by the council in Skandia Hall, East Front street, last evening, and enjoyed dancing until an early hour this morning. At midnight refreshments were served.

—Smalley Brothers stone crusher on the mountain is lying idle this week. The firm have many tons of stone ready for shipment.

TOO MUCH GOLD NOW

Deposits of the Yellow Metal Inconveniences the Treasury.

RESERVE INCREASED TO $122,234,315

For the First Time in Years Gold Now Being Received for Customs Dues---Continued Increase in Deficiency Troubles Officials.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The treasury for the first time in several years is receiving gold in considerable quantities for customs duties. From this reason, and from the further fact previously mentioned in these dispatches that gold is being withdrawn from hoarding places and deposited in the various sub-treasuries, the gold balance at the opening of business to-day had increased to $122,234,315. The present policy of the department is to discourage the receipt of gold, as the treasury has not on hand, without inconveniencing itself, sufficient currency to exchange for all the gold likely to be offered. The present treasury balance is $229,803,000, of which (exclusive of the $122,000,000 gold) $31,854,000 is in greenbacks and $39,471,000 Sherman notes. Only $13,343,000 of silver certificates remain in the treasury. The continued increase in the deficit is now engaging the attention of Secretary Carlisle, and will be treated by him in his annual report. It is rumored that he will recommend an increase in the tax on beer from $1 to $2 per barrel. This proposition is said to be favored by Commissioner Miller. The treasury deficit for this month up to date—one-third of the month having passed—is $4,453,000, making an aggregate since July 1,1895, of $37,342,000.

JOY AT ALBANY.

Everything Now Points To an Early and Active Business Revival.

Albany, Nov. 11.—Present indications point to a business revival in the north end. The prospects are brighter now among the large manufacturing concerns in that section of the city than they have been for some years and business is beginning to boom as it did a few years ago. Rathbone, Sard & Co., whose foundry has been running but a month on full time since July 1, has opened up on six days a week time for the rest of the season. Business at Littlefield's foundry has been full throughout the year, but enough orders are in to give their employes work up to Christmas. Haight & Clark, foundrymen, have not run on full time for the last two years, the business depression being so great, but since last week work has been resumed on full time and their force of men has been increased. There is at present great rejoicing among the railroad men of the west end over the news that the West Albany shops are to resume operations on full time.

Business Revival at Newark.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 11.—The business revival is still growing here. The Warkwick-Stockton company, makers of bicycle parts, have increased their force by 150 men to serve surplus orders. The Heller Bros.' file works of Forest Hill, which had been closed for a year, opened yesterday with a larger force than when they shut down, and will run overtime. Winters & Nies, manufacturers of horse collars, have doubled their force.

Suspended Bank To Resume.

Buffalo, Nov. 11.—The Bank of Commerce, which suspended recently, will resume business on a basis of reorganization. Bank Examiner Clark says he found the affairs of the bank in better shape than was at first expected, and efforts to reorganize are being made by the directors and stockholders. In case of resumption all depositors will be paid in full.

Encouraging Reports from Middletown.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 11.—The Foster Brothers' Manufacturing company, South Farms, started on full time with a full force this week, after quite a long shut-down, also Strickland's brick yards at West Cromwell. Owing to the close of the Cromwell branch of the New England road all brick has to be carted to the city.

To Resume on Full Time Next Week.

Palmyra, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The Globe Press works and the Jones Press works will start up next week with a full force of hands on full time. They have been running for the past few months with a very small force.

Erie Railroad Shops on Full Time.

Sharon, Pa., Nov. 11.—All the Erie railroad shops along the system are working full time for the first time in years, giving employment to 2,500 men. The shops at Meadville resumed yesterday.

State Printing Contract Awarded.

Albany, Nov. 11.—Secretary of State Palmer and State Comptroller Roberts have awarded to Banks Brothers of Albany the contract for printing the session laws for 1897. Their bid was twenty-five cents per 1,000 for printing law slips; ten cents each for the state edition of 2,500 copies of the session laws, and $1.20 for the session laws to be sold at private sale.

Political Jollification at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The gold democrats united with the republicans of this village and surrounding towns in a big parade last evening in jollification of the election of McKinley and Hobart.

Schooner Lost; Crew Saved.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 11.—The Charlottetown schooner George and Harold from North Sydney with a cargo of coal for St. Pierre is reported to have been lost near the latter place. The crew was saved

ARBITRATION IS SURE

Minor Details in Venezuela Matter Not Yet Settled, However.

VERBAL CHANGES STILL SUGGESTED

The Preliminary Protocol Will Probably Be Ready for Congress When It Meets in December---England's Concessions.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Every indication points to the probability that within the next fifteen or twenty days Sir Julian Pauncefote and Secretary Olney, plenipotentiaries appointed for that purpose by their respective governments, may be able to sign here in Washington the protocol of a proposed treaty to be subsequently submitted by their respective governments for approval which will include within its provisions a method of arbitrating the boundary line between Venezuela and British Guiana. The exact terms of this important convention are not yet definitely settled—far less signed. On the contrary verbal changes are continually being suggested and agreed upon, or modified by cable messages between the plenipotentiaries and the British foreign office. But that essential basis of the treaty has been agreed upon is made clear in the correspondence which Secretary Olney last evening felt justified in making public after Lord Salisbury's significant speech at the London Mansion house Monday night and published in these dispatches. The basis agreed on is that in the "settled districts" a term of fifty years of undisturbed residence, shall be considered as giving the right to possession. The acceptance of this condition by Great Britain is regarded as a distinct consession inasmuch as it brings under the award of the arbitration tribunal (which it to consist of five disinterested persons, not citizens of any American states) all the districts which have been settled since the celebrated Schomburgk line was drawn in 1840. It may take some days further to arrange details as to time and place of meeting of the tribunal and as to the selection of arbitrators, but there is every reason to believe that the president may be able to announce to congress when it meets in December next the signing of the preliminary protocol, and to submit it to the senate for ratification. That this is a stong probability is made clear by the announcement authorized by the Venezuelan commission yesterday afternoon that it will suspend the preparation of its report for the present, but will proceed with the compilation of the important data it has collected.

Morley Approves Salisbury's Statement.

London, Nov. 11.—The Right Hon. John Morley, formerly chief secretary for Ireland, spoke last night at Montrose, Scotland, which district he represents in the house of commons. In the course of his speech he expressed approval of Lord Salisbury's statement at the Guildhall banquet regarding the practical settlement of the Venezuelan question. He said he did not believe that there was any international discussion of more importance, not even that regarding the eastern question, than the one relative to permanent arbitration between Great Britain and the United States. This statement was greeted with cheers by the audience. Continuing, Mr. Morley said he trusted that the two nations which were far ahead of the great military monarchies in a thousand other respects, had set them in this matter a splendid and beneficent example.

New Hampshire Railroad Commission.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 11.—Governor Busiel yesterday afternoon again nominated Hon. Henry Robinson, mayor of Concord, for the railroad commission, but the council for the third time refused to confirm the nomination. The governor then submitted the names of ten other gentlemen for the commission, and all were unanimously rejected. Governor Busiel stated that he had submitted the names to indicate that he had no feeling in the matter of the appointment, and that his only desire was to provide a competent person for the vacancy when it arose.

The New Spanish Loan.

Madrid, Nov. 11.—It has been decided that the first subscription to the new loan, to be issued on Saturday, shall amount to 260,000,000 pesetas ($50,000,000). The balance, 150,000,000 pesetas ($30,000,000), is reserved for a later subscription, the government not needing it at present. The price fixed for the issue is 93 pesetas, payable in four instalments.

Must Not Run Trains on Sunday.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—Last February the Southern railway was found guilty of running a freight train through Greensboro on Sunday and was fined $500. It appealed to the supreme court, which last evening affirmed the judgment of the court below, and held that the statute under which the indictment was drawn is not unconstitutional.

Theatre Treasurer Hild Dead.

New York, Nov. 11.—Joseph J. Hild, treasurer of the Bijou theatre, Brooklyn, died in St Peter's hospital yesterday of hemorrhage of the brain. Mr. Hild had at different times been connected with theatres in St. Louis, Chicago and Montreal. He was 33 years of age.

Alabama Legislature in Session.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 11.—The legislature is in session. Voting for senator will begin on the 24th inst. Senator Pugh, Governor Oates, General Pettus and Hon. John M. Bankhead are announced candidates for the senate.

VASSAR GIRLS' FOOD.

Immense Quantities of Provisions Devoured at the College.

A New York Mail and Express reporter has discovered a down-town house that rejoices in the honor of supplying the sweet Vassar girls with what they eat. It is quite a serious affair, the educated appetites of these young ladies. They have increased steadily the past five years, and the merchant who furnishes "a few figures" says that if the increase goes on it will be necessary to include the daily food purchases of the college in the market reports to see what effect they may have on prices. This merchant would not give his own personal figures, but he exhibited an annual statement of the college that has just been issued.

What will Boston culture and other things esthetic say to an army of young women who will so far forget all conventionalism as to eat 125,000 buckwheat cakes in one year? Nothing surreptitious about this either. All done openly and above the table board. Looking along the list it will be found that the young ladies consumed 250 barrels of flour, 10,000 oranges and lemons, 14,000 bananas, 105,000 quarts of milk, 1,200 bushels of potatoes, 97,000 pounds of fresh meats, 10,000 pounds of smoked meats, 6,000 pounds of chickens, 5,000 pounds of turkeys, 5,000 pounds of fish, 40,000 clams, 165,000 gallons of oysters, 18,000 pounds of butter, and last, but not least, by any means, in a Vassar girl's composition, 32,000 pounds of sugar.

In the above no allowance is made, it will be noticed, for the "stolen fruits," such as forbidden luncheons and candy smacks after retiring, nor is any attention paid to the tea, coffee, vegetables and sweetmeats. Surely these young ladies have educated appetites.

A PREHISTORIC HORSE.

Fossil Remains That Are Found in the Rockies.

Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn, of the American Museum of Natural History, in the Century describes the remarkable fossil remains that are found near Bridger Lake, in the Rockies. He says:

If we leave the lake shore, and pass into the drier upland, we discover the clever little four-toed horse, swift, alert, intelligent. He is, to use the modern measure, only four hands, or 16 inches, high, so he would not reach the knee of the Uintathere, and could be devoured at one sitting by the Patriofelis. His limbs are as slender as pencils. His large eyes are much farther forward than in the horse. He could readily hide among the taller stalks, and it is possible that he had the beginning of protective stripes imitating reed shadows upon his neck and name. In his hair and coloring, however, we pass into pure conjecture. His well-worn chisel-shaped front teeth indicate that he was already a cropper or browser, and the evident secret of his triumphant persistence over his ponderous contemporaries is that he learned to browse just about the time that grasses began to appear. He was the animal of the times.

Dress and Disease.

Prof. Teufelsdroch, of Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus," has found a successor in a Russian scientist, who traces all man's diseases to the clothes-wearing habit—which is traceable directly to Adam and Eve.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business to-day stood at $121,526,364.

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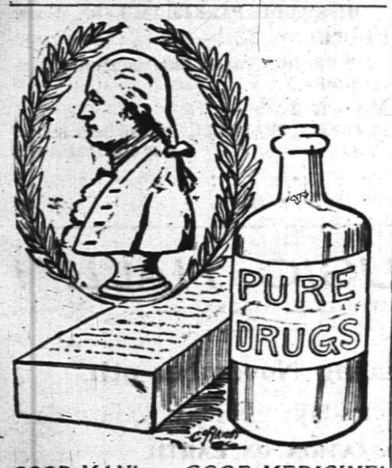

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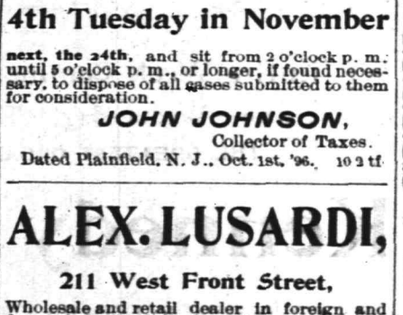

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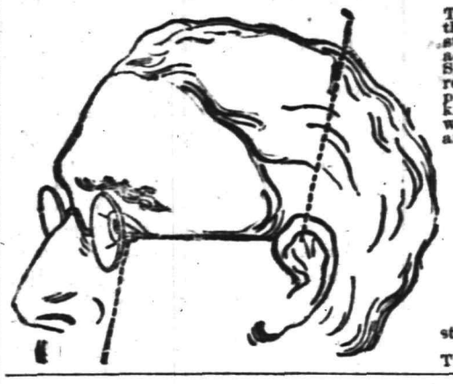

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A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—21c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

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HER CONDITION CRITICAL.

Mrs. Castle Taken to a Country Seat for Seclusion and Rest.

London, Nov. 11.—The condition of Mrs. W. M. Castle, who was released from Wormwood Scrubs prison yesterday on an order from the home secretary, is said this morning to be very critical. It was the intention of her husband to start with her for America immediately on her release, but when he called at the prison he was advised by the physicians in charge that an ocean voyage at present would be dangerous to her life, and so a secluded and quiet English country seat was selected, to which the unfortunate woman was removed. She will remain there until her condition will permit of her making the journey to her home in San Francisco. The receipt of the news of the decision of the home secretary to release Mrs. Castle greatly affected Mr. Castle, and had the effect of transforming him from a condition of despondency to a state of contentment and rest. Mr. Castle had scarcely had an hour's sleep since the unexpected sentence of three months' imprisonment was imposed upon his wife.

POSTOFFICE ESTIMATES.

A Deficit of About $1,288,000 Expected in the Next Fiscal Year.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Postmaster General Wilson has submitted to the secretary of the treasury his estimates for the postoffice department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898. The first assistant postmaster general's office requires $43,542,500, an increase over the previous year of $2,012,750; the second assistant postmaster general's office, $52,224,300, an increase of $2,835,385; third assistant's office, $1,359,100, an increase of $37,400, and for the office of fourth assistant, $38,311. For advertisements and miscellaneous matters $8,000 is asked, which make a grand total of $97,515,411, an increase over the estimates of 1897 of $4,943,846. As the expenditures for the service for 1898 are estimated at $97,515,411 and the revenues expected for the same year is placed at $96,227,076, there will be an estimated deficiency of $1,288,335.

ALLEN'S VOTE REDUCED.

Progress of the Recount of the Ballots for Executive Councillor at Boston.

Boston, Nov. 11.—The recount of the vote for executive councillor in the Fourth district, where, on the face of the returns, Hon. John H. Sullivan, dem., was defeated by Isaac B. Allen, a republican negro of Boston, by 310 votes, was continued yesterday. The recount up to 3 p. m. gave Sullivan a net gain of 241, but that figure was reduced by the recount of wards 12, 13, 14 and 15 last night to 209, which, with Allen's majority of 310, leaves him a leader by 101 votes. It was expected that when the south Boston wards, 13, 14 and 15 were counted that Allen would have a much larger majority, and Allen himself has all along said that he would make his heavier gains in south Boston. There are four more wards to count, 17, 18, 19 and 25, and it is expected that by to-morrow night the result of the recount will be known.

Another American Arrested in Cuba.

Havana, Nov. 11.—The police have searched the rooms of a social club at Regla, across the bay from Havana, and found a quantity of ammunition. A number of arrests were made. Among the prisoners is Louis Lay, an American. Vice-consul Springer, who is acting in place of Consul-general Lee during the latter's absence in the United States, is making an investigation into the case. Leavitt and Melton, two of the men captured on the filibustering schooner Competitor and now awaiting re-trial, are suffering with yellow fever. They have been taken to the hospital.

Acquitted on the Charge of Wife Murder.

New York, Nov. 11.—The trial of Thomas Lynch, charged with the murder of his wife on June 15 last, ended last night in a verdict of acquittal. This was Lynch's second trial for the murder, the jury on the first trial failing to agree upon a verdict.

Appointed Bank Receiver.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Comptroller Eckels has appointed Silas Kenne receiver of the Yates County National bank at Penn Yan, N. Y.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Prices are higher; checking trade. Nov., 87⅜c.; Dec., 88⅝c.; May, 89⅛c.

Corn—Spot held firmly but dull. Nov. 31¼c.; Dec. 32⅛c.; Jan. 31c.; May, 35⅝c.

Oats—Spot is higher; fair demand. Dec. 24½c.; March, 26c.; May 27¼c.

Pork—Spot steady; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.25; family, $10.50@12.00.

Lard—Market firmer; fair demand. $4.50.

Eggs—Prices are firmer; fair trade. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@25c.; ice house, 16½@17½c.; western, 21@23c.; duck, 19½@22½c.; goose, 22@24c.; western, case, $3.25@3.90.; limed, 14½@15c.

Butter—Receipts show an increase; but not excessive. Fresh creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, seconds to best, 15½@19c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10¼c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

WHEAT STILL SOARS

It Reached Yesterday the Highest Price of the Year.

ONE DOLLAR A BUSHEL IN SIGHT

All the Markets of the World High and Firm---Corn and Oats Also Move Upward---Flow of Gold from Europe May Soon Be Resumed.

New York, Nov. 11.—A new high record for the year was made by wheat yesterday. The top figures of Monday were relegated to the rear, with the market advancing under the influence of higher European markets and further news of crop failures in other countries. India, Argentina and Australia were important factors causing the advance. Liverpool cable advices reported wheat 1d. higher and later 1¼d. The market there was firm, with a moderate demand and holders offering sparingly. Berlin cable dispatches indicated firmness and a continued upward tendency. There was a good deal of excitement at the opening yesterday, although, on cabled news from Liverpool, a higher market was confidently expected. The December wheat future opened at 87⅝c. and advanced to 87⅞c., from which it eased back to 87 1-16c. The market was very active, and a large volume of business was transacted. A year ago yesterday December wheat sold at 64⅜c. in this city. "Dollar wheat" appears to be in sight, and the prospect is that the flow of gold from Europe will soon be resumed. Cash wheat, No. 2 red, the standard grade, sold yesterday at 94 cents a bushel. On August 14 last it sold for 64 cents. The gain therefore in less than three months has been 30 cents a bushel. The news this morning from Argentina is that the locusts, which have already destroyed about two-thirds of the wheat crop of that country, are still pursuing their ruinous career.

The Chicago Market.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Wheat had another of those strong days yesterday, such as have been recently emphasizing the growth of opinion favorable to much higher prices. The news was all bullish, and the absence of any sellers of any account to be panic-stricken by it alone accounts for the careful testing of the soundness of every step of advance before another is ventured upon, which the market is permitted to exercise. The gain since Monday's close in December is 2¼c. per bushel. Corn is ⅝c. up and oats ⅝c. higher. Wheat was a surprise, even to the bulls, by the strong and rather excited start it got. December, which was readily obtainable at 78⅝c. as the market was closing Monday, could not be had for less than 80⅜c. at the opening yesterday, and very little at that. The prices most generally realized in the first trading were 80⅜c. and 80½c. After the opening bulge and a reaction in December to 79⅝c., it rose gradually to 81¼c. near the close and wound up at 80½c.

DEPEW WOULD NOT ACCEPT.

The Big Railroad Man Does Not Want a Cabinet Portfolio.

Canton, O., Nov. 11.—Governor-elect Pingree of Michigan came from Detroit last evening to see the president-elect. Incidentally he had something to say about the availability of Gen. R. A. Alger for a cabinet appointment. Major McKinley expects to leave tomorrow for a week's visit with Col. Myron T. Herrick. A personal friend of Chauncey M. Depew in this city says that he has Mr. Depew's word for it that he would not accept a position in the cabinet if it were offered him, and that he has no more desire to be secretary of state now than he had when he declined the appointment under President Harrison.

Coxey Calls a Conference of Wealers.

Cleveland, Nov. 11.—Commonwealer J. S. Coxey has called a conference of allfriends of the initiative and referendum and other reforms to meet at the Lindell hotel, St. Louis, on January 12, 1897. At this meeting a platform will be presented declaring for the demonetization of gold as well as silver, state ownership of all railroads, highways, etc.; woman suffrage, and the election of president by direct vote of the people.

Official Count Necessary in South Dakota.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 11.—Nothing but the official count will show positively who are elected state officers in South Dakota, but from the best information obtainable from all sources at Pierre to-day, the indications are that the Bryan electors will have a majority in the neighborhood of 100. The whole republican state ticket with the exception of governor will be elected by small majorities.

The House in Which Lincoln Died.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Under the operation of a law passed at the last session of congress, the United States has just become possessed of the house opposite the old Ford's theatre where Lincoln was carried after the assassination and where he died. The house will continue to be occupied by the Lincoln Memorial association as a museum of relics of the martyred president.

Partition of China Was Contemplated.

London, Nov. 11.—In the course of a speech at Enfield last night, Sir Charles Dilke, M. P., asserted that three powers lately submitted to Great Britain a proposal for the partition of China. Great Britain, he added, refused to entertain the proposal.

Innocent Prisoners in Turkey Released.

London, Nov. 11.—The Chronicle's Constantinople correspondent telegraphs that many innocent persons who have long been confined in prison are being released.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 13—Public meeting Town Improvement Association in Y. M. C. A. building at 4:30 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Rain Tonight; Clearing Thursday; Warmer Tonight; Decidedly Colder Thursday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 50 Degrees.

FOR A GREATER PLAINFIELD.

In the excitement of the National election, the local issues which might have ordinarily influenced the legislative nominees were totally lost sight of in the campaign just closed. One of the most important things of interest to Plainfield and North Plainfield that the Legislature may be called upon to consider at the approaching session is the plan of consolidating city and borough under one government. Those who are at the head of the plan say that the time has long been ripe for the consummation of the consolidation by legislative enactment and they intend to push the matter at Trenton the coming winter. It is intended to arouse public sentiment in that direction and last night a conference of the leading advocates of the Greater Plainfield was held in the borough and the matter informally discussed. It is proposed that an association be formed of the leading citizens of both city and borough to devise ways and means to push the matter to a point where effective work can be accomplished. Such an association will probable be organized in a short time.

LEGISLATIVE FORECAST.

It is found that six out of the seven Republican State Senators elected are favorable to John Kean for United States Senator, and one is favorable to Governor Griggs. The Senators elected Tuesday of last week hold over until 1900, and in 1899 a successor to James Smith will be selected in the joint Legislative caucus. The contest has begun, and it is a three-cornered fight between John Kean, Governor Griggs and State Chairman Franklin Murphy. The presidency of the Senate is settled, it is said. Senator Robert Williams, of Passaic, who was elected in the closing days of the last session to fill the unexpired term of Senator Lewis A. Thompson, who was made Clerk of Chancery, is to be honored with a full term. Assemblyman George Macpherson, of Mercer, may be the Speaker of the House.

The host of friends of Mayor Gilbert will be pleased to learn that he has been chosen as the executive head of one of the oldest and most substantial banking institutions in New York city after having worked himself up through all the positions leading to the presidency by sheer force of character and ability. The elevation of Mr. Gilbert to this position is doubtless the reaosn for his saying that it will be impossible for him to again become the Mayor of Plainfield.

The name of Councilman Barrows, chairman of the Police Board, is mentioned as possible Mayoralty candidates for the Republicans.

The New York Advertiser refers to Assemblyman William R. Codington as a possible leader in the Assembly session that is approaching.

THEATRICAL.

The Kennedy Players tonight present the "Two Orphans" at Music Hall. They stake their reputation as a competent company on this presentation, and no doubt a big house will greet them. Last night's performance of "The Octoroon" was well received. Matinees will be given during the remainder of the week.

Miss Pauline Hall was heard at Proctor's Pleasure Palace Monday, making her first appearance on the vaudeville stage. She sang songs from two or three of the operettas in which she has previously had parts. Willis P. Sweatnam told stories and sang songs and stirred up laughter. Other entertainers were the Garrisons, Kelly and Grey, Lieutenant Noble, the Scandinavian ventriloquist; Count Kaoly and Mlle. Vonare, equilibrists; the three Girdelles; Maud Beall Price, mimic; Douglas and Ford, dancers; Mlle. Ina, transformation dancer; Annie May and Lizzie Randall, soubrettes; Walter Hyde, trick violinist; W. H. Burke, harmonica soloist, and St. Clair and Lorena.

Among the distinguished guests at the dinner given last night at the headquarters of the Republican Club on Fifth avenue, New York, celebrating the great Republican victory, is the name of Augustus D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Isaac Lambert, of Westfield, called on Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Wilson, of Harmony street, has returned from a visit with Jersey City relatives.

Driver James Bailey, of fire headquarters, has entirely recovered from his recent illness

Miss W. Carty, of Pearl street, sails for Europe tomorrow to be gone for an indefinite period.

Miss Aletta Bedford, of Harlem, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Plainfield friends.

Rev. Cornelius Schench, Ph.D., is confined to his room, with a very heavy cold, bordering on the grip.

Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, are visiting relatives at Montclair for a few days.

The Young Men's Republican Club will hold a meeting next week to reorganize for a permanent existance.

Mrs. J. W. Rushmore, of West Seventh street, left today for Ashville, N. C., to spend a portion of the winter.

Conductor Charles Dodwell, of the Central Railroad, has returned to duty after a short illness with rheumatism.

John Lindsay has resigned his position as janitor of the Y. M. C. A building, and has left town for a temporary absence.

Miss Jesse Clark, of Saratoga, and Mrs. F. Robison and son, of Newark, are the guests of Mrs. Charles Emmons, of Steiner place.

Rev. Floyd Appleton, the new assistant at Grace church, will enter upon his duties next Sunday, preaching at the evening service.

Miss Nellie Rockfellow is not regularly employed as cashier in the store of Geo. W. Rockfellow as was stated in yesterday's Daily Press.

Mrs. Thomas Clarkson, of West Front street, and Miss Henrietta R. Clarkson, of Union avenue, have gone to Newark for a week's visit with friends.

Louis G. Timpson, formerly of the firm of VanBuren & Timpson, is now a regular commuter to New York city, having associated himself in business at that place.

Michael O'Keefe, of this city, who has been confined in St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, by illness, has returned home, having about recovered from his indisposition.

Hon. Jacob Elseffer, of Red Hook, N. Y., is a guest of J. E. Martine, at Cedar Brook, for a day or two. Mr. Elseffer entertained Hon. William Jennings Bryan at his home during his sojourn at Red Hook.

Mrs. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson, of LeGrande avenue, who started for St. Louis yesterday morning, to attend the National Convention of the W. C. T. U., now in session there, is due in St. Louis at 6.40 o'clock this evening.

Joseph Hyland, of Rahway road, near Fanwood, has been ailing for the past three months from an aggravated attack of malaria. At times he is able to go about the house and yard, but of late he has been growing worse.

Suspicious Circumstance.

"It may be mere coincidence," said he thoughtfully. "I hope that such is the case."

"What's that?" asked the other man.

"Why, every time I call at the Jones-son's I find the doormat turned so that the 'Welcome' is upside down as I go in and all right as I start for the street."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Ready to Negotiate.

Reformer—Mr. Grabbe, we can count on you to vote in favor of this bill to prevent bribery in the council, can't we?

Alderman—Well—er—what is the inducement?—Harlem Life.

Somewhat Talkative.

Bacon—Did you know there were over 735,013,559,600 different whist hands in a pack of cards?

Egbert—Yes. My wife tells me about each one nearly every time we play.—Yonkers Statesman.

He Didn't Specify.

"I tell you," cried the author, "I'm going to rise in this world."

The editor eyed him doubtfully for five seconds and then asked:

"Balloon or elevator?"—Atlanta Constitution.

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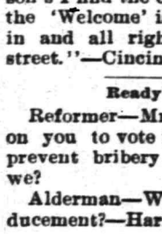

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RABBITS ARE PLENTIFUL

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baugh of the F. L. C Martin Cycle Company, went to White House this morning after the "cottontails." The employees of this same company expect to live on rabbit's flesh for the next week as a result of the expedition.

Herbert Randolph, of Woodlawn Farm, spent part of the day in the neighboring fields and secured five rabbits.

Frank Fulton, of Leggett's pharmacy, was among the hunters. He shot four rabbits and his companion killed five.

J. Hazelwood Craig of Dunellen avenue, captured six cottontails over in the fields back of Dunellen, near Rockview Farm.

Fred A. Pasch, of Race street, North Plainfield, was one of the lucky hunters who went after rabbits yesterday, having shot eight in a few hours.

There are lots of rabbits, and squirrels, too, in the vicinity of the Fanwood clubhouse, says C C. Irby, the proprietor. Yesterday morning he was out and shot three rabbits in ten minutes.

Andrew Vanderbeek returned last evening from North Branch, where he has been for a few days past hunting cottontails. He was well rewarded for his trip and brought with him a considerable amount of game.

There is an ordinance prohibiting the shooting of firearm within the city limits and Chief Grant says that the ordinance will be enforced to the letter during the hunting season. A violation is punishable by a fine of $20. So be careful where you shoot.

William Jones, the genial porter at Randolph's pharmacy, could not resist the excitement and yesterday noon he also went hunting. Away out Manning avenue he spied a cotton tail and put an end to its earthly existence with a shot gun. He then returned to his duties satisfied.

Once every year Assemblyman W. R. Codington and two brothers and their families meet together at the old home at Millington. They gather on the day that the hunting season begins and the three brothers spend part of the day in chasing the elusive cottontail and trying to scare up a bevy For thirteen years they have met regularly and yesterday the families again gathered. The Assemblyman and his brothers wandered through the adjoining fields in search of game, but rabbits were harder to capture than votes and they returned with plenty of room left in their game bags.

Not Alone.

"I never saw any one more skillful at driving a horse single handed than Willy Nilly," said the auburn haired girl.

"Single handed and alone," said the brown eyed girl, who has a mild mania for stock phrases.

"Of course not, idiot. Why should he want to drive single handed when he was alone?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wares Mixed Up.

"Great sensation in that big department store."

"What was it?"

"An elephant fell out of the zoo department through seven skylights and ruined the ice in the basement skating rink department."—Chicago Record.

The Feminine View.

Nell—Did you enjoy the performance last night?

Belle—No, it was stupid. Nearly every woman in the house took her hat off, and there was nothing to look at but the play.—Philadelphia Record.

The Newest Variety of Grass Widower.

Pryman—Did I understand you to say that Dumley was a widower?

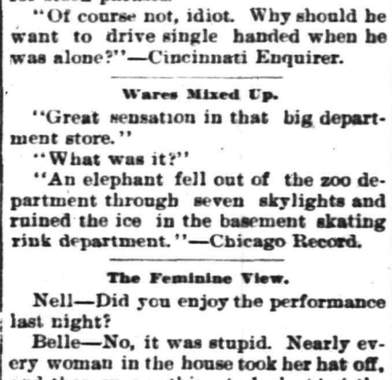
Wyman—A grass widower. His wife's got a bicycle.—Richmond Dispatch.

A Cord of Music.

"Tommy, do you know what a string instrument is?"

"Yessum. A hand organ with a monkey tied to it."—Roxbury Gazette.

Help Wanted.



Inebriated Yachtsman (in the bathtub)—Wh—hic! Lend a hand, ev'body, an—hic—help me bale her out. She's—hic—sinking!—New York Evening Journal.

A Reminder.

Bluff—I frequently have something flash upon my memory that I had forgotten for years.

Bragg—Did one of your flashes ever happen to recall that ten you borrowed of me in 1859?—Detroit Free Press.

The Diver's Joke.

"Why do you wear that very uncouth looking suit?" said the mermaid, perched on the bow sprit of the sunken vessel.

"Oh, for divers reasons," replied the humorist in the diving bell.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Books for Reference.

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Charles Seibel, of North Plainfield leaves for Titusville, this afternoon, to spend the balance of the week with his family there.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

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Harry C. Adams, Regent.

Frederick C. Pope, Secretary.

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Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Albert Cline, of Somerville, was in town yesterday on a business trip.

Phillip Dougherty has been spending a few days with friends in Somerville.

S. York, of Somerville, has been spending a day or two at the Park Hotel.

A special prayer service will be held in the M. E. church Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Miss S. D. Barrett has returned from Brooklyn where she has been visiting among friends.

George Williams, it is said, is going on the road as traveling agent for a New York shoe firm.

Signalman George Miller, is out again after a confinement to the house for several days of illness.

Charles Coriell sent off another carload of piling to Harlem yesterday, and he has three more to send.

"Bob" Johnson, the mortar hustler, will move to Plainfield as soon as he can find a suitable place to locate in.

Quite a number of the people from here went to Somerville last evening to witness the Jenkins concert there.

William Kuhus has gone with brakeman Gus. Warden hunting, and what they don't get won't be worth going after.

The Junior League of the M. E. church will hold a sociable on Thursday evening in the parlors of the church.

Miss Jennie Bolton, of Somerville, has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Harman, of West Front street.

Adam Dealaman has a new Irish setter dog which he prizes very highly. The dog has a record which Mr. Dealaman is proud of.

Mrs. Lottie Taylor has sold out her fish and oyster business to Ayers Brothers, of Plainfield, who take immediate control of the place.

John Huff, George Huff and Joel Giddis went to Springdale hunting yesterday, but they required no extra help to carry home their rabbits.

At a regular meeting of the Order of Foresters, held in the Lincoln School building Monday evening, one proposition was received for membership.

Asa C. Merrill, formerly of this place, and an employe at the Scott Press Work, Plainfield, has accepted a position wiith the Jersey Central Railroad Company at their Elizabethport shops.

Invitations are being gotten in readiness for a swell reception and dance to be given at a prominent Prospect avenue residence within a fortnight. The names of the parties concerned are withheld at present.

"Al" Randolph and Adam Dealaman who went hunting yesterday have sent word home that their luck has been unprecedepted. They promised to bring Station Agent English a lot of game, and it is expected to arrive in a refrigerator car this evening.

The members of the Dunellen Athletic Association will hold another of their admirable entertainments in Rider's barn Thanksgiving Eve. There will be both vocal and instrumental music and a most pleasing entertainment is promised those who attend.

Special evangelistic services will be held in the M. E. church beginning November 20th and continuing for ten days to be conducted by Rev. J. L. Glascock, the conference evangelist, of Cincinnati, O. Rev. Mr. Glascock is now at Manasquan, where he has just begun a series of meetings. All the meetings preceding the revival service will be evangelistic in character.

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Following is the programme for the Junior League social to be held at the M. E. church tomorrow evening: Musical selection on the organ, Lizzie Herlich; recitation, Florence Mead; singing. Willie Kennedy, Asa Huff and Willie Giddis; drill, by little girls; song, by Rev. Mr. Custard: dialogue by Lulu Gise and Nellie Brown; recitation, Frank Custard; song, chorus of girls; recitation, Sadie Tilton; song, Alice Apgar; "The Junior Leaguer," Bessie Vail; singing, "Let the Sun Shine In," Junior League. Refreshments will be served and a social hour will be enjoyed by all. A silver collection will be taken, the proceeds to be applied to furnishing the class room. Everybody is welcome.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Frank Sykes, of New York, spent Tuesday with friends here.

James Redden and Eugene Garey killed eighteen rabbits up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Some of them were shot in dooryards.

Every dog and gun owned around here were out hunting yesterday. Neither a dog or gun could be hired in the place for love or money yesterday.

MUST FILE PETITIONS.

National Democrats and Prohibitionists Vote Under Legal Limit.

There were cast in the State last Tuesday 367,938 ballots. This was an increase of 29,709 over the vote cast in 1892. In eight of the twenty-one counties McKinley electors had more of a plurality than the Bryan electors had votes. The Prohibition vote fell off 2,590 from the vote cast four years ago. The National Democracy polled more votes than the Prohibition candidates, and is therefore the third party. So far as the State law recognizes there are but two parties in the State. The vote cast entitled a party to recognition to nominate by convention must be 2 percent of the total vote cast. Two per cent would be 7,356. Only the Repulican and Democratic nominees polled more than this. The Prohibitionists and National Democrats must file petitions to have their candidates' names printed on official ballots. In some of the counties the National Democrats will be able to nominate county officers by convention. The four smaller parties polled a combined vote of less than 5 per cent of the total vote cast.

Seventy-first Birthday.

The Youth's Companion will celebrate its seventy-first birthday in 1897. Among the many attractive announcements of the Companion for the com year is an article of exceptional value by Mr. Andrew Carnegie, on "The Habit of Thrift." Successful men in their walks of life will second Mr. Carnegie's paper with readable, practical articles based on their own experience, and valuable to the old as well as to the young.

—The Young Ladies' Society of the Monroe Avenue chapel will hold an entertainment in the chapel next Tuesday evening.

—The 7 03 o'clock train to New York, last evening, struck and killed a fox terrier dog in front of the North avenue station. The animal was thrown high in the air, and Edward Martin gave it a respectable burial.

—There were two recruits mustered in at the meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., held last evening. At the next meeting there will be a report from the fair committee and nominations for officers will take place.

—August Heinricks, an employee at Chapot's chamois factory, started to walk home from the works, at 6 o'clock, last night, and at the corner of Grant avenue and Front street, some rapid bicycle rider came in collision with him, knocking him from his feet. Mr. Heinrichs was somewhat cut and bruised about the lower limbs, and as usual the bicyclist rode away, without even waiting to ascertain the extent of the injuries.

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BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—A meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association will be held tonight.

—John Smith, of Greenbrook road, is having a stone walk laid in front of his house.

—The work on the new hospital building is being pushed rapidly to completion.

—The members of Engine Company No. 2 will meet in regular session tomorrow evening.

—A stone walk is being laid on the Somerset street side of the Grace M.E. church property.

—Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R.A.M., will hold a regular communication tomorrow evening.

—The women of Trinity Reformed church met yesterday and spent the afternoon quilting.

—The Zephyr Hook and Ladder team were clipped yesterday by Geo. Feiring, of fire headquarters.

—Opening of winter hats and bonnets Thursday, 12th inst., at Mrs. L. Adams', 114 East Front street.

—Franklin Conneil, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., will probably initiate several candidates tomorrow evening.

—Anchor Lodge, No. 149, met in the Babcock building last evening and conferred the E. A. degree on one candidate.

—The Coward building on Park avenue is being treated to a coat of paint, which will improve the appearance of the building very much.

—Joseph Allen, who has been employed at Chapot & Sons' factory in the West End, has laid off from work and went today to Woodhaven, L. I.

—The different Sunday-schools in town will soon begin to arrange for the annual Christmas celebration. Already some of the schools are forming plans.

—Local hunters report seeing two full-grown deer near New Providence yesterday. The animals were decidedly wild, for the hunters could not get within gunshot of them.

—The vaults for the City National Bank were shipped yesterday and are expected soon. The officials hope to take possession of the new bank by Jan. 1.

—Among the distinguished guests at the sociable given by Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., last evening, was State Council Secretary J. R. Rollinson, of Rahway.

—"Willie, I am glad to see that you are doing the errands quicker. Where were you going when I saw you flying down the street an hour ago?" "Oh, I was going down to Peck's for mamma."

—Fire was discovered in the woods near Netherwood yesterday afternoon and Chief Doane drove to the place. He found that no damage could result from the fire, and it was allowed to burn out.

—Rev. James R. Morris, State Superintendent of the Christian Alliance work in New Jersey, will address the meeting of the Plainfield Branch tomorrow evening at 7:45 in the parlors of the W. C. T. U. on Watchung avenue.

—Progress is making on the new street being cut through from West Front street to connect with Myrtle avenue in Washington Park. On both sides of the brook grading is going on, and all that remains now to be done is to erect the bridge over Green brook, and Plainfield and North Plainfield will be connected by another main thoroughfare, similar to the Grove street and Washington avenue roads.

—Prof. Herman Hovemann, one of the best known teachers of voice culture in New York, has opened a studio in town at 322 West Front street. Mr. Hovemann has sung with the greatest success all over Europe and America. He was primo basso on the Metropolitan Opera, and with Clara Louise Kellogg's English Opera Company; and also one of the soloists of the Arion Society of New York on their triumphal tour through Europe. His efficiency as a teacher is demonstrated by the great number of his pupils who are filling positions in concerts, operas and churches. Mr. Hovemann will be at his Plainfield studio Mondays and Thursdays from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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RECTOR DYER RESIGNS.

Metuchen May Soon Have Another Minister.

Metuchen has heard that Rev. E. Paige Dyer has resigned, his resignation to go into effect on Dec. 16. Dr. Dyer is the rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church. He succeded Dr. H. H. P. Roche, rector for many years. Dr. Roche was a bachelor.

Dr. Dyer assumed the rectorate in August last, hailing from Philadelphia. He was considered a good preacher. Saturday night, when the vestrymen met in regular session, he surprised them by tendering his resignation. In it he stated that he desired to give up the rectorship for "family reasons." The reasons it is understood are that Mrs. Dyer does not like Metuchen.

The official board is expected to accept the resignation.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—An unknown dog was killed this morning on the Central Railroad near Park avenue.

—The literary society of Monroe Avenue chapel has prepared an excellent programme for their meeting on Friday evening.

—There will be an entertainment this evening in the Mt. Pleasant chapel under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—The appeal case of Eliza Ford against Kathering Lawrence was tried yesterday in the county court. The Judge reserved decision.

—An entertainment by the Golden Rule Circle, King's Daughters, will be given tomorrow night at Grace M. E. church. Music, recitations and stereopticon views.

—While Frank Hand was working at the new City National Bank building a large piece of iron fell on his foot. The injury is not serious, though it makes Mr. Hand very lame.

—C. W. Lines, the mason and contractor, broke ground this morning for a dwelling house on Fairview avenue, near Verdon avenue. John Abbott, the owner, will do the carpenter work.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders met at Somerville yesterday and transacted routine business. The Board will meet again on Saturday and receive bids for macadamiz- Mountain avenue.

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Funeral services from his late residence, on Friday, November 13, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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WANTED—Girl, white, for housework, small family, references. Cor. Woodland and South avenues.

WANTED—In a private family, where there are no other boarders, accomodations for man and wife; must be first-class in every particular, will pay well for good accomodations. Address with particulars, to D. J. Kelly, 78 Walker street, New York. 11 11 2

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FOR SALE—House of five rooms with large lot. Price $1000, easy payments. Wm. D. Thickstun, 197 North a enue. 11 6 eod-tf

TO LET—Rooms to professionals or nurses, furnished to suit with services, from $2 to $3 per week. Address M., care Press. 11 10 6

WANTED—Team of well broken matched horses, in exchange for one horse and balance cash. Apply 830 Central avenue. 11 9 2

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Will find here the most complete line of stable and road blankets. Our stable blankets tall have the patent surcingle attachment. We sell a good blanket for 98c.

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Wine glasses	2c
Goblets	2½c
Tumblers	1½c
½ gal pitchers	19c
Fruit bowls, 6 styles	9c

Granite Ware.

Just received a large invoice which we will put on sale at remarkable low prices, of which here are a few specimens:

Wash basins	10c
Oval dish pans	48c
Cullenders	19c
Fry pans	29c
2 and 3 qt sauce pans	19c
3 qt tea or coffee pots	43c

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CHAPTER VII.

The youth cringed as if discovered at a crime. By heavens, they had won after all. The imbecile line had remained and become victors. He could hear cheering.

He lifted himself upon his toes and looked in the direction of the fight. A yellow fog lay wallowing on the tree tops. From beneath it came the clatter of musketry. Hoarse cries told of an advance.

He turned away, amazed and angry. He felt that he had been wronged. The brittle blue line had withstood the blows and won. He grew bitter over it. It seemed that the blind ignorance and stupidity of those little pieces had betrayed him. He had been overturned and crushed by their lack of sense in holding the position, when intelligent deliberation would have convinced them that it was impossible. He, the enlightened man who looks afar in the dark, had fled because of his superior perceptions and knowledge. He felt a great anger against his comrades. He knew it could be proven that they had been fools.

He went from the field into a thick woods as if resolved to bury himself. He wished to get out of hearing of the rackling shots which were to him like voices.

The ground was cluttered with vines and bushes and the trees grew close and spread out like bouquets. He was obliged to force his way with much noise. The creepers, catching against his legs, cried out harshly as their sprays were torn from the barks of the trees. The swishing saplings tried to make known his presence to the world. He could not conciliate the forest. As he made his way it was always calling out protestations. When he separated embraces of trees and vines the disturbed foliages waved their arms and turned their face-leaves towards him. He dreaded lest these noisy motions and cries should bring men to look at him. So he went far, seeking dark and intricate places.

After a time the sound of musketry grew faint and the cannon boomed in the distance. The sun, suddenly apparent, blazed among the trees. The insects were making rhythmical noises. They seemed to be grinding their teeth in unison. A woodpecker stuck his impudent head around the side of a tree. A bird flew on light-hearted wing.

Off was the rumble of death. It seemed now that nature had no ears.

He went again into the deep thickets. The brushed branches made a noise that drowned the sounds of cannons. He walked on, going from obscurity into promises of a greater obscurity.

At length he reached a place where the high, arching boughs made a chapel. He softly pushed the green doors aside and entered. Pine needles were a gentle brown carpet. There was a religious half-light.

Near the threshold, he stopped horror-stricken at the sight of a thing.

He was being looked at by a dead man who was seated with his back against a column-like tree. The corpse was dressed in a uniform that once had been blue, but was now faded to a melancholy shade of green. The eyes, staring at the youth, had changed to the dull hue to be seen on the side of a dead fish. The mouth was opened. Its red had changed to an appalling yellow. Over the gray skin of the face ran little ants. One was trundling some sort of a bundle along the upper lip.

HE STOPPED HORROR-STRICKEN.

The youth gave a shriek as he confronted the thing. He was, for moments, turned to stone, before it. He remained staring into the liquid-looking eyes. The dead man and the living man exchanged a long look. Then the youth cautiously put one hand behind him and brought it against a tree. Leaning upon this, he retreated, step by step, with his face still toward the thing. He feared, that if he turned his back, the body might spring up and stealthily pursue him.

The branches, pushing against him, threatened to throw him over it. His unguided feet, too, caught aggravatingly in brambles. And, with it all, he received a subtle suggestion to touch the corpse. As he thought of his hand upon it, he shuddered profoundly.

At last he burst the bounds which had fastened him to the spot and fled, unheeding the underbrush. He was pursued by a sight of the black ants swarming greedily upon the gray face and venturing near to the eyes.

After a time he paused, and, breathless and panting, listened. He imagined some strange voice would come from the dead throat and squawk after him in horrible menaces.

The trees about the portal of the chapel moved slightly in a soft wind. A sad silence was upon the little guarding edifice.

CHAPTER VIII.

The trees began softly to sing a hymn of twilight. The burnished sun sank until slanted bronze rays struck the forest. There was a lull in the noises of insects as if they had bowed their beaks and were making a devotional pause. There was silence save for the chanted chorus of the trees.

Then, upon this stillness, there suddenly broke a tremendous clangor of sounds. A crimson roar came from the distance.

The youth stopped. He was transfixed by this terrific medley of all noises. It was as if worlds were being rended. There was the rippling sound of musketry and the creaking crash of the artillery.

His mind flew in all directions. He conceived the two armies to be at each other panther-fashion. He listened for a time. Then he began to run in the direction of the battle. He saw that it was an ironical thing for him to be running thus toward that which he had been at such pains to avoid. But he said, in substance, to himself that if the earth and moon were about to clash, many persons would doubtless plan to get upon roofs to witness the collision.

As he ran, he became aware that the forest had stopped its music, as if at last becoming capable of hearing the foreign sounds. The trees hushed and stood motionless. Everything seemed to be listening to the crackle and clatter and ear-shaking thunder. The chorus pealed over the still earth.

It suddenly occurred to the youth that the fight in which he had been, was, after all, but perfunctory popping. In the hearing of this present din, he was doubtful if he had seen real battle-scenes. This uproar explained a celestial battle; it was tumbling hordes a-struggle in the air. He went rapidly on. He wished to come to the edge of the forest that he might peer out.

As he hastened, there passed through his mind pictures of stupendous conflicts. His accumulated thoughts upon such subjects were used to form scenes. The noise was as the voice of an eloquent being, describing.

Sometimes the brambles formed chains and tried to hold him back. Trees, confronting him, stretched out their arms and forbade him to pass. After its previous hostility this new resistence of the forest filled him with a fine bitterness. It seemed that nature could not be quite ready to kill him.

But he obstinately took roundabout ways and presently he was where he could see long gray walls of vapor, where lay battle lines. The voices of cannon shook him. The musketry sounded in long irregular surges that played havoc with his ears. He stood regardent for a moment. His eyes had an awe-struck expression. He gawked in the direction of the fight.

Presently he proceeded again on his forward way. The battle was like the grinding of an immense and terrible machine to him. Its complexities and powers, its grim processes, fascinated him. He must go close and see it produce corpses.

He came finally to a road from which he could see in the distance dark and agitated bodies of troops, smoke-fringed. In the lane was a blood-stained crowd streaming to the rear. The wounded men were cursing, groaning and wailing. In the air, always, was a mighty swell of sound that it seemed could sway the earth. With the courageous words of the artillery and the spiteful sentences of the musketry were mingled red cheers. And from this region of noises came the steady current of the maimed.

One of the wounded men had a shoeful of blood. He hopped like a schoolboy in a game. He was laughing hysterically.

One was swearing that he had been shot in the arm through the commanding general's mismanagement of the army.

Another had the gray seal of death already upon his face. His lips were curled in hard lines and his teeth were clenched. His hands were bloody from where he had pressed them upon his wound. He seemed to be awaiting the moment when he should pitch headlong. He stalked like the specter of a soldier, his eyes burning with the power of a stare into the unknown.

There were some who proceeded sullenly, full of anger at their wounds and ready to turn upon anything as an obscure cause.

The youth joined the crowd and marched along with it. The torn bodies expressed the awful machinery in which the men had been entangled.

Orderlies and couriers occasionally broke through the throng in the roadway, scattering wounded men right and left, galloping on, followed by howls. The melancholy march was continually disturbed by the messengers and sometimes by bustling batteries that came swinging and thumping down upon them, the officers shouting orders to clear the way.

There was a tattered man, fouled with dust, blood and powder stain from hair to shoes, who trudged quietly at the youth's side. He was listening with eagerness and much humility to the lurid descriptions of a bearded sergeant. His lean features wore an expression of awe and admiration. He was like a listener in a country store to wondrous tales told among the sugar barrels. He eyed the story-teller with unspeakable wonder. His mouth was a-gap in yokel fashion.

The sergeant taking note of this gave pause to his elaborate history while he administered a sardonic comment. "Be careful, honey, you'll be catching flies," he said.

The tattered man shrank back abashed.

After a time he began to sidle near to the youth and in a diffident way tried to make him a friend. His voice was gentle as a girl's voice and his eyes were pleading. The youth saw with surprise that the soldier had two wounds, one in the head, bound with a blood-soaked rag and the other in the arm, making that member dangle like a broken bough.

After they had walked together for some time, the tattered man mustered sufficient courage to speak. "Was pretty good fight, wasn't it?" he timidly said. The youth, deep in thought, glanced up at the bloody and grim figure with its lamb like eyes. "What?"

"Was pretty good fight, wasn't it?"

"Yes," said the youth, shortly. He quickened his pace.

But the other hobbled industriously after him.

"Was pretty good fight, wasn't it?" he persisted, in a small voice. And then he achieved the fortitude to continue: "Dern me, if I ever see fellers fight so. Laws, how they did fight. I knew the boys would lick when they once got square at it. The boys ain't had no fair chance up to now, but, this time, they showed what they was. I knew it would turn out this way. You can't lick them boys. No sir. They're fighters, they be."

He breathed a deep breath of humble admiration.

His homely face was suffused with a light of love for the army which was to him all things beautiful and powerful.

After a time, he turned to the youth. "Where you hit, old boy?" he asked in a brotherly tone.

The youth felt instant panic at this question, although at first its full import was not borne in upon him.

"What?" he asked.

"Where you hit?" repeated the tattered man.

"Why?" began the youth. "I—I—that is—why—I—"

He turned away suddenly and slid through the crowd. His brow was heavily flushed, and his fingers were picking nervously at one of his buttons. He bended his head and fastened his eyes studiously upon the button as if it were a little problem.

The tattered man looked after him in astonishment.

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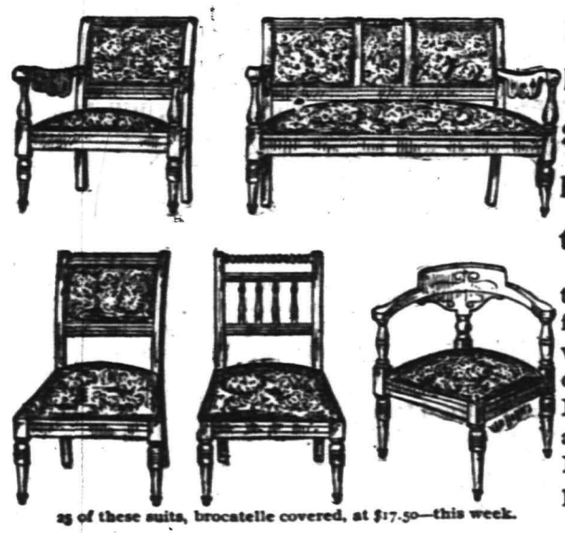

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 07, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 00, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 7 56, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10 a m; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 13, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, 6 40, 7 05, 8 30, 9 22, 10 17, 11 38 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 9 33, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 30, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 15, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 30, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 59, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43 5 14, 6 25, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 09, [6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35 7 45, 8 19 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 35, 4 35, 5 38, 6 08 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m Sunday 8 28, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 30, 5 10, 6 35, 8 08, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p, m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 03 a m; 6 40, 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 08, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 08 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 38 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, 7 06, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Boynton Beach 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m., 1 15, 2 30, p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 4 48, p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 24*, 6 46*, 8 31, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, 6 35*, p. m. 1 17 night.

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New York, Nov. 11.—Chairman Mark A. Hanna is very busy to-day at republican national headquarters winding up the business details of the campaign so that everything will be in apple-pie order before he leaves the city this evening for his home in Cleveland. President-elect McKinley will visit Mr. Hanna in Cleveland and be his guest for a week. It is expected that this meeting between Major McKinley and Mr. Hanna will produce important results and that the personnel of the new cabinet will be pretty well decided before the president-elect's visit comes to an end. A delegation from the Virginia state committee called upon Gen. Osborne at republican headquarters yesterday afternoon and made an extended report to him concerning the alleged election frauds in Virginia. The delegation consisted of James D. Brady and Judge E. Waddell, jr. The republicans claim that they were cheated out of the vote of Virginia. Gen. Osborne stated that the matter would be carefully inquired into by the republican national committee and any person guilty of violating the election law would be prosecuted. Mr. Hanna when asked if he was going to make any other statement regarding the political situation before he left New York replied: "The time is past for statements."

ELECTION EXPENSES.

Certificates Filed by Candidates with the New York Secretary of State.

Albany, Nov. 11.—Wilbur F. Porter, the democratic candidate for governor, has filed with the secretary of state a certificate, stating that his election expenses were $620, of which $100 were paid for lithographs, $250 for traveling expenses, and $100 contributed to the Jefferson county committee. Lyman C. Smith of Syracuse, republican candidate for presidential elector, gave $1,000 to the state committee and $750 to the Onondaga county committee. James G. Cutler of Rochester, republican candidate for presidential elector, expended $450. Frank P. Hulette, democratic congressional candidate in the 30th district, spent $213. Robert C. Titus, democratic candidate for judge of the court of appeals gave $500 to the democratic state committee and spent $200 for rent of Music hall in Buffalo. Lansing M. Howland of Washington county, republican elector, spent $540, of which $500 went to the republican state committee. Eugene B. Travis, democratic candidate for congress in the 16th district, expended $382. District attorney John R. Fellows of New York, a gold democratic elector, had no election expenses.

BLIZZARD IN THE WEST.

The Heaviest Snow Storm in Two Years at Marshfield, Wis.

Marshfield, Wis., Nov. 11.—A blizzard of the first magnitude is blowing here. Snow fell irregularly since last Thursday, and last night more fell than at any one time in the last two years. About six inches has already fallen and with the same density as at first. Indications point to at leat a foot before evening.

Leadville, Col., Nov. 11.—The heaviest snowfall in years at this season now prevails here.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 11.—Snow to the depth of six to twelve inches fell in this section last night and to-day.

Trouble over a Site for Bacchante Statue.

Boston, Nov. 11.—There is a possibility that the statue of Bacchante may be given a place in the courtyard of the public library after all. The trustees of the library have asked the art commission to reconsider its decision against the propriety of placing the statue in the place for which it was intended by Architect McKim, and the commissioners promised to consider the matter of reconsideration.

Knows Nothing About a New Line.

Philadelphia, Nov. 11.—A member of the firm of William Cramp & Sons, the ship-builders of this city, when called on this morning relative to the story published under a San Francisco date to the effect that they with other American capitalists and business men would establish a steamship line on the Pacific, said that the firm knew nothing whatever of the project and in fact had never heard of it.

An Italian Socialist Leader Coming.

Rome, Nov. 11.—At the invitation of Italian socialists in America, Signor Verro, who was convicted of having taken part in the Sicilian rising, has started for the United States. He will visit New York, Boston and Philadelphia, and will organize the Italian socialist residents of those cities.

Bicycles as Baggage.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 11.—The New Haven Railroad company has revoked the order requiring bicyclers when their wheels are caraied by the company either to detach cyclometers, lanterns, and other attachments or to sign a paper relieving the company in case of injury to them.

Postoffice Fraud Order.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The postmaster general has issued a fraud order against the New York Investment company of 40 and 42 Broadway, New York city. The ground for the action is the failure to respond after the receipt of money from alleged victims.

An Old Hotel Burned.

Williamstown, Mass., Nov. 11.—The Bardwell house, one of this town's oldest hotels, was burned yesterday afternoon. The furniture was saved.

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Northfield, Vt., Nov. 11.—Rev. Allan D. Brown of Brattleboro was elected president of the Norwich university at a special meeting of the trustees.

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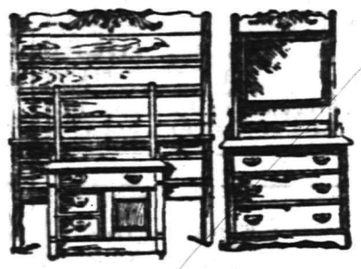

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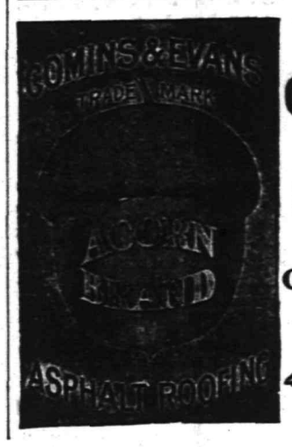

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PHILIPPINE REVOLT.

Rebels Suffer a Severe Defeat with Heavy Losses.

Manila, Nov. 11.—The Spanish forces have won a brilliant victory over the insuagents at Noveleta. The rebel positions were strongly fortified, and there was desperate fighting before they were taken. The insurgents lost 400 and the Spaniards thirty-three killed.

Expects Reciprocity.

Montreal, Nov. 11.—General Manager Hayes of the Grand Trunk railway said, in the course of an interview on Major McKinley's election, that he believed McKinley's administration would be a strictly business one, and that he would be fully alive to any advantages to be obtained from a reciprocity treaty between the United States and Canada, and, as indicated in the republican platform, willing to negotiate such treaty. "It seems to me," Mr. Hayes said, "there must be many ways in which this would be mutually advantageous."

Election of French Senators.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The chamber of deputies last night, by a vote of 273 to 254, decided, despite the opposition of the government, to discuss on Nov. 16 the mode of electing senators. It was a snatch division and no serious developments are expected to follow the defeat of the government.

A North Carolina Town Swept by Fire.

Suffolk, Va., Nov. 11.—A conflagration swept over the business portion of Gatesville, the county seat of Gates county, N. C., early in the morning. Among the losses are the Riddick hotel and several leading stores. There was practically no insurance.

Santa Fe Receivership.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 11.—Ex-Chief Justice Horton has discovered that the alien land law, under which the recent action for a receiver of the Santa Fe was brought, was never passed by the Kansas legislature and its publication in the statutes was an error.

Situation in Constantinople Dangerous.

London, Nov. 11.—The Daily News' Vienna correspondent telegraphs that reports from Constantinople show that the situation there is very dangerous. The families of most of the diplomats have left the city.

Sagasta Has Dyspnoea.

London, Nov. 11.—The Standard today publishes a dispatch from Alicante saying that Senor Sagasta, ex-Spanish prime minister, has dyspnoea (difficulty of breathing. His condition is somewhat grave.

New York Excise Agents.

Albany, Nov. 11.—State Excise Commissioner Lyman has appointed as special agents, George E. DeFreest of Lansingburgh and C. E. Nichols of Jefferson, N. Y. The salary is $1,200.

Wayside Subtleties.

Wayworn Watson—These here newspaper writers is too high for me. What is the difference between livin and existin, I want to know?

Perry Patettic—Heaps—miles, oceans. A man can exist on bread and meat, but he has to have booze to really live. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Collecting Craze.

"Mrs. Van Twitter is such an original creature."

"What has she been doing lately?"

"Collecting souvenir husbands. Inside of six months she has had one from St. Louis, one from Denver and one from San Francisco."—Chicago Record.

Alligator Fashion.

"I like the looks of the high standing collar," said Cholly. "The only objection I've got against it is that when you chew gum you have to hold your jaw still and move the whole top of your head, you know."—Chicago Tribune.

TEN YEARS IN PRISON

Sentence Imposed Upon ex-Treasurer Morrison at Troy.

PLEAD GUILTY TO EMBEZZLEMENT

Downfall of the Prominent ex-Bank Cashier and Treasurer, Popular Merchant, Society Man and Official of Rensselaer County.

Troy, N. Y., Nov. 11.—In the supreme court in this city yesterday afternoon ex-county treasurer George H. Morrison pleaded guilty to two indictments for misappropriating county funds and was sentenced to ten years and five months in Clinton prison. His decision to plead guilty was determined upon shortly after the reconvening of court for the afternoon session. Morrison is ex-cashier of the National bank of Troy, and prior to the first week in October was county treasurer of Rensselaer county. Immediately after the closing of the doors of that bank, rumors affecting the solvency of Morrison and relative to his management of the affairs of the county treasurership became prevalent. He subsequently transferred to his bondsmen all his real and personal property, valued at about $190,000. On the same day as the transfer Morrison was taken into custody on a warrant charging grand larceny in misappropriating about $20,000 due to the city of Troy for money collected under the Raines law. He was bailed on this charge, the bond being for $40,000. A day or two later, as a result of the investigation of the accounts of the county treasurer by the board of supervisors, he was again taken into custody on a charge of grand larceny in misappropriating $250,000 of county funds. He was indicted by a grand jury two weeks ago, and his trial was commenced yesterday. The specific indictment on which the accused was sentenced was for refusing to pay to his successor as county treasurer two distinct sums of money. Mr. Morrison is 46 years of age, and has always resided in Troy. He is a member of the Rensselaer county bar, and has been prominent in manufacturing and banking circles for a number of years.

GEORGIA SENATORSHIP.

No Indications of a Break in the Democratic Caucus Deadlock.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 11.—The democratic senatorial caucus, which adjourned from 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon until 8 o'clock, continued balloting until a late hour without result, when the caucus adjourned until tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The last ballot, the 23d, was as follows: Atkinson, 51; Clay, 52; Howell, 39; Lewis, 15; Evans, nothing; Roberson, nothin. It looks like a long deadlock. Scattering votes were cast for F. G. Dubignon of Chatham, ex-secretary Hoke Smith and Sam Jones.

Queer River in Peru.

In the long costal desert of Peru, which is 2,000 miles in length, but only 120 miles broad at its widest part, the rivers, Maj. A. F. Pears says, disappear in the dry season and begin to flow again in February or March when rain falls in the Cordilleras. One of the most important of these rivers is the Piura, the return of whose waters is welcomed with great rejoicings by the inhabitants of its banks. About the time when "the coming of the river" is expected, eager inquiries as to the progress of the water are put to all persons who chance to come from the head of the valley, and when the water approaches the town of Piura processions go out and meet it and escort its first trickling stream down the dry river bed with music and fireworks. At the outskirts of the city thousands of people greet its arrival.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:43 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:45 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:45 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The members of the Y. M. C. A. football team will meet at the Jersey Cycle Academy tonight and Friday night for practice. It is very necessary that all candidates for the team who wish to play in the Westfield game on Saturday should be present.

The long postponed game between the Alis eleven and the second team of Pingry's School, of Elizabeth, will be played in that city next Tuesday if the weather permits. The Plainfield boys will find dangerous opponents in the Elizabeth team, for the latter have had the advantages of a regular coach and numerous candidates.

The Alis football team seems to be in hard luck this year, so far as scheduling games are concerned. The expected to play the Paterson High School at Paterson on Saturday, but a letter has been received from the captain of the latter team in which the game was cancelled. Now the Alis boys don't know who they will play on that date.

Interest in the game at Westfield next Saturday, between the Y.M.C.A. team of this city and the Westfield eleven, is rising to a high pitch. The Plainfield players will go down via stage and will meet in front of the Balcock building at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. A big crowd of enthusiasts are expected to accompany the team and will root for the local eleven in good old fashion. All who attend the game from Plainfield are requested to wear the colors of the team, maroon and black.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Frank L. C. Martin found his wheel and instead of some naughty rascal having possession of it, the missing wheel was found in Moy's Pharmacy. The clerk had seen it outside and when he locked up at night, had taken the wheel in for safe keeping. Now Mr. Martin rejoices exceedingly, but declares that he has learned a lesson.

A party, composed of Tieger and Harry Hines, of Orange, Edward Ward and Fred Keer, of Newark, all members of the Essex Bicycle Club, and George M. Macintyre, E. H. Bogardus and F. L. C. Martin, of this city, on the Cleveland triplet, rode to Philadelphia, yesterday, via New Brunswick, Princeton and Trenton. The ride was a very enjoyable one and various adventures along the route lent some excitement to the ride. All arrived in Philadelphia without accident and then returned by train.

WHIST.

The New Jersey Whist Association ietends to play sixteen men against the same number from the New England Whist Association for the auxiliary association trophy at Boston, Saturday, December 5th.

The interclub contest between clubs of the State Association, which begins Tuesday evening, November 17th, will be played by teams of four instead of eight. Many of the clubs will enter two "fours," and in some cases three "fours."

The Park club will play again for the New Jersey State whist trophy on Friday night. The challenging team is from the Jersey City Whist Club. The Jersey City team is a rather uncertain quantity, as it has been recently changed and has not yet had a chance to show its strength.

H. A. Dunbar, one of the strongest players of this State, and chairman of the card committee of the Ridgewood Club, at Ridgewood, has been prevented from playing in any of the games in the State for some time owing to illness. The whist players will shortly have the pleasure of seeing him again at the whist table, as he is fast recovering.

AT THE TRAPS.

The Climax Gun Club will hold its regular monthly shoot this afternoon.

John U. Reger, of North Adams, Mass., editor, was a pleasant caller at the Press office yesterday. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman, of Duer street.

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CENTRIFUGAL FORCE.

Able Dissertation in a Stage Coach Which Mr. Lincoln Remembered.

"I see that Col. Thomas Nelson, of Terre Haute, is dead," recently remarked A. M. Murphy to a Globe-Democrat reporter. "Nelson belonged to that class of individuals to whom the growing generation invariably refer as gentlemen of the 'old school.'

"Col. Nelson possessed a rich fund of humor and he enjoyed telling a story just as well if the joke were on him as when the other fellow caught it.

"At an old settlers' meeting in Terre Haute in 1885 Col. Nelson related a story about his first meeting with Abraham Lincoln. It was in the antebellum days of stage coaches. One morning the stage arrived at Terre Haute from Paris, Ill., and stopped at the Clark house, the principal hotel in the city in those days, and among the passengers was a long, lanky individual, who, after partaking of breakfast, resumed his journey to Indianapolis. Col. Nelson was one of the passengers and on the way endeavored to scrape an acquaintance with the lanky-looking passenger. The latter told several funny stories in the course of their rather tedious journey. Nevertheless the colonel took his fellow-passenger for some green country merchant on his way to Indianapolis to replenish his stock of groceries, hardware, etc. The colonel also talked very learnedly and soon the stranger was gazing upon him in a manner that evidently betokened admiration of the great wisdom of his traveling companion.

"Arriving at their destination the colonel put up at the principal hotel, and after making an elaborate toilet made his way to the hotel office. There he observed his fellow-passenger, the central figure of a group of gentlemen, most of whom were well known to the colonel. Stepping up to the clerk he inquired as to the identity of the tall individual, and his eye was guided by the finger of the clerk to the open register, where he read: 'A. Lincoln,' written in a bold hand. A coating of moisture oozed through the pores of the colonel's countenance; he was thunderstruck, dumfounded, and hastily calling for his 'carpetsack' sought quarters elsewhere.

"In 1861 the friends of Col. Nelson succeeded in securing an appointment for him, and Gov. Morton, who was in Washington, telegraphed the colonel to come on, and when he arrived at the capital he was told that he would probably be appointed minister to Chili. When he made his call upon the president it was with the hope that Mr. Lincoln would not recognize in him the stage-coach passenger who had aired his erudition during the journey of a few years before.

"Mr. Lincoln greeted him cordially, and after notifying him of his appointment and expressing the hope that he would accept, looked at the colonel with a merry twinkle in his eye and said: 'Col. Nelson, do you know I have often thought of your talk on centrifugal force during the stage-coach ride? Now, colonel, I am going to toss you away off to Chili.'" — St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Tales of Hoary Old Egypt.

Many centuries before recorded history begins the old Egyptians had developed a religion, an architecture and a mode of life of which imperishable traces are found to-day. Before Herodotus wrote or Homer sung, before the sacred songs of Hindostan were dreamed of, before the first books of the Bible were put into writing, the Egyptian hieroglyphics recorded on the walls of their temples and tombs or on the scrolls of their papyri the mysteries of their religion, the doings of their kings or the stories of their chief reciters. Maspero, the great French Egyptologist, first gave these stories to the modern world, but to the skill and scholarship of Flinders Petrie the world owes the first useful and entertaining form in which the earliest romances of the childhood of the world appear in English. There are many of these stories. In them appear the prototypes of characters in fiction that have been used by writers in all ages and all languages. In one story told by King Khufu's reciter at command of that monarch, who even in his early days was aweary of the hollow splendor and tedious ceremonials of his court, appears the original of "Sinbad."—N. Y. World.

An Irishman's Reply.

Judge Morton, of Virginia, used to tell a story of an Irishman who was brought before him for pommeling one of his friends in a fit of rage. He was sentenced to a month's imprisonment. "Now, Larry," said the judge, "you will have time to think of your folly. Thirty days in jail; your lost work; your family, without food; all because you thrashed a man against whom you say you have no grudge. Did it pay?" Larry looked up, with a shrewd smile. "Arrah, yer honor! Do ye mind the pleasure to me fists!" The thoughtful, earnest reformers who urge that all national disputes should be referred to arbitration, and not to the decision of brute force, should not overlook the strength of the savage instinct that is so powerful a factor in the decisions that influence the conduct of a large proportion of even ordinarily peaceable and large-minded men.—Youth's Companion.

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"Yes, sir."

(Inspecting himself in the glass after the operation.) "You didn't take that smudge of coal soot off my cheek."

"No, sir. I didn't know but you preferred to let it stay there."—Chicago Tribune.

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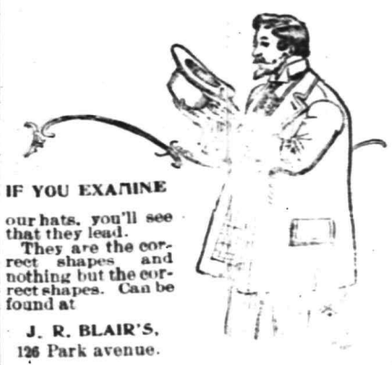

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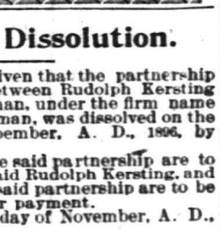

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Isaac Lederer's Drygoods Store Gutted by Flames.

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The Fire Was Started by Cotton Batting Coming in Contact With a Burning Gas Jet—Flames Spread Rapidly and Threatened the Business Center of the City—All The Stock Was Practically Ruined.

Plainfield saw the largest fire yesterday afternoon that she has seen for a long time but, thanks to the efficiency of her fire department, a much larger conflagration was prevented. The flames started in the basement of the dry goods establishment of Isaac Lederer, on West Front street, near Park avenue, and threatened the very heart of the city with destruction but after two hours of hard fighting the fire was completely extinguished after many thousand dollars worth of property had been lost by the combined effects of flames and water. The water was necessary, however, as, had it not been used so plentifully, the entire business section of the city might have burned out.

Yesterday was not a pleasant day, especially in the afternoon. The rain had been falling at intervals all day and everything was wet and muddy under foot. The hands of the town clock pointed to about 3:10 o'clock when two of the salesmen in Lederer's store went to the basement to arrange some new shelving for the cotton batting. They started to lift a case of the cotton batting from the shelf.

"Look out for the gas jet," called one of the other clerks. They looked, but only in time to see the inflamable cotton batting all ablaze, for they had accidentally carried it right into the flame from the gas jet.

Albert Lederer, son of the proprietor, was not far away, and he and the clerks tried to extinguish the flames. Water was brought in buckets and blankets were thrown over the blaze but the fire was spreading rapidly and the big rolls of matting and carpets caught. The smoke was so great that they were driven from the basement and soon from the store itself.

Mr. Lederer was at his desk and left it, books, money and all, and hurried out to give the alarm. R. J. Shaw heard the cries of fire and sent in an alarm from Box 12, across the street from the scene of the fire. When the alarm was sent in there was no sign of the fire on the outside, but soon a dense cloud of smoke rolled out of the windows and doors. It penetrated the upper story and warned the occupants of the rooms there to make their escape, which they did. Everyone in the building rushed into the street and all arrived there in safety.

It was less than a minute after the alarm blew that Alert Hose Company's wagon reached the scene, and the other apparatus were not far behind. To enter the store was impossible on account of the stifling smoke and the firemen were forced to remain at the door. Crash went one of the big plate glass windows, and the smoke poured out in an increasing volume. The fire was located in the basement, but the dense smoke made it impossible for the firemen to reach it

About ten minutes after the first alarm, Chief Doane sent in a second alarm and all the remaining apparatus responded. Seven lines of hose were laid, not including the stream from the chemical engine. One tank of the latter was discharged. The fire burned away furiously in the basement, and set fire to the beams of the first floor. One stream was used at the front entrance of the basement and three more were thrown into the store, while the other three were used in the rear of the building.

The big extension ladder was used for the first time at a fire, and allowed the men to reach the roof of the four story brick building without trouble. The windows were all opened to allow the smoke, that went up the stairway, to escape. William Addis, Jr., was overcome by the smoke while on the second floor opening the windows and had to be dragged out. It took some time for him to recover from the effects. R. B. Rogers, of No. 2 Engine Company, was also overcome by the smoke at the entrance and had to be carried out.

Part of the floor began to sink, and at 4.30 o'clock there was a loud crash and a portion of it over the heart of the fire gave way and show cases, counters and all went tumbling down in a confused mass on the wreck of the floor. The firemen turned their efforts especially to prevent the fire from reaching the first floor and in this they were successful. Holes were cut in the floor and torrants of water poured in through them.

George Studer climbed in the back

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FASHIONABLE WEDDING.

SOLEMNIZED AT THE HOME OF A. E. FABER LAST NIGHT.

The Bride was Miss Adelaide Rowley Storm and Gilbert E. Jordan the Groom—The Couple to Reside at Hudson.

A fashionable wedding last night was that of Miss Adelaide Rowley Storm, who was married at 6:30 o'clock, at the residence of her uncle, A. Edward Faber, 38 Rockview avenue, to Gilbert Everson Jordan, of Hudson, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, of the Church of the Redeemer.

The bride wore a gown of white peau de soie, trimmed with point lace, and a veil of tulle. She was given away by her uncle. The maids of honor were Miss Cornelia Faber and Miss Cora A. Reynolds, cousins of the bride. Mr. Jordan, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Charles E. and William R. Faber.

The house was profusely decorated with chrysanthemums, smilax, and ground pine. The decorations of the supper room were in pink and white. Following the supper was a large reception. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Edward Faber, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Dupee, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Phillips, Gustav Schipper, Miss Schipper, Mr. and Mrs. Martin I. Cooley, Miss Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Faber, Jr., Mrs. John Clapp, Miss Clapp, Miss Thompson, Miss Colton, Miss Long, Miss Brown, Willis Elton, Miss Elton, George Worth, Elston French, Miss A. T. Faber, H. C. Wells, the Misses Hasbrouck, R. I. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Arens, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCutchen, and Mrs. G. W. Faber and Rudolph C. Faber, of this city; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Theriot and Mr. and Mrs. Kidder, of Orange, N. J., and the Hon. and Mrs. Elsiffer, of Red Hook, N. J.

After a short wedding trip, the newly-wedded couple will take up their residence at Hudson, N. Y., where Mr. Jordan has large landed interests.

Wants Clemency.

John Kettylis, of Westfield, is circulating a petition, which is to be presented to the Court at Elizabeth next Saturday, when he comes up for sentence. The petition asks for the clemency of the Court, and has been signed by many of the town's people.

C. J. NOEL NOT A CITIZEN

WAS POSTMASTER AT NETHERWOOD FOR ONE TERM.

Appeared in Open Court at Elizabeth Yesterday and Took Out Naturalization Papers for Citizenship of the Country

Although but few are aware of the fact, a citizen of Canada has been postmaster of Netherwood. The man, who is probably one of a very few foreigners who ever held office in this country without being naturalized, is Charles J. Noel, a respected citizen of Plainfield, now living on Netherwood avenue.

Yesterday morning he appeared before Judge McCormick in open court at Elizabeth and took out his first naturalization papers to the complete astonishment of the few Plainfielders who happened to be in the court room at the time.

He was Netherwood's last postmaster before that office was consolidated with the Plainfield postoffice and the free delivery system extended into Netherwood. It was he who was one of the first to raise the Cuban flag over his residence, and claimed to be in communication with the Cuban rebels.

He was appointed postmaster by President Cleveland three years ago but never completed his full term on account of the consolidation. He fought the consolidation very vigoriously as will be remembered.

He was also a Democratic nominee for Councilman in the first ward a few years ago.

Residential Changes.

W. B. Perry and family, of New York, have leased Mrs. Morgan Taylor's house, on Rockview avenue, and will take possession at once. J. W. Jackson's house, on Third place, will be occupied beginning with December 1st, by F. G. Moore and family, of New York. Mrs. Mary Crooks, of New York, will occupy Miss Boorman's house, corner of Grove street and Rockview avenue, from November 16th. All of the above changes have been made through the real estate agency of E. C. Mulford & Son, of North avenue.

Named After the Vice-President-Elect.

Lewis Lowrie, the porter at Armstrong's pharmacy, is now wearing a very large smile. Its a boy and Lewis has named him Garret A. Hobart Lowrie, in honor of the Vice-President elect.

CHANGES IN TAX LAWS.

STATE BOARD OF TRADE MAKE SUGGESTIONS FOR AMENDMENTS.

No Change Wanted in the State Board of Assessors—Proposal to Tax Real Estate at True Value and Reach Corporations.

The Equal Taxation Committee of the State Board of Trade held a lengthy meeting in Trenton yesterday, at which they reported several recommendations for amendments to the State Tax laws in the interest of equal taxation. The amendments in brief as recommended are:

The continuance of the State Board of Assessors as it now exists. Make all Assessors of the State subject to the State Board of Taxation to be removed by Board for cause after a fair trial before the Board.

Do away with all local charters that now affect the general State Tax laws, and make all taxing districts subject to the State law and the State Board of Taxation.

All assessments to be made and completed between January and August 1st of each year, assessment notices to be delivered during the first two weeks in August and be advertised in the daily papers.

There shall be a poll, school, personal and real estate tax.

All male householders shall be assessed $1 a year as school tax. All corporation stocks and bonds to be assessed at the home office of such corporation, when in the State, and through the individual when holding the stocks or bonds of a foreign corporation.

All real estate shall be assessed according to its true value.

JOHNSON GETS A STAY.

Young Clawson's Friends Try to Have His Sentence Changed.

Chancellor McGill has granted a writ of right to the Court of Errors and Appeals in the case of Jacob Johnson, of Somerville, who is awaiting sentence of death for the murder of Annie Beekman. The Supreme Court recently rendered a decision overruling all the exceptions of Johnson's counsel, but his execution will now be delayed until next June.

Application was made the same day for a writ of error to the Supreme Court in the case of Elmer Clawson, under sentence for the murder of Harry Hodgetts. The motion was denied, and Clawson will be executed in December unless the Court of Pardons interferes Efforts are being made to have his sentence commuted to imprisonment for life.

HUNTING IN THE CITY LIMITS.

John Scott Fined $3 in City Court For That Offense.

Two men went hunting this morning but it was for different kinds of game. John Scott, a colored hunter of renown, went forth in search of the elusive "cotton tail" while Special Officer Stewart was looking for men. He didn't carry a double barrelled shot gun with which to bring their life to a sudden end as did the colored man but he was after them all the same.

Scott fired at the scampering animals several times and then Stewart fired at him. It was not a bullet that he fired, however, but only the remark that Scott was his prisoner as he had naughtily fired his gun within the city limits and thereby broken an ordinance.

Scott was arraigned before City Judge DeMeze, pleaded guilty and was fined $3.

Notes of the Red Men.

Paugh Caugh Naugh Sinque Tribe, No. 193, of the Improved Order of Red Men, met in regular session in the rooms in the Elkwood building last evening, and besides the usual routine of business, John H. Carney, interspersed business with pleasure and entertained the members with some of his German dialect.

Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, of the I. O. R. M., will work the adoption degree, on Friday night, with speaking by Messrs. Newcorn and Westphal and singing by Mr. Holstein, after which a collation will be served at Rudolph Spiegel's for the members and their friends.

A Big Lace Purchase.

J. Linn Edsall has just made one of the largest lace purchases that this house has ever made, from a large importing lace house, for a big lace sale. The laces were bought at special "cut" prices for this great special sale for the purpose of booming his lace department. The ad tells the story in another column.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no griping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

REAL ESTATE PICKS UP

SINCE ELECTION THERE IS MORE DEMAND AND BETTER PRICES.

A New Town Called Lincoln is Likely to Be Started This Winter Between Bound Brook and Dunellen, It is Said.

The Real Estate News will say in its issue of Saturday that since McKinley was declared elected real estate has advanced 10 per cent all along the line that it had depreciated 33 per cent. since January, 1893—on account of the nearly four years' premium caused by the silver agitation. Thousands, it says, were forced to offer their real estate for sale at sacrificed prices, and the supply greatly exceeded the demand.

The S. D. Drake Real Estate Company have sold more property in the last ten days than in the last two years. The New Jersey Realty Company, who purchased the 200 acres of land on the Central Railroad between Bound Brook and Dunellen, have sold about all the stock in the company necessary, and this company contemplate building twenty houses at this new town, called Lincoln, during the winter. The paving of the county road from Plainfield to Somerville this winter will give this section a new impetus, raise values and open up a beautiful section of the country. Arrangements are about completed to open up the road from New Bound Brook to Dunellen, 200 feet from the Central Railroad. The prices of real estate have reached low water mark, and shrewd investors are now looking about and securing bargains.

HOW THE BUILDING IS USED.

The Substance of the Report of the Rooms Committee of the Y. M. C. A.

The report for October of the Rooms Committee of the Y. M. C. A. shows many different uses the Y. M. C. A. building have been put to. The different committees of the Christian Endeavor Convention met there frequently and the headquarters of the missionary department and the '96 committee were established there during the convention. The Relief Associatian held a meeting there while the Town Improvement Association held several. The Bible class of Rev. D. M. Stearns was conducted in the large hall and a Sunday School for Chinamen was started in one of the class rooms by Mrs. Joseph M. Myers. The Primary Union, the the County Medical Association, the Parliamentary Club and the Yale Club also had the use of the rooms on several occasions. The building was prettily decorated for the parades of the Knights Templars, Firemen and Junior Endeavorers.

John Lindsay has resigned his position as janitor and Arthur Osbourne is temporarily filling the position. Nelson Runyon is chairman of the Rooms Committee.

A Narrow Escape.

Samuel Fenner, a clerk at J. Fred MacDonald's grocery store, narrowly escaped fatal injury, yesterday. He was assisting Ephraim Compton, another clerk, in putting several barrels of apples on the second floor by the aid of a pulley and rope. While the last barrel was going up a bolt in the machinery slipped out of place, allowing the barrel to fall a considerable distance. Mr. Fenner just got out of the way as the heavy load came down with a crash.

Only a Dog.

The police both in the city and borough were attracted to Westervelt avenue early this morning by four pistol shots, and it was reported that a woman had been killed. Investigation proved that one of the neighbors had only shot a dog, whose howlings had disturbed his slumbers

To be Presented December 3d.

It has been decided to have the performance of Robertson's Comedy of "Caste" take place at the Casino on December 3d, next. All seats will be reserved. Tickets can be obtained of the members of the members of the Union County Country Club.

The Graduating Class Meets.

A meeting of the class of '97 at Leal's School was held yesterday afternoon. Llewellyn Bull was elected president and William K. Dwight, J. Vincent Rittenhouse and Everett J. Peck were appointed a committee to secure designs for a class pin.

Lost the Tip of His Finger.

Clarence Noe, aged fifteen years, an employe of one of the local bicycle stores, suffered the loss of a tip of a finger while at work this morning. He went to the hospital and had the finger dressed.

Tetter, eczema and all similar skin troubles are cured by the use of DeWitt's Witch Hazell Salve. It soothes at once, and restores the tissue so their natural condition, and never fails to cure piles. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

TO MAKE BETTER CITIES.

MR. FROST'S REPORT OF MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT CONVENTION.

The Councilman Was Honored by Being Made a Member of the Committee on Sewers—To Make a Report in the Future

The following is the report of Councilman George H. Frost concerning his trip to the convention of the Society of Municipal Improvement held at Chicago:

Last meeting, as is known, I was made a delegate to the convention of the Society of Municipal Improvement at Chicago. I attended that convention which lasted four days, and I wish to say that it was an exceedingly interesting and profitable meeting.

The delegates there from the different cities were not simply civil engineers, as one might suppose, but there were mayors of several cities. The Boards of Public Works were very largely represented; the presidents of several Councils.

The city of Plainfield was the smallest city represented; in fact circulars had only been out to cities of 20,000 inhabitants, but, notwithstanding, the city of Plainfield was noted.

The subjects taken up were those generally discussed or of interest to municipal bodies. The subject of street pavement occupied very special attention, almost entirely to the laying of asphalt pavements. I learned enough from the discussion there to know that in so small a city as Plainfield it would be a very difficult matter to lay asphalt pavement with success, and in the laying of other pavements I think that Plainfield can be very much congratulated indeed to know that its trap rock is equal to any in the country, and that we have the means here to make as good roads as can be found anywhere in this country, and I know in my travels over the country, aside from the cities that are paved with stone or asphalt, that I find hardly any city that has as good streets as we have.

There is a very valuable paper on the subject of taxes and assessments and that will be submitted in the annual report which will come to the city which I am sure will be of a great deal of value to the city. Among other matters was that of sewers and sanitation. The cities being all of considerable size, I found that there was no single engineer there among them that had any knowledge of sewerage disposal on land. They are all turning into streams. Being considerable sized cities the subject of disposal on land was something that was practically unknown to them, so that I found when I spoke to them about the sewage disposal in Plainfield that it excited a great deal of interest, and I was instructed to prepare a report to be presented at the next meeting in Nashville, which I expect to do.

The subject of garbage is not a matter that is taken up and disposed of off-hand, but it is alway sone that is given considerable attention and a great deal of study, too. A representative of the city of Syracuse told their experience and it was not very favorable. A representative of the city of Minneapolis told about their garbage disposal and that after they had started a crematory influence was brought to bear so that they had to destroy it and go back to the old methods.

The president of the Board of Health of the city of Milwaukee gave a careful description of the system in Milwaukee. He said that the city should own the garbage disposal plant: and I found with talking with people generally the universal opinion was that it was very much better, in fact, it was almost a necessity for the city to own their garbage disposal instead of putting in into the hands of a private company.

On the subject of electric lighting there was a very elaborate paper. It was so large it could not be distributed around, and it will make quite a voluminous report when we come to get it. It can also be purchased for a low price and it will be of value to any municipal officer in the country.

The next meeting is to be held in Nashville next October, at the semi-centennial there.

I feel that the City of Plainfield was somewhat honored by having its delegate put on the committee on sewers, which is one of the principal committees, and I shall do my best to give them a pretty good paper next year.

TO DOUBLE THE CAPACITY

$1,700,000 TO BE SPENT BY THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

The Refinery at Constable Hook to be Enlarged, and it is Expected Hundreds of Men Will Find Employment There.

There is probably no better known corporation in the country than the Standard Oil Company, whose refineries are to be found in many of the principal cities. This company has felt the improvement in the times since the election, and is now planning a movement that will give employment, directly or indirectly to thousands of men.

It is reported that for some time the company has been planning to enlarge its present refinery at Constable Hook, near Bayonne, but only waited to see the result of the election. It is now planned to increase the refinery to double its present capacity which would make it one of the largest refineries in the United States if not in the world. It is reported that the company intend to spend $1,700,000 in making the additions, and are already hiring a large number of men to erect the necessary building, tanks, etc. There are a number of men in the Standard Oil Company in this city and borough who are much interested in this plan.

Editor May Become Preacher.

The First Disciple of Christ gathering at Cranford will be held on Sunday next, led by the editor of the Westfield Leader, assisted by B. W. Hand, of Plainfield, and perhaps W. F. Brown, of Newark. The start was a Bible class, and if successful this will be the Third Church of Disciples of Christ in New Jersey, against forty in New York State. Dame rumor has it that the editor will get the pastorate. This will be a powerful auxiliary to the Plainfield and Newark churches, owing to the number of Disciple families in Elizabeth and thereabouts that have no church home.

Drove His Family Out.

Winfield Thompson, of Clark street, Westfield, while suffering with tem porary mental trouble, yesterday drove his mother and wife out of the house and made threats against their lives. He was finally calmed, and placed in restraint, but not until he had struck his wife several severe blows. Steps will be taken to have him confined for treatment.

ROBBIE MORGAN GONE.

But Where No One Knows, and That Causes Worry.

WAS SEEN TO BOARD A COAL TRAIN.

Had Frequently Talked of Railroading in Boyish Prattle and it is Thought That He Started Out to Give it a Trial—But as He is Only Just in His Teens His Absence Causes Alarm—Police Searching.

MISSING from his home since Nov. 9, Robert R. Morgan, 13 years old, of dark complexion, heavy head of dark hair, which comes down over a very low forehead. He was dressed, when last seen, in brown cloth suit with knickerbockers, and wore over them a pair of overalls. He wore russet shoes with pointed toes, and walked a trifle stoop shoulder. Send all information to Geo. W. Grant Chief of Police, Plainfield, New Jersey.

Such is the information that is being sent to all the police officials in this section of the country in the endeavor to find Robbie Morgan, tender in years, but full of force and inclination that usually do not come to boys just in their teens.

The missing lad is the son of Lewis Morgan, a foreman in the Pond Machine Tool Works, who resides with his family at 1336 West Front street. The Central Railroad tracks run in the rear of the home of the Morgans and the puffing locomotives passing at frequent intervals seemed to have a great fascination for Robbie. In his boyish prattle he often talked of the time when he would be a railroad man, but his parents paid little heed to the remarks, believing them to be simply juvenile fancies. Now, however, it looks as though Master Robbie had taken time by the forelock, so to speak, and tried a touch of realism with his fancies. Some there are who utter suspicious forebodings of his fate and relate the incident of Charlie Ross with a superficially wise look, but the more sensible believe that Robbie will turn up in a few days glad to get back to the family fireside with the conviction that buffeting about on the cold charity of strangers is not what it is cracked up to be. But just the same his parents are greatly worried concerning his whereabouts and will feel greatly relieved when Robbie comes home to roost.

Following out the parental rule, Robbie attended the Monday morning session at the Irving School and pursued his studies, no doubt, with visions of trains galore in his mind. At noon he went home to dinner and donned a pair of overalls—the true insigma of the knights of the brake. Instead of returning to his studies, he stopped and tarried at the Grant Avenue station. Several of his playmates saw him there and now say that he jumped aboard a passing coal train. That is as far as Robbie can be traced, because his family did not miss him till supper and by that time he was doubtless wandering about the network of tracks in Communipaw, viewing the sights of modern railroading in much the same spirit that Reuben Hayseed inspects the display of pumpkins and pigs at the county fair.

It was thought possible that he might have gone to the home of some relative out-of-town, but as his parents are from England and have no relatives in this section, this conclusion is wrong.

The idea that he has been kidnapped by some of the tramps who infest the coal trains on the Central is scouted as improbable.

LOST HIS OVERCOAT.

Trolley Car Conductor Reports a Theft to the City Judge.

Minus an overcoat and suffering with a severe cold, Conductor Keegan of the street railway, appeared before Judge DeMeza this morning and told him that last evening while making a trip one of the passengers walked away with his overcoat which was in the car. Keegan said that there were three passengers, one of whom he knew to be "Larry" Wallace, of Fanwood. The other two he did not know. The three men said they were on their way to a place between Dunellen and Bound Brook where there was going to be a cock fight. When the car reached Dunellen Keegan changed the trolley pole and it was then that his coat was taken. Judge DeMeza and Keegan called on Justice Newcorn this morning, and it was decided to investigate the matter thoroughly.

Appeal for Relief Association.

To many friends of the Relief Association who have enquired as to the amount at present due on the mortgages, we deem it proper to state that there remains unpaid only $600. The need of money for our running expenses is very great as we are in arrears this month. We feel obliged to appeal to our kind friends for immediate assistance to carry on our work. Mrs. Chas. E. Brooks secretary.

Miss Thorn, of Elizabeth, is the guest of Miss Woodland, of Duer street.

It makes light work of a heavy wash, does

Sunlight Soap

Possibly you are using it: if not, why not try it?

Brightens Homes Everywhere

Lever Bros., Ltd., Hudson & Harrison Sts., New York.

DISTRESS IN INDIA

Over One Million People on the Verge of Starvation.

RIOTS BREAK OUT AMONG SUFFERERS

The Transvaal Government Demands $5,000,000 Indemnity for Jamesqn's Raid ---Menelik Will Hold the Italian Prisoners as a Safeguard.

London, Nov. 12.—A dispatch from Bombay says that in eleven districts of the Deccan and Concan 1,250,000 persons are believed to be on the verge of starvation. The dispatch adds that riots have occurred at Shaheban and Kazod. A dispatch from St. Petersburg says the Russian newspapers are making warm appeals to the people of Russia to contribute funds for the relief of the famine sufferers in India.

WANT $5,000,000 INDEMNITY.

Transvaal's Claim Against the British South African Company.

London, Nov. 12.—John Hay Hammond, the American engineer, who had charge of the Transvaal gold fields of the Consolidated Gold Fields company, was interviewed by a reporter last evening after the meeting of the company regarding the prospects in South Africa. He said: "The prospects in South Africa were never brighter. The recent depression in prices caused a scarcity of money, and every one was obliged to sell good securities. But the outlook is good. There has been a large gold output. The report that President Kruger will cancel the claims held by the company is untrue." A dispatch from Johannesburg last evening said that the government of the Transvaal republic has decided to put in a claim of £1,000,000 ($5,000,000) indemnity against the British Chartered South Africa company, as a result of the raid of Dr. Jameson and his followers into the territory of the Transvaal.

HIS SOLE GUARANTEE OF PEACE

King Menelik Tells the Pope That He Cannot Give Up His Italian Prisoners.

Rome, Nov. 12.—The Vatican official journal prints the text of the letter recently received by the pope from King Menelik of Abyssinia, which was brought to his holiness by Mgr. Macaire. In his letter King Menelik protests his devotion to the pope and maintains that, since the Italian government continues in its attitude of hostility towards Abyssinia, he is unable to sacrifice the sole guarantee of peace that he holds by restoring to liberty the Italian prisoners he has taken and now holds. Menelik also expresses the hope that the pope will intervene in the interests of peace, and thus accelerate the liberation of the prisoners.

Russian Silver for China.

London, Nov. 12.—A Vienna dispatch to the Times, alluding to Russian efforts to secure trade in China, says that Russian silver rubles are being minted in large quantities for circulation in China in view of the fact that Chinese confidence in the American silver dollar has been somewhat shaken.

To Discuss the Bismarck Disclosures.

Berlin, Nov. 12.—The discussion of the interpellations of the government in the reichstag in regard to the disclosures recently made by Prince Bismarck through the medium of the Hamburger Nachrichten, the ex-chancellor's personal organ, has been fixed for November 16.

Deaths and Sickness on a British Bark.

London, Nov. 12.—Four members of the crew of the British bark Craig Elvan, from Santa Rosalia, now in port at Queenstown, died on the voyage, and five others are reported to be ill. The cause of the deaths and present illness is not known.

The Armenian Outrages.

Constantinople, Nov. 12.—While counselling the American missionaries to remain at their posts in Anatolia, the intervention of the United States Minister, Alexander W. Terrell, has resulted in the removal of the children of the missionaries to places of safety.

Reinsurance on an Overdue Steamer.

London, Nov. 12.—Reinsurance has been effected on the British steamer Willowdene, Capt. Tippett, which sailed from New York Oct. 17 for Plymouth. The rate paid was forty-five guineas premium.

Spain Making No Promises.

Madrid, Nov. 12.—Prime minister Canovas del Castillo denies emphatically that the Spanish government has announced that it will suppress the revolution in the island of Cuba within a specified time.

Another Suit Against Bay State Gas Co.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 12.—Another suit has been instituted in the United States court against the Bay State Gas company of Delaware and J. Edward Addicks and W. E. L. Dillaway. The suit, which asks that receivers be appointed, is similar to the case recently brought.

THE BUSINESS BOOM.

Reports of Resumptions in Various Branches Still the Rule.

Akron, O., Nov. 12.—Manufacturers and business men report a genuine business boom in this city. New orders are pouring in to all the manufactories. The Warner company, employing 1,000 men, is working thirteen hours a day. Two large buildings and an office building will be erected by the company. The three rubber manufacturers have increased their forces, and 1,200 people are now employed. Stoneware shops are running full, and report business prospects excellent. Several plants will enlarge their capacity. The Whitman, Robinson & Co plant, which was destroyed by fire some time ago, will be rebuilt at once. The McNeil boiler works are running night and day for the first time since 1893.

Ground Broken for a Big Cement Mill.

Allentown, Pa., Nov. 12.—The American Cement company, at Egypt, Lehigh county, yesterday broke ground for its fourth mill, which will involve an expenditure of $200,000, and will have a capacity of from 800 to 1,000 barrels of cement a day. Employment will be given to 150 more hands. The Atlas Cement company at Northampton is also erecting an addition, and yesterday the Keystone Silk mill at Emanus began the construction of a large annex in anticipation of better times.

New Depot for Des Moines.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 12.—The announcement is made that a contract had been closed between the Des Moines Union railroad and the Chicago Great Western & Wabash, Chicago & Northwestern, Des Moines, Northern & Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul roads by which the local company is to build a $200,000 union depot on Cherry street, between Fifth and Seventh streets, next spring. The Des Moines Union will also build extensive shops and the Great Western will build a big freight depot to cost $50,000.

Harrisburg Feels the Prosperous Wave.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 12. — Full operation of the big plant of the Harrisburg Shoe factory is being resumed. Within a week over 300 employes will be at work in all the departments. Salesmen on the road are sending in enough orders to keep the factory booming during the winter. The force employed at the Jackson Barrow works have gone on full time. They had previously been working on reduced time.

Prospects of an Active Winter's Work.

Bessemer, Mich., Nov. 12.—All indications on the range point to an active winter's work. At the Palmer mine about 50 men are at work preparing room for stock piles. The Old Colby mine will resume operations about the 15th with about 200 men, the Tilden with about 350 men and 350 more December 1. The Sunday Lake at Wakefield has started with 200 men.

Ordered on Increased Time.

New York, Nov. 12.—President J. D. Layng of the West Shore railroad has ordered an increase of working time—from eight to ten hours—in all the shops of that company. This order affects 1,000 or more men, who are employed in the West Shore shops at New Durham, N. J., and Frankfort and Buffalo, in this state.

Working Night and Day.

Cuyahoga Falls, O., Nov. 12.—The Taylor, Vaughan & Taylor Co. of this place is working night and day making machinery for a wire nail mill, which will occupy the site of the old wire nail mill at Cuyahoga Falls. It will furnish work for a large number of men.

Large Contract for Car Wheels.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 12.—The Bass foundry and machine works has just closed a contract to furnish one of the large railway systems with car wheels. This deal involves a sum of over a half million dollars.

Manufactories Start Up.

Cleveland, Nov. 12.—Fifteen important manufacturing concerns here yesterday gave evidence of the business boom by either starting up or giving notice of intention to immediately put more men to work.

Resumes After a Year's Idleness.

Baraboo, Wis., Nov. 12.—The woolen mill, which has been idle the past year, has resumed operations, employing 100 hands, and is likely to increase its capacity.

To Be Returned to Her Mother's Care.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 12.—A young English woman, who recently arrived in this country from England, and becoming insane was committed to the Long Island state hospital, will be deported next week. Her mother just learning of her daughter's whereabouts requested the authorities to use the money found on the patient's person to pay the cost of returning her to her care.

Dead from Inhaling Gas.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Louis Doerfel, whose husband, together with a 4-year-old child named Bertha Miller, were asphyxiated at their home on Darien street Tuesday night by escaping gas, died last night from the effects of inhaling the poisonous vapor.

WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS.

New York Boasts the Site of an Old Indian Village.

In a seldom-frequented and isolated spot within the limits of New York city is the site of what was once an Indian village of considerable size. Between Spuyten Duyvil creek, about a quarter of a mile south of the northern end of Manhattan island, and the hills that mark the bank of the Hudson there is a comparatively level semi-circular space of 20 or 30 acres. Here stood the Indian village. The hills were a protection from the weather and at times from enemies, and the strong tide which runs swiftly in and out of Spuyten Duyvil creek is treacherous and afforded a protection against the approaches of any but those well skilled in handling a boat. A mound was found here some years ago that extended over three acres, and it consisted largely of millions of oyster shells, evidently the debris of a village. Among these shells have been found bits of rude broken Indian pottery and arrow heads, and in the caves of the hills back of it were found excellent specimens of Indian pottery. In Bryant's history the story of Henry Hudson's voyage in the Half Moon up the Hudson in 1609 is told, and it states that, on his return down the river, Hudson was attacked by about 100 Indians who came out of Spuyten Duyvil creek and were finally beaten back. Presumably they came from the village whose site is now marked by the old mound.

POLITICO-HISTORICAL.

A Curious Incident in German Interstate Relations.

A "Kleinstaaterei" has been abolished in Germany, says the Westminster Gazette. The little village of Kurnbach, which has hitherto belonged partly to the grand duchy of Hesse and partly to the grand duchy of Baden, was recently by treaty between the two powers, solemnly and forever incorporated into the grand ducal state of Baden. The oddest thing about the joint jurisdiction under which the Kurnbachers have hitherto lived was that the houses were not allotted to Hesse or to Baden by their position inside or outside any frontier line betwixt the two states, but by the date of their erection. Houses built at one period belonged to one "nationality," houses built at another period belonged to the other. One policeman was found sufficient to keep order for both states, and his uniform was, consequently, particolored, his green coat showing that he was the officer of Baden, and its blue facings and trimmings bearing witness that he officially represented the majesty of Hesse. Now that the blue has been stripped off, and nothing but the Baden green remains, a Hessian newspaper suggests that his old coat should be presented to the German museum as a politico-historical relic.

Rainilairivony's Wealth.

Rainilairivony, the late Malagassy exprime minister, had feathered his nest well. He left 50,000 head of cattle, 2,000 slaves, 20,000 ounces of gold dust, $1,000,000 in the Bank of England, $75,000 worth of goods in his own house, a palace, and other buildings at Antananarivo, the land on which the French resident general is built for which France pays $2,400 a year, three inland farms, real estate at Tamatave, and half the profits of a gold mine consession made to an English company. He is believed to have left besides treasures concealed at Ambohimanga and other parts of Madagascar.

B. & O. Railroad's New Bond Issue.

New York, Nov. 12.—The governing committee of the New York stock exchange has listed $5,044,000 Speyer & Co. engraved certificates of deposit, countersigned by the Union Trust company, for Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company coupon and registered 5 per cent. gold bonds of 1925.

Schooners in Collision Off St. Johns.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 12.—Another collision has occurred off this port, the schooner Young Romp colliding with the schooner Jasper, cutting her to the water's edge. The Jasper was barely saved from sinking. Her crew took to their boats.

Accidentally Shot Himself.

New York, Nov. 12.—John Keegan, formerly superintendent of street improvements of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards, was accidentally shot and killed by his own gun in Bronx park yesterday afternoon while attempting to climb into a wagon

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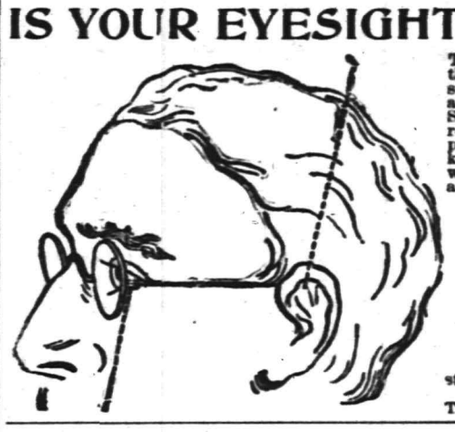

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Declines To Discuss Cabinet Possibilities or Probable Legislation.

TO HAVE PERMANENT HEADQUARTERS

Major McKinley Will Leave Canton Saturday for a Week's Absense in Cleveland — May Also Take His Wife to New York.

New York, Nov. 12.—Mark A. Hanna left last night for his home in Cleveland. He declined to say anything about McKinley's cabinet or legislation by congress. "Those are things of the future," he said. "There will be a consultation of party leaders before any legislation is decided upon." Mr. Hanna said it had been determined to establish a permanent headquarters of the national committee, but the place had not been selected yet. Mr. Hanna did not have a conference with Mr. Platt before leaving New York. Gen. Russell A. Alger of Michigan left last night for Montreal enroute for his home in Detroit. Before leaving Gen. Alger said to a representative of the United Associated Presses: "I think the state of New York seems solid for Mr. Platt for United States senator. I think he would accept the honor if it were offered to him." Gen. Alger has himself incidentally been mentioned as a first class possibility for secretary of the navy in the next cabinet.

TO LEAVE CANTON SATURDAY.

Major McKinley Prepares for a Week's Absence at Cleveland.

Canton, O., Nov. 12.—Major McKinley this morning decided to leave Canton for Cleveland Saturday morning. He will be absent a week or more, and if Mrs. McKinley's health should demand it will go to New York, though he has no such intention now and fully expects to return to Canton as soon as he has finished his visit in Canton and remain here until he goes to Washington. Many telegrams and letters of congratulation are still received by the president-elect daily. Ex-senator John J. Ingalls writes as follows: "I am very much gratified to know that my prediction at Minneapolis has come to pass. My congratulations are late, but they are sincere and cordial. They are tempered by profound disappointment at the result in Kansas, but we did the best we could."

ELECTION EXPENSES.

What It Cost Some of the New York Candidates in the Recent Struggle.

Albany, Nov. 12.—The following additional certificates of election expenses have just been filed: John H. G. Vehslage, the successful democratic congressional candidate in the Seventh district, expended $3,056. Franklin Bartlett, gold candidate in the same district, spent $2,423. Wm. W. Goodrich, republican candidate for supreme court justice in the Second district, spent $3,590, of which $3,500 went to the republican state committee. Frederick C. Schraub, the democratic candidate for lieutenant-governor, spent $280. John H. Ketcham, the republican congressional candidate in the Eighteenth district, contributed $5,500 to county committees. Stephen D. Stephens, democratic candidate for supreme court justice, expended $1,915. Charles W. Gillett, republican candidate for congress in the Twenty-ninth district, spent $1,748. Theodore L. Poole, republican candidate for congress in the Onondaga-Madison district, expended $1,939. Seth H. Milliken of New York city, republican presidential elector, gave $1,500 to the national committee and $250 to the state committee. Congressman James W. Wadsworth of Genesee spent $2,850.

FOR ELECTION FRAUDS IN '95.

Three Men Sentenced at Philadelphia To Imprisonment and Disfranchisement.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12. — Richard Hughes, James Cahill and Charles McConnell, who were respectively judge and inspectors in the twelfth division of the Fourth ward at the general election in 1895, and who were charged with fraud in making a false return of the votes cast, yesterday pleaded guilty before Judge Beitler in the quarter sessions court. They were each sentenced to six months' imprisonment and to be disfranchised for four years.

SILVER DEMOCRATS PROTEST.

Republican Members-elect of Kentucky Legislature Served with Notices of Contest.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 12.—All the newly elected republican members of the legislature have been served with notices of contests by their late silver democratic opponents. It is now said the governor will call the extra session for December 1.

Silver Men To Continue the Struggle.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—The well known silver advocates who have taken a more or less prominent part in the late campaign, met in a secret conference at the Sherman house yesterday. Among those present were: Rev. Flavius J. Brobst, Gen. J. H. Howard, George J. Bowen of Elgin, I. N. Stevens, chairman of the national committee of the national silver party, and C. A. Towne. The object of the meet was to discuss the advisability of forming a national educational organization to promote the silver cause.

Allen's Plurality Reduced to 62.

Boston, Nov. 12.—The recount for executive councillor in the Fourth district was concluded last evening, with the result that Isaac B. Allen, rep., has a plurality of 62 votes over John H. Sullivan, dem. Sullivan gained 248 votes on the recount, Allen's plurality on the face of the returns being 310.

VENEZUELAN AFFAIR

Selection of the Arbitrators Soon To Be Announced.

KING OSCAR THE FIFTH MEMBER

Prof. Gilman Makes a Statement Anent the Situation and Says the War Cloud Has Been Dissipated by Arguments, Investigations and Concessions.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The official announcement of the selection of King Oscar of Sweden as the fifth or final member of the Venezuela arbitration commission, the others being appointed by the lord chief justice of England and by the chief justice of the United States, two by each, is likely to be made at an early day. The agreement is that if King Oscar's engagements are such as to make it undesirable for him to sit with the arbitrators he will designate another, probably his chief justice, to participate in the formal proceedings. At the same time, it is the king whom the two governments will regard as the final arbitrator, even if he should designate some one to serve in a formal capacity. The personnel of the judicial members of the commission has not been determined, and no names are mentioned except that the solicitor-general of England may be one of those designated. This, however, will be a matter of subsequent adjustment, as the exact names do not appear in the draft of the treaty.

PROF. GILMAN INTERVIEWED.

A War Cloud Dissipated by Arguments, Investigations and Concessions, He Says.

Baltimore, Nov. 12.—President Gilman, of Johns Hopkins university, and one of the members of the Venezuelan commission, was asked to-day for his opinion as to whether the effect of the published decision was to make the Monroe doctrine international law or to establish a virtual protectorate on the part of this country over Venezuela. He declared himself very unwilling to be interviewed until more definite information as to the provisions of the treaty was in his possession. Finally, however, he made the following statement: "It is obvious that all the data requisite to the formation of an opinion have not yet been made public by the United States or Great Britain; but enough has been said to show that the principle of arbitration is heartily accepted by both nations and that they are very near in complete accord upon the best method of procedure, if indeed they are not absolutely so. It will be time to consider the relation of the correspondence between Lord Salisbury and Mr. Olney to the recognition of the Monroe doctrine when that correspondence is published. All that need be said at this moment is that the administration, in a very difficult and embarrassing controversy, has succeeded in securing a concert of action between the parties interested, and that this is in the interest of peace and international good will. The war cloud with which the year opened has been dissipated by arguments, investigations and concessions."

A GRATIFYING RESULT.

Sir Francis Lockwood Says That England's Submission Meets with Approval.

London, Nov. 12.—Sir Francis Lockwood, Q C., who accompanied the lord chief justice of England on his recent visit to the United States, says anent the agreement of the United States and England to submit their quarrel regarding Venezuela to arbitration: "The result is one to gratify every Englishman, particularly as it was reached without any sacrifice of principles on either side, though it is no surprise to me and the other members of the party which recently visited the United States. We knew before leaving this country that there was a strong enough feeling in favor of a peaceful settlement of the matter, and we found in the United States that it was reciprocal. I am sure that every thoughtful Britisher has mentally congratulated both governments on the results achieved, and that they no longer contemplate even in their wildest thoughts the possibility of an approach to warlike interruptions between the two governments."

Altgelt Wants No Office.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 12.—Replying to the rumor that he would be a candidate for mayor of Chicago or United States senator, Gov. Altgeld said last night: "There is absolutely nothing in it but bickerings of idiotic newspaper space writers making sensational stories. The next legislature will be overwhelmingly republican on joint ballot, and a democrat would stand no earthly show. As for the mayoralty of Chicago, the idea is ridiculous. I want no office within the gift of man."

Rev. J. C. Madill Expelled.

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 12.—The association of western Congregational churches has expelled the Rev. J. C. Madill of the Sarnia Congregational church on recommendation of the committee appointed to investigate the charges against him, which were preferred by the members of his congregation. Dr. Madill is president of the Protestant Protective asssociation of Canada.

Successful Filibustering Expedition.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 12.—An important expedition in aid of the insurgents in Cuba, conveying despatches from New York of vital importance and stores of medicine and clothing, sailed from here last week. The boats on board of which the expedition left here have returned and report the successful landing of the members of the party and the supplies upon the Cuban coast.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 13—Public meeting Town Improvement Association in Y. M. C. A. building at 4:30 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Rain Tonight; Clearing Thursday; Warmer Tonight; Decidedly Colder Thursday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 50 Degrees.

VALIDITY OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS.

The following is of particular interest to Plainfielders since the work of determining sewer assessments is now going on:

The question of the validity of special assessments on property to pay for city improvements has been tested in three States—Iowa, Rhode Island and Delaware, in the last named quite recently. In Delaware an assessment for the construction of a sewer was resisted by a property owner on the ground that he did not use the sewer and therefore was not benefitted by it. Even on the assumption that sewers are a public benefit, it was argued for the protestant that he should not be required to pay specially for the sewer in front of his premises, but that the public at large should pay for the public benefit by general taxation. Further, accepting the city's contention that abutting property is benefitted by the construction of a sewer, it was claimed that the special assessment was unjust, as, if the assessors did their duty, the increased value of the property, accruing from the benefit, would annually pay a larger tax, and thus the property would be doubly assessed. But the Delaware court agreed with the courts of Rhode Island and Iowa in pronouncing the ordinance valid. The court ruled that the city was only exercising the functions granted it by the Legislature and that the latter body, in its general taxing power, had the authority, when authorizing sewer assessments, to fix the proportion which the abutting property should pay.

INTEND TO BE PERMANENT FACTORS.

Though William D. Bynum, chairman of the National Democratic party, announced soon after election that the organization would not be continued in a National way, efforts are making in many sections of the country to organize its supporters into permanent factors in State and local politics. Here in Plainfield a conference of the leaders to determine their future course will be held on Saturday evening next.

GIVE US A HORSE SHOW.

With all its blooded stock, stylish turnouts, accomplished drivers and fashionable and pretty women, why can't Plainfield indulge in the joy of a horse show? The horse show has become a great social event in Orange, and surely Plainfield can do as well as its sister town. Such an event would not necessarily depend entirely upon the entries of Plainfield, but would attract exhibits from the whole metropolitan district.

"Man Killed While Hunting" is the cause now assigned to numerous fatalities where he "Didn't Know It Was Loaded" was the factor before.

HISTORY AND SUGGESTION.

G. Thorn Writes a Few Pointers About Yesterday's Fire.

To the Editor of The Daily Press—Twenty-seven years ago last July I was burned out on the very ground now occupied by Lederer's store; hence arises a certain interest in yesterday's fire, of which I was an eye-witness from an upper window on the opposite side of the street. Then the fire occurred shortly after midnight, destroying three or four wooden buildings with a total loss to as many occupants.

With regard to the fire of yesterday, the work done by our fire department is worthy of the greatest commendation. Before the second sound of the fire gong had ceased sounding, probably less than one minute, the department was on the ground and one of the most stubborn fires to fight that Plainfield has had in many a day was confined and put out in the very basement where it originated. Apparently there was no chance to get at it, the smoke being so dense that a single breath meant suffocation, yet in less than three hours it was mastered and entirely extinguished. Again I say that too much credit cannot be given to the able and efficient work done by our noble firemen. Yet one thing was conspicious, the efforts to raise the large ladders were greatly hampered by the wires that disfigures our streets in the business centers. Had human life been at stake in the dead hours of night, what might have been the loss of one single moment. It is full time that the citizens of Plainfield consider this peril and compel the underground laying of all wires. The beauty of our fair city requires it; humanity and life demands it.

Guillermo Thorn.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is an antiseptic, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

—The way to cure catarrh is to to purify the blood, and the surest, safest, best way to purify the blood is by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier.

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FIRE FIEND WORKS RUIN

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window and reached Mr. Lederer's desk and rescued the cash box, books and all. They were rather wet, however.

The seven different streams of water soon began to have their effect and the basement was flooded. The water reached the depth of four feet before the last of the fire was extinguished. It is estimated that about 200 000 gallons of water was thrown into the building. There was three thousand feet of hose in use.

As the firemen gained control of the flames, the smoke lessened in volume until they were able to move without trouble about the store and then it was only a matter of a few minutes before the last spark was put out. It was then about 5.15 o'clock, and the work of loading up ladders began.

Although the damage is great, it is not as large as was first supposed. Everything in the basement is either burned or water soaked, and much of the goods on the first floor are ruined by water. Part of them, however, were saved and but little damaged by the water.

The family lived on the second floor and the third floor was devoted to the stock room. The smoke and the heat did some damage here. Mr. Lederer had a large stock of goods on hand and a great deal was stored in the basement. He has been working hard preparatory for the holiday season and he felt the effect of this sudden catastrophe very keenly.

The work of cleaning up and repairing will be begun at once as soon as the insurance appraisers are through, and the store will be re-opened as soon as possible.

The loss has been variously estimated, but good judges place the loss on the stock at about $20,000. It is estimated that his stock was valued at over $30,000. An examination of the goods on the first floor, this morning, showed that all had been more or less injured by the heat and water while part was completely ruined. The insuranee on the stock amounted to $9,500. The stock was insured in the Franklin Company, through M.M. Dunham, for $1,000. The rest was through the agency of J. C. Pope & Company and is in the following companies: American, of Philadelphia, $1,000; German-American, $3,000; Home, $2,500; Williamsburg, $1,000; New York Underwriters, $1,000.

The damage to the building, which was also owned by Mr. Lederer, will be covered by insurance. The loss is estimated at about $2,000 and the insurance is for $9,000. $800 is in the Franklin Company, through M. M Dunham, and the rest through J. C. Pope & Company in the following companies: Pennsylvania, $1,200; Fire Assurance, $4,000; German-American, $3,000.

As soon as the alarm blew, a crowd collected and surrounded the front of the burning building. As soon as the police arrived, fire-lines were formed and the crowd driven back to give the firemen plenty of room. The numerous lines of hose made traffic on Front street and Park avenue impassible and the trolley cars were blocked until nearly 6 o'clock. Carriages and wagons had to go around by another street.

The only flames that were seen appeared from the back basement windows where several oil barrels had caught fire. The smoke was terrible and half suffocated the firemen. It hung in clouds over the burning building and part of the time filled all the adjacent streets. It was visible for several miles.

First Assistant Chief Martin was struck from behind with a stream of water while working at the rear of the building and part way down the back stairway. William Towley, driver of the Alert hose carriage, grabbed him and pulled him out just as the flames burst out in his face. His eyes were injured by the flames and smoke.

I. H. Boehm, who keeps a dry goods store next to Lederer's establishment, suffered some loss from the smoke and water. He made a claim this morning and the insurance men will meet tonight to consider it. J. H. Berkaw, whose shoe store is on the other side, packed his books in his safe to be ready for emergencies. J. A. Smith & Brother, the grocers, did the same.

Mrs. William Uhler, of East Front street, is visiting relatives at Lebanon, Pa.

Though Superintendent Warde, of the North Plainfield Public High School, was subject to a fainting spell yesterday morning, caused by too close attention to his school duties, he was able to be at the school and attend to the work which he has earnestly and successfully entered into.

—The Woman's Auxiliary Society of the Church of the Redeemer have just sent a very valuable box to the Indians at Pine Ridge Agency, S. D.

—A meeting of the physical department committee of the Y. M. C. A will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the phpsical director's office.

SEEKERS AFTER OFFICE.

MEN OF THE G. O. P. ANXIOUS TO SERVE THE STATE.

Three Rooms for the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Assembly and One for the Senate—Numerous Candidates for State Assessors.

Governor Griggs is greeted by many office seekers and a few Senators and Assemblymen-elect at the State House every day now.

Among the visitors recently have been Andrew J. Briedenbach, Sergeant-at Arms of the Assembly last year; ex-Assemblyman Benedict and Daniel Hunt, of Newark, all of whom are candidates for Sergeant-at-Arms of the House. Mr. Benedict announced his candidacy Tuesday morning.

Richard Starr, of Salem county, and Reuben Carter and William S. Sharp, of Mercer county, were on hand looking for votes for the position of Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate. Ex-Assemblyman Christie was looking after Mr. Briedenbech's interests.

Candidates were numerous for the position on the State Board of Assessors, made vacant by the election of Commissioner Baird as Sheriff of Camden county. Among them are ex Senator Rogers, of Camden; ex-Assemblyman Tice, of Middlesex; James Young, formerly of the Republican committee of Jersey City, and ex-Congressman Buchanan, of Trenton. The appointment probably will not be made until the Legislature convenes, as confirmation by the same is necessary.

Assemblyman Macpherson, of Mercer, has announced that he is a candidate for Speaker of the House and the Mercer delegation believe he will win. Ex-Speaker Derousse, of Camden, has decided not to seek a re-election and Assemblyman Gledhill, who is a candidate, is handicapped by the fact that Senator Williams, of Passaic county, will get the Presidency of the Senate and that the county already has received many favors from the present administration. Assemblyman Wildes, of Burlington county, was also on hand looking for votes for the Speakership.

Governor Griggs has appointed Senators Parry, Stokes, Kuhl, Herbert and Daly members of the State Board to canvass the votes for Presidential Electors and Congressmen. The Board will meet November 24th.

THE JOY OF CHRISTIANITY.

Rev. A. H. Tuttle Delivers the Second of a Series of Sermons.

The second of a series of special sermons was preached last evening by Rev. A. H. Tuttle, D. D., of Newark, in the Grace M. E. church. The text was taken from Psalms 43:4: "Then will I go unto the altar of God; unto God my exceeding joy; yea, upon the harp will I praise Thee, O my God". It was shown, that while David was speaking in one of his troubled hours his heart was exceeding glad—it seemed to vibrate with the Heavenly music. While the children of Israel were true to God, they were the happiest and most joyful people in the world. The richness of joy is ours, even as we open our hearts to receive the fullness of God's love. This is clearly shown in four places where the Heavenly music seems to vibrate: In the old Testament, in the new Testament, in church history and in our individual selves, for when we realize God's presence floods of joy flow into our innermost hearts. How is it possible to be otherwise than glad, when we feel and realize the thrill of love, which we have when fully opening our hearts to receive God? If we wish to drink of the cup of this world's pleasures, we must share the misery, but if we will be faithful, He will be a continual source of joy and gladness.

A fifteen-minute song service preceded the sermon, which was appropriate to the occasion.

Captain Boag, of the Greenville Rifle Club, was in town yesterday, trying to arrange a match for either money or prizes. Captain Boag prefers that the shooting taken place on the Bayonne grounds and in case a match is arranged and shot there, then his team will come here and shoot a return match.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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RAHWAY GETS THE PLUM.

James H. Clark Appointed Under Sheriff of Union County.

Sheriff Kirk surprised the politicians yesterday by appointing as Under Sheriff James H. Clark, of Rahway, who for twelve years has been connected with the Sheriff's office and served under four of Mr. Kirk's predecessors.

The appointment of Mr. Clark is a popular one. He succeeds Lewis Miller, of Fanwood. The Rahway delegates at the county convention solidly supported Mr. Kirk, and without their aid he could not have got the nomination. Now they are rewarded.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. J. A. Blatz, of Somerset street, is confined to her home with illness.

Dr Frank Linbarger, of Elizabeth, spent yesterday with friends in this city.

Clifford Braider, of Manning avenue, has been confined to his home with illness.

A. V. D. Honeyman, of Duer street, has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Samuel Boss, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit in Hunterdon county.

Mr. Cadmus, of Edsall's Commercial Palace, has been ill at his home on Craig place.

G. Thorn, of East Second street, is slowly recovering from a painful at tack of rheumatism.

Miss Minnie Force, of LaGrande avenue, has returned from a visit with New Brunswick friends.

Lawyer C. L. Moffett has gone to Somerville today to take part in an important foreclosure case.

William VanDeventer, of East Fifth street, has accepted a position with a wholesale house in New York.

Miss Carrie Dunham, of 510 Madison avenue, is the guest of friends at Williamsbridge, Chester County, New York.

Driver George Fiering, of the Fire Department, was off duty yesterday and spent the day with friends in New York.

Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will lead the W. C. T. U. meeting next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Dr. Frank Searles, of Catskill, N. Y., was in town last evening and attended the wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Faber, Jr.

The Misses Underwood and Shean, of Carlton, O., who have been the guests of Mrs. E. D. Barrett, of East Fifth street, have returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Clarkson, of West Front street, and Miss Henrietta R. Clarkson, of Union avenue, are spending the week in Newark with relatives.

First Assistant Chief James Martin, of the fire department, is suffering a great deal today with his eyes, the result of too much smoke at yesterday's fire.

Jacob Kirkner, Wm. H. Sebring and Dr. D. C. Adams, of Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, of this city, go to Asbury Park tonight to attend the annual inspection of Corson Commandery of that place.

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Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Silas Nailor, of Washington avenue, is ill in bed.

Miss Alice Messler is visiting at Kingston, N. Y.

Mrs. Joel Giddes is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hook, in Plainfield.

Elmer Henry, of Joliet, Ill., is visiting his uncle, R. J. Swackhamer.

Merrill Larrabee is now working up a newspaper route for John Sirisky.

Hunter Geo. Low went out shooting yesterday and came home with six rabbits.

W. H. Winges and a party of capitalistic friends dined at Taylor's Hotel yesterday.

Jesse Dalrymple has returned from a two-weeks visit with his daughter, in Jersey City.

Miss Sadie Barrett and Miss Mattie Barrett have returned from a short visit in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Earle and family, of New York, have bought the Hardingham residence on Madison avenue and have taken possession of it.

Adam Dealaman and "Al" Randolph arrived home last night from a two-days hunting trip to Oxford Furnace, on the D. L. and W. R. R.

Frank Wynkoop and a party of seven other hunters went hunting to South Plainfield and thereabouts, Tuesday, and gathered in forty-two rabbits and twenty-five quail.

Quite a delegation went from here to Geo. Jenkins' concert at Somerville, Tuesday night, and some of them missed the last train and had to wait for the early train yesterday morning.

A horse owned by Farmer Peterson, of West Dunellen, ran away Tuesday afternoon. It started from in front of George Day's office and ran for a considerable distance. No damage was done.

Either the Borough Commissioners or someone else should lay a cross-walk near the Emerydale station. Yesterday the mud was ankle deep at this particular point, and even in going from the curb to the street cars one has to pick their way.

Since the free delivery of mail matter was stopped here, on July 1st last, Charles Dickinson has established a mail route of his own. He delivers mail matter to certain individuals, and is compensated by his patrons and not by the government.

Daniel Knuder is entitled to the plum thus far. Yesterday he went gunning on the mountain and shot a curiosity in the shape of a full grown rabbit, fully equipped with two hind legs, and one in front—the latter projecting from the breast bone.

Postmaster Staats has been here since 1893, and never a complaint has been lodged against him by anyone. His corps of efficient clerks are always ready and willing to wait upon the public, and it seems to be the universal opinion that it would be detrimental to the public's interest to make any change.

The Republicans at New Market had arranged for a grand jollification this evening, but the rain put a damper on the proceedings. Everything was in readiness for a grand blowout. Fireworks were on hand and the village stores had laid in a stock of frankfurters, beer and fishing tackle. But the blowout was indefinitely postponed.

W. H. Coles has on exhibition in his coal office some of the largest radishes ever grown in this vicinity. They were grown by N. S. Thum, of Martinsville, who, by the way, is no relative of the late and lamented Tom Thumb. The radishes are twelve inches in length, measure seventeen inches in circumference and are of both white and dark variety.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

Mrs. Samuel Richardson, visited her husband in the Presbyterian Hospital, in New York, yesterday.

David Mattis has been engaged to run the stationary engine for the Hercules Tubing Company at Garwood.

Mrs. J. Davis, of Jersey City, who has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. G. P. Stites, on Depot avenue, returned home yesterday.

One of the hind wheels on the Union Beef Company's wagon, from Plainfield, collapsed while delivering orders here yesterday, and the driver had to utilize a fence rail to hold the body up until he returned to the city.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps are to be measured for their new uniforms on Tuesday night.

—Court Plainfield, No. 1144, Independent Order of Foresters, will meet in their rooms on Park avenue tomorrow evening.

—Out of a membership of twenty-two in Engine Company No. 2, of the fire department, sixteen turned out to the fire yesterday.

—The Opportunity Circle of the Crescent Avenue church will hold a cake and candy sale on Saturday afternoon in the church parlors.

—Street Commissioner Meeker's men removed the surplus mud from Park avenue today. Similar work was also done on West Front street.

—It is said that several briliant society events are scheduled for the near future, and from all indications this winter promises to be a lively one for Plainfield.

—Musician S. D. Frazee played for a party of country folks at Lebanon, last night. It was at the residence of William Dowd, and some thirty-five couples were present.

—Unless very strong reasons are advanced in his favor, it is not likely that the application for a liquor license made by George Sisser, of North Plainfield, will be granted.

—The initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., will hold a fair during Thanksgiving week in the building on East Second street formerly occupied by the Crescent Wheelmen.

—Gavett is getting in another hundred of the Welsbach lights many people are putting them all over their houses and saving one half their gas bills. Our light is getting more popular every day.

—The work of painting A. B Darby's house on Grove street is being done by Messrs. Rushton, Hansen & Luthman, of Sycamore street. They are also painting the exterior of J. Wesley Johnson's house on LaGrande avenue.

—William D. Murray will speak on Bible study at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday, at 4.15 p. m. Music will be furnished by the First Baptist Church. Miss Harris and Mrs. Ward, of Elizabeth, members of this choir will sing a duet.

—At a recent meeting of the Board of Governors of the Park Club it was decided to hold the first junior dance Friday evening, November 27th. It was also decided to have the pool and billiard tables re-covered and put in first-class condition.

—Mr. Miller and family, of New York, who one year ago leased Mrs. Lambert Heyniger's house on Grant avenue, through the real estate agency of E. C. Mulford & Son, of North avenue, are so well pleased with Plainfield that they have decided to remain until October, 1897.

—Henry VanNest, of 55 Frelinghuysen avenue, Newark, who is a former well known resident of this city has been in town for a few days visiting his sons, George, Lewis, Theodore and Charles VanNest. Theodore took his father hunting yesterday and they shot ten rabbits and four quail. Mr. VanNest has been in the employ of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co., for several years.

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BITS OF BRIEF NEWS

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24, R. A. M., meets tonight.

—Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., meets tonight at Scotch Plains.

—The Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold a meeting this evening.

—Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., will hold a meeting on Saturday night.

—There will be special music at the East Third Street mission next Sunday evening.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will elect officers at their first meeting in December.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—Wallpaper 3 cents and up at Love's. Nothing to be compared to such papers as he is selling.

—LaVere's orchestra will furnish the music for the dance to be given in the Olympia, Thanksgiving Eve.

—Roundsman Mattox and Patrolman Cooney rendered excellent service at the fire yesterday afternoon.

—Several important matters will be discussed at the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps tomorrow evening.

—Queen Esther Band of the Grace M. E. church are arranging for an entertainment to be held in the near future.

—An illustrated lecture will be given in Grace M. E. church this evening under the auspices of the King's Daughters.

—At the meeting of Anchor Lodge, No. 49, F. and A. M., held Tuesday evening, one candidate was elected and one initiated.

—Rev. Dr. Main, the present supply in the Seventh Day Baptist church, will conduct services in the church, tomorrow evening.

—At the meeting of Engine Company, No. 2, this evening, matters concerning the proposed fair to be held next month will be considered.

—The Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold a sociable in the lecture room of the church and Thursday evening of next week.

—See "O'er the Links," by Aldrich, Paris, and "In the Conservatory," by W. Granville Smith, in Truth Saturday. All trains and news stands.

—The attachment suit and sale of Rudolph Lerch against the Townsend Sanitarium Company has been announced for Monday, the 16th instant.

—The piazza to the residence of W. A. Wheeler, of LaGrande avenue, is being enlarged, and a number of other improvements are being made.

—L. W. Randolph, of West Second street, will lead the Christian Endeavor service at the Scotch Plains Baptist church next Sunday evening.

—On November 6th, two days after the election of McKinley was assured, orders for over $36,000 of advertisements were received by The Ladies Home Journal.

—The Central Railroad Company announces an important change in the time for running on the main line and all its branches, to take effect on Sunday, the 15th instant.

—The Kappa Delta Phi, of the Plainfield High School, will hold its second regular meeting tomorrow afternoon. The officers for the ensuing two months will be elected.

—It is earnestly hoped that all the members of Senate Lodge, No. 3542, K. of H., will attend the meeting to be held this evening, at which time matters of importance will be considered.

—All Hallowe'en has come and gone, yet some people are keeping up the practice of exchanging signs. Last night about 10:30 o'clock four young women carried away M. Coyne's sign board from in front of his tailor shop on East Fourth street, and deposited it under a window near Watchung avenue.

—It is astonishing how depraved and fearless some people are. Yesterday two full grown boys were seen to board a loaded coal train near Clinton avenue and they sat on the cars and deliberately shoveled off coal with their feet, until the train was near the Grant avenue station. Then they wait along with bags and baskets and gathered it up.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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Just Keeping Game.

Stories of noted gamblers were in order, when the following was told of the late Charley Perkins: Charley was playing seven up with a friend who knew him very well, and Charley was not playing the squarest game in the world. His friend remonstrated with him something as follows:

"Look here, Charley, you know you can beat me playing this game 'shoes to plates,' and I don't mind your winning my money on the square, but you can win it fast enough without cheating."

"I couldn't cheat you. I don't know how. I wouldn't if I could, and I couldn't if I would."

Spades were trumps, and Perkins was the dealer, when his friend, reaching across the table suddenly, grabbed his right hand and, turning it over, exposed the ace and deuce of spades, which he was holding out in his capacious palm.

"There! What do you call that if you're not cheating, Charley?"

"Did you think I was trying to cheat you?"

"It looks like you were, doesn't it?"

"Well, now I begin to believe that you don't know much about this game. I thought you knew seven up pretty well, but now you don't seem to know enough to pound sand."

"Well, I know when I see a man holding out, any way."

"I wasn't holding out, you darned fool. I was keeping game. Don't you see? You're two, and I'm one."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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Funeral from the home of parents, 131 W. Sixth street Friday, Nov. 13, at 2:30 p. m.

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THE RED BADGE of COURAGE.

AN EPISODE OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR.

BY STEPHEN CRANE.

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CHAPTER IX.

The youth fell back in the procession until the tattered soldier was not in sight. Then he started to walk on with others.

But he was amid wounds. The mob of men was bleeding. Because of the tattered soldier's question, he now felt that his shame could be viewed. He was continually casting side-long glances to see if the men were contemplating the letters of guilt he felt burned into his brow.

At times he regarded the wounded soldiers in an envious way. He conceived persons with torn bodies to be peculiarly happy. He wished that he, too, had a wound—a little red badge of courage.

The spectral soldier was at his side like a stalking reproach. The man's eyes were still fixed in a stare into the unknown. His gray, appalling face had attracted attention in the crowd, and men, slowing to his dreary pace, were walking with him. They were discussing his plight, questioning him and giving him advice. In a dogged way he repelled them, signing to them to go on and leave him alone.

The shadows of his face were deepening and his tight lips seemed holding in check the moan of great despair. There could be seen a certain stiffness in the movements of his body, as if he were taking infinite care not to arouse the passions of his wounds. As he went on he seemed always looking for a place, like one who goes to choose a grave.

Something in the gesture of the man as he waved the bloody and pitying soldiers away made the youth start as if bitten. He yelled in horror. Tottering forward, he laid a quivering hand upon the man's arm. As the latter slowly turned his wax-like features toward him the youth screamed:

"Gawd! Jim Conklin!"

The tall soldier made a little commonplace smile. "Hello, Flem!" he said.

The youth swayed on his legs and glared strangely. He stuttered and stammered. "Oh, Jim—oh, Jim—oh, Jim."

"GAWD! JIM CONKLIN!"

The tall soldier held out his gory hand. There was a curious red and black combination of new blood and old blood upon it. "Where yeh been, Flem?" he asked. He continued in a monotonous voice. "I thought maybe you got keeled over There's been thunder to pay to-day. I was worrying about it a good deal."

The youth still lamented. "Oh, Jim—oh, Jim—oh, Jim."

"Yeh know," said the tall soldier, "I was out there." He made a careful gesture. "An', Lord, what a circus. And, b' jiminy, I got shot—I got shot. Yes, b' jiminy—I got shot." He reiterated this fact in a bewildered way as if he did not know how it came about.

The youth put forth anxious arms to assist him, but the tall soldier went firmly on as if propelled. Since the youth's arrival as a guardian for his friend, the other wounded men had ceased to display much interest. They occupied themselves again in dragging their tragedies toward the rear.

Suddenly, as the two friends marched on, the tall soldier seemed to be overcome by a terror. His face turned to a semblance of gray paste. He clutched the youth's arm and looked all about him, as if dreading to be overheard. Then he began to speak in a shaking whisper:

"I tell yeh what I'm 'fraid of, Flem—I'll tell yeh what I'm 'fraid of. I'm 'fraid I'll fall down—an' then yeh know—them damned artillery wagons—they like as not 'll run over me. That's what I'm 'fraid of."

The youth cried out to him hysterically: "I'll take care of yeh, Jim. I'll take care of yeh. I swear to Gawd I will."

"Sure—will yeh, Flem?" the tall soldier beseeched.

"Yes, yes, I tell yeh—I'll take care of yeh, Jim," protested the youth. He could not speak accurately because of the gulping in his throat.

But the tall soldier continued to plead in a lowly way. He now hung babe-like to the youth's arm. His eyes rolled in the wildness of his terror. "I was allus a good friend t' yeh, wa'nt I, Flem? I've allus been a pretty good feller, aint I? An' it aint much t' ask, is it? Jest t' pull me along outer th' road? I'd do it fer you, wouldn't I, Flem?"

He paused in piteous anxiety to await his friend's reply.

The youth had reached an anguish where the sobs scorched him. He strove to express his loyalty, but he could only make fantastic gestures.

However, the tall soldier seemed suddenly to forget all those fears. He became again the grim, stalking specter of a soldier. He went stonily forward. The youth wished his friend to lean upon him, but the other always shook his head and strangely protested: "No—no—leave me be—leave me be—"

His look was fixed again upon the unknown. He moved with mysterious purpose. And all of the youth's offers he brushed aside. "No—no—leave me be—leave me be—"

The youth had to follow.

Presently the latter heard a voice talking softly near his shoulder. Turning, he saw that it belonged to the tattered soldier. "Ye'd better take 'im outa th' road, pardner. There's a bat'try comin' helitywhoop down th' road an' he'll git runned over. He's a goner anyhow in about five minutes—yeh kin see that. Ye'd better take 'im outa th' road. Where th' blazes does he git his stren'th from?"

"Lord knows," cried the youth. He was shaking his hands helplessly.

He ran forward, presently, and grasped the tall soldier by the arm. "Jim, Jim," he coaxed, "come with me."

The tall soldier weakly tried to wrench himself free. "Huh," he said, vacantly. He stared at the youth for a moment. At last he spoke as if dimly comprehending:

"Oh, inteh th' fields? Oh."

He started blindly through the grass.

The youth turned once to look at the lashing riders and bouncing guns of the battery. He was startled from his view by a shrill outcry from the tattered man.

"Gawd. He's runnin'."

Turning his head swiftly, the youth saw his friend running in a staggering and stumbling way toward a little clump of bushes. His heart seemed to wrench itself almost free from his body at this sight. He made a noise of pain. He and the tattered man began a pursuit. There was a singular race.

When he overtook the tall soldier, he began to plead with all the words he could find. "Jim—Jim—what are you doing—what makes you do this way—you'll hurt yourself."

The same purpose was in the tall soldier's face. He protested in a dulled way, keeping his eyes fastened on the mystic place of his intentions. "No, no—don't tech me—leave me be—leave me be."

The youth, aghast and filled with wonder at the tall soldier, began quaveringly to question him. "Where yeh goin', Jim? What you thinking about? Where you going? Tell me, won't you, Jim?" The tall soldier faced about as upon relentless pursuers. In his eyes there was a great appeal. "Leave me be, can't yeh? Leave me be fer a minit."

The youth recoiled. "Why, Jim," he said, in a dazed way, "what's the matter with you?"

The tall soldier turned and, lurching dangerously, went on. The youth and the tattered soldier followed, sneaking as if whipped, feeling unable to face the stricken man if he should again confront them They began to have thoughts of a solemn ceremony. There was something rite-like in these movements of the doomed soldier. And there was a resemblance in him to a devotee of a mad religion, blood-sucking, muscle-wrenching, bone-crushing. They could not understand; they were awed and afraid. They hung back, lest he have at command a dreadful weapon.

At last, they saw him stop and stand motionless. Hastening up, they perceived that his face wore an expression telling that he had at last found the place for which he had struggled. His spare figure was erect; his bloody hands were quietly at his sides. He was waiting with patience for something that he had come to meet. He was at the rendezvous. They paused, and stood expectant.

There was a silence.

Finally the chest of the doomed soldier began to heave with a strained motion. It increased in violence until it was as if an animal was within and was kicking and tumbling furiously to be free

This spectacle of gradual strangulation made the youth writhe, and once, as his friend rolled his eyes, he saw something in them that made him sink wailing to the ground. He raised his voice in a last supreme call:

"Jim! Jim! Jim!"

The tall soldier opened his lips and spoke. He made a gesture. "Leave me be—don't tech me—leave me be—"

There was another silence, while he waited.

Suddenly his form stiffened and straightened. Then it was shaken by a prolonged ague. He stared into space. To the two watchers there was a curious and profound dignity in the firm lines of his awful face.

He was invaded by a creeping strangeness that slowly enveloped him. For a moment the tremor of his legs caused him to dance a sort of hideous hornpipe. His arms beat wildly about his head in expression of imp-like enthusiasm.

His tall figure stretched itself to its full height. There was a slight rending sound. Then it began to swing forward, slow and straight, in the manner of a falling tree. A swift muscular contortion made the left shoulder strike the ground first.

The body seemed to bounce a little way from the earth. "God," said the tattered soldier.

The youth had watched spell-bound, this ceremony at the place of meeting. His face had been twisted into an expression of every agony he had imagined for his friend.

He now sprang to his feet and, going closer, gazed upon the paste-like face. The mouth was open and the teeth showed in a laugh.

As the flap of the blue jacket fell away from the body he could see that the side looked as if it had been chewed by wolves.

The youth turned, with sudden livid rage, toward the battlefield. He shook his fist. He seemed about to deliver a phillipic.

"Hell—"

The red sun was pasted in the sky like a fierce wafer.

The tattered man stood musing.

"Well, he was reg'lar jim-dandy for nerve, wan't he," said he finally in a little awe-struck voice. A reg'lar jim-dandy." He thoughtfully poked one of the docile hands with his foot. "I wonner where he got 'is stren'th from? I never seen a man do like that before. It was a funny thing. Well, he was a reg'lar jim-dandy."

The youth desired to screech out his grief. He was stabbed. But his tongue lay dead in the tomb of his mouth. He threw himself again upon the ground and began to brood.

The tattered man stood musing.

"Look a here, pardner," he said, after a time. He regarded the corpse as he spoke. "He's up an' gone, aint 'e, an' we might as well begin t' look out fer ol' number one."

The youth, awakened by the tattered soldier's tone, looked quickly up. He saw that he was swinging uncertainly on his legs and that his face had turned to a shade of blue.

"Good Lord," he cried, in fear, "you ain't going to—not you too."

The tattered man waved his hand. "Nary die," he said. "All I want is some pea-soup an' a good bed. Some pea-soup," he repeated dreamfully.

The youth arose from the ground. "I wonder where he came from. I left him over there!" He pointed. "And now I find 'im here. And he was coming from over there, too." He indicated a new direction. They both turned toward the body as if to interrogate it.

"Well," at length spoke the tattered man, "there ain't no use in our stayin' here an' tryin' t' ask him anything."

The youth nodded an assent, wearily They both turned to gaze for a moment at the corpse.

The youth murmured something

"Well, he was a jim-dandy, wan't 'e?" said the tattered man as if in response.

They turned their backs upon it and started away. For a time, they stole softly, treading with their toes. It remained laughing there in the grass.

"I'm commencin' t' feel pretty bad," said the tattered man suddenly breaking one of his little silences. "I'm commencin' t' feel pretty damn bad."

The youth groaned. "Oh, Lord." Was he to be the witness of another encounter?

But his companion waved his hand reassuringly. "Oh, I'm not goin' t' die yit."

As they plodded on the tattered soldier continued to talk. "Besides, if I died I wouldn't die th' way that feller did. That was th' funniest thing. I'd jest flop down, I would. I never seer a feller die th' way that feller did."

Then he made a calm announcement "There's two of 'em, little ones, but they're beginnin' to have fun with me now. I don't believe I kin walk much furder."

They went slowly on in silence "Yeh look pretty peeked yerself," said the tattered man, at last. "I bet yeh've got a worser one than yeh think Where is it located?" But he continued to harangue vaguely without waiting for a reply.

The youth had been wriggling since the other had begun to speak of wounds. He now gave a cry of exasperation and made a furious motion with his hand. "Oh, don't bother me," he said. "Now, don't bother me," he repeated, with desperate menace.

"Well, Lord knows I don't wanta bother anybody," said the tattered man. There was a little despair in his voice as he replied. "Lord knows I've gota 'nough m' own t' 'tend to."

The youth, who had been holding a bitter debate with himself and casting glances of hate and contempt at the tattered man, here spoke in a hard voice. "Good-by," he said.

The tattered man looked at him in gaping amazement. "Why—why, pardner, where yeh goin'?" he asked, unsteadily. The youth looked at him, could see that he, too, like the other one, was beginning to act dumb and animal-like. His thoughts seemed to be floundering about in his head. "Now—now—look—here you—now. I won't have this—this here won't do. Where—where yeh goin'?"

The youth pointed vaguely. "Over there," he replied.

"Well, now, look-a-here—now," said the tattered man, rambling on in idiot fashion. His head was hanging forward and his words were slurred. "This thing won't do, now. Yeh wanta go trompin' off with a bad hurt. It ain't right—now—it ain't. Yeh wanta leave me take keer of yeh. It ain't right—it ain't."

HE COULD HEAR THE TATTERED MAN BLEATING.

In reply the youth climbed a fence and started away. He could hear the tattered man bleating plaintively.

Once he faced about angrily. "What?"

"Look-a-here, now—now—it ain't—"

The youth went on. Turning at a distance he saw the tattered man wandering about helplessly in the fields.

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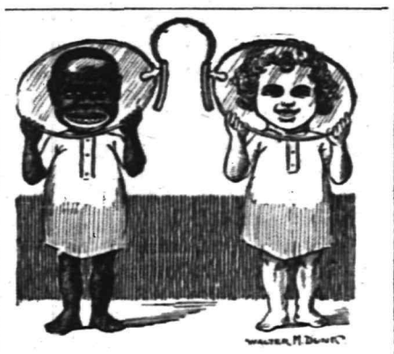

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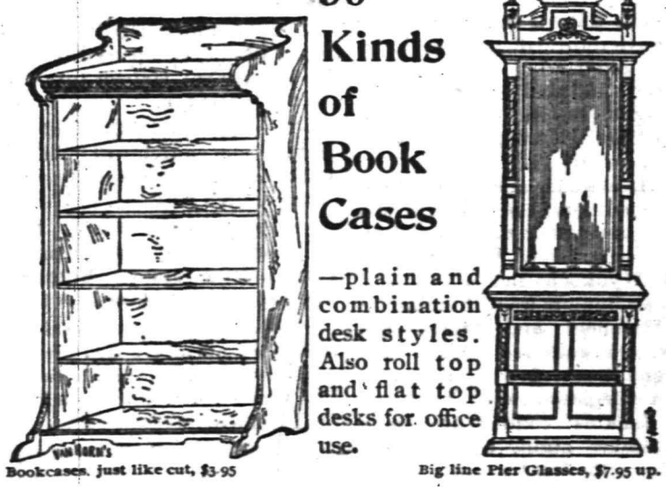

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 6 04, 6 29, 6 59, 7 23, 7 30, 7 58, 8 00, 8 30, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 9 23, 10 17, 11 28, p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 6 04, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 18 a m; 12 38, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 9 28, 10 17, p m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 20, 3 20, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, (5 15, not Sat) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 00, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, am; 12 10, 1 15, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m, 12 38, 1 45, 3 17 3 30, 5 36, 7 01 8 23, 9 28, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8-16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 10 59, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43 5 14, 6 35, 10 35, 1 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 55, 8 19, 9 08, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 06, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 55, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 8 05, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 39, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 40 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 39 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 34 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 4 48, 5 54, 7 05, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Boynton Beach 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m., 1 15, 2 30, p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 4 48, p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 5 34*, 6 48, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14* 6 48 p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45; 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 34*, 6 28*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, 6 35*, p, m, 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 2 17, 5 34*, 6 48 p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m., 5 14*, 6 48 p. m., 1 17 night.

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Some Everyday Advice for Everyday People—Procrastination.

A successful business man says that he owes much of his prosperity to a lesson taught him by his employer. This man's principle was: "Do it now." Instead of putting things off, says the Natural Stockman, with the idea of attending to them "some time," he made it a rule to "do it now." Thus he was often in advance of his competitors, both in taking hold of a good thing or letting go of an unprofitable one. This principle may be applied to the smaller affairs of life as well as to the more important. The little things we ought to do and don't do worry us most. "Some time" they must be attended to, and the oftener they are brought to mind and dismissed again to that indefinite time the more trouble they give us. Then after all we are often surprised to find how little trouble it is to attend to these things, and want somebody to kick us for not realizing it sooner. Happy is the man whose rule is promptness in all things.

Tall Rose Bush.

Mrs. F. C. Austin, of Orange City, Fla., has a rose bush eight feet tall with a spread of six feet which sustains more than a score of varieties of roses, 13 of which, ranging in color from the jacqueminot to white, have been in blossom at one time, and some of which are always in bloom. The stock, says the New York Sun, is a Captain Christy, growing upon a McCartney root, and there are engrafted the bride, la France, perle des jardins, Clotilde, Kruger, Franciska, superb, meteor, Mme. Joseph Schwartz, jacqueminot, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Vick's caprice, Princess Beatrice, Viscountess Folkestone, Mme. de Watteville, Lady Ashburton, Malmaison, Corinna, Helen, Reingold, and Frankie Parkwood.

Fourth-class Postmasters.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The following fourth-class postmasters have just been appointed: Maine—W. Dow, East Dover. New Jersey—H. Shafer, Anderson. New York—P. Webb, Burns. Pennsylvania—T. Beadling, Reading

Fusionists Claim Fraud in Minnesota.

Minneapolis, Nov. 12.—It is announced to-day that the friends of John Lind, fusion candidate for governor, will demand a recount. Clough's majority is now about 3,000. The basis of the demand is alleged frauds in the northwestern part of the state.

SUNSHINE AND HEALTH.

Tuberculosis Readily Develops in Dark Ill-Ventilated Rooms.

A merchant noticed, in the progress of years, that each successive bookkeeper gradually lost his health and finally died of consumption, however vigorous and robust he was on entering his service. At length it occurred to him that the little rear room where the books were kept opened in a back yard so surrounded by high walls that no sunshine came into it from one year's end to another. An upper room, well lighted, was immediately prepared, and his clerks had uniform good health ever after.

A familiar case to general readers is derived from medical works, where an entire family became ill, and all remedies seemed to fail of their usual results, when accidentally a window glass of the family room was broken, in cold weather. It was not repaired, and forthwith there was a marked improvement in the health of the inmates. The physician at once traced the connection, discontinued his medicines, and ordered that the window pane should not be replaced.

A French lady became ill. The most eminent physicians of her time were called in, but failed to restore her. At length Dupuytren, the Napoleon of physics, was consulted. He noticed that she lived in a dim room, into which the sun never shone, the house being situated in one of the narrow streets, or, rather, lanes of Paris. He at once ordered more airy and cheerful apartments, and "all her complaints vanished."

The lungs of a dog become tuberculated (consumptive) in a few weeks if kept confined in a dark cellar. The most common plant grows spindly, pale and scraggling if no sunlight falls upon it. The greatest medical names in France, of the last century, regarded sunshine and pure air as equal agents in restoring and maintaining health.

From these facts, which cannot be disputed, the most common mind should conclude that cellars and rooms on the northern side of buildings, or apartments into which the sun does not immediately shine, should never be occupied as family rooms or chambers, or as libraries or studies. Such apartments are only fit for purposes which never require persons to remain in them over a few minutes at a time. And every intelligent and humane parent will arrange that the living-room and the bedrooms shall be the most commodious, lightest and brightest apartments in his dwelling.

THE SINKING OF THE TEXAS

Injury to the Machinery Considerable—One of Her Officers May Be Blamed.

New York, Nov. 12.—The work of repairing the valves of the main injector of the battleship Texas, which was in progress when the yoke broke and caused the sinking of the ship, is generally done when the ship is in dock, and it is expected that the officer who ordered the repairs undertaken while the ship was afloat will be called upon for an explanation by the navy department. The injury to the ship from the influx of water is considerable, but is mainly confined to the machinery. Naval officers say that most of the machinery will have to be taken apart and adjusted, and the putting together of the hydraulic gear, which was also injured, will take considerable time and trouble, and that will prevent her departure with the squadron. Six weeks at least is the estimate now made for the time it will take to efface all traces of the battleship's trip to the bottom of the channel. The probable cost of the accident is placed in the neighborhood of $10,000. The sessions of the court of inquiry are being held in secret.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Awful Death of a Salesman for a Nitroglycerine Manufacturer.

Moundsville, W. Va., Nov. 12.—Louis Conn, a nitro-glycerine salesman in the employ of H. B. Luntz of New Cumberland, was blown to atoms yesterday afternoon by the stuff he was selling. About 4 o'clock Conn drove to the outskirts of the town to get a gallon of nitro-glycerine he had buried there. He used a pick to dig it from the ground, and it is supposed the instrument struck the can. The explosion was heard all over the town and caused great excitement. Conn's remains were scattered for one hundred yards around, and the foot was the largest piece found. In the buggy Conn had occupied were four gallons of the explosive, and when the explosion occurred the horses ran away, but, strange to say, the jolting did not explode it. Conn was a young man and sold glycerine to the oil men.

National Grange.

Washington, Nov. 12.—At the afternoon session of the National Grange Eva McDowell, treasurer, reported receipts during the year of $17,565.71, including $2,716.23 interest on mortgage and $6.597.10 dues from state granges. The expenditures were $17,843.72, of which $3,218.89 was on account of officers salaries and expenses of the various committees, and $3,640 invested. The report of the secretary showed that dispensations had been issued during the year for thirty-three new granges, Ohio having the highest record.

Escaped Convict Recaptured.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 12.—John Castagnetti, one of the three convicts who escaped from the insane asylum at Middletown last week, was captured at North Haven yesterday afternoon. He says that the three men simulated insanity for the express purpose of being sent to Middletown in the hope that an opportunity to escape would present itself.

Pugilist Kelly Sails for England.

New York, Nov. 12.—Sammy Kelly, the 115-pound champion of America, who is matched to box Billy Plimmer of England for twenty rounds in the Olympic Athletic club of Birmingham, during Christmas week, for a purse of $2,000 and a bet of $1,000 a side, sailed for England on the steamship St. Paul.

To Consolidate New Britian Governments.

Hartford, Nov. 12.—A bill to consolidate the town and city governments of New Britain will be presented to the coming general assembly. Republicans and democrats alike favor the project which would effect a saving of $5,000 per year in the items of salaries alone.

Farmers for Bimetallism.

Indianapolis, Nov. 12.—Resolutions were passed by the national farmer's congress, after a warm discussion, calling on Major McKinley immediately after he assumes the presidency to adopt all practicable methods to bring about bimetallism under international agreement.

National Civil Service Reform League.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—The National Civil Service Reform league will hold its annual meeting in this city on December 10 and 11 next.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot irregular; prices weak. Dec., 87c.; May, 88¼c.

Corn—Trade dull; but prices easier. Dec., 31¾c.; May, 35⅜c.

Oats—Market is dull and nominal. Dec., 24¾c.; May, 27¼c.

Pork—Spot steady; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—The market is quiet and easy. Steam rendered, $4.50.

Eggs—Market firm; choice scarce. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26c.; ice house, 16½@17½c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 14½@15.

Butter—Fair demand; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 19¼c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

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The Boats Will Be Kept Away from Cuba To Avoid Arousing Suspicion in Spain, But Yet Close Enough to Home for Any Emergency.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Admiral Bunce's squadron will go to Venezuela in a few weeks unless a radical change is made in the plans just perfected at the navy department. The object of this new order is declared to be without any significance in the foreign affairs of the United States, but relates altogether to the necessities of effective naval administration. The great fleet which has been concentrated in home waters since last spring, ostensibly for the advantages of evolution and drill in squadron formation, but confessedly as a precautionary measure against unforeseen contingencies of possible development of the Cuban and other complications in which the administration was more or less involved, cannot be dispersed until those conditions have ceased to exist, nor is it feasible to maintain the ships idle in navy yards with the attendant expense for repairs always necessary during stays in home ports. The Gulf of Mexico affords the most admirable theatre for winter manoeuvres and practice, but the authorities have agreed that on account of its nearness to Cuba so large a force in the gulf would certainly be misinterpreted at Madrid. When it was finally conceded that the fleet must be held together and that evolutions must be had, the only waters where the ships could be always in ready call for hurried return to this coast if needed was found in that part of the Atlantic near the mouth of the Orinoco and at the entrance of the Caribbean sea, well away from Havana.

BOGUS BILLS.

Views of Chief Hazen on the Crime of Counterfeiting and Its Prevention.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The annual report of W. P. Hazen, chief of the secret service, states that the counterfeiting of paper money has materially decreased during the past year. This can, in part, be accounted for by the large increase in "raised" or "altered" notes found in circulation, some of which are most skillfully executed. He attributes the facility with which the public are deceived by raised notes to the frequent changes in the designs of United States notes, which makes it almost impossible for the public to become familiar with the currency. It is also made plain, he adds, that the distinctive paper in use is an aid to the criminal rather than a protection to the public, because of the fact that a note printed upon paper containing silk threads (as a number of the best counterfeits and all of the raised notes are) is accepted in a majority of instances without hesitation, owing to the erroneous impression that the paper used by the government is manufactured by a secret process and cannot be counterfeited. He has also become convinced that the introduction of silk in the paper tends to lessen its wearing quality and is therefore responsible to a degree for its short life. The counterfeiting of gold and silver coins has been on the increase in all parts of the country. Some counterfeits of silver coins have appeared on the Pacific coast that are as good as the genuine, both in weight and fineness, and made from dies of excellent workmanship.

Convocation of Mothers.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—The third annual convocation of Mothers is in session here in Handel hall. Mrs. J. N. Crouse, director of the college, in a brief address stated that the object of the convocation was to better the condition of the children of to-day. Addresses were delivered by Mrs. J. H. Vanvlissingen of Evanston, Ill., on "Physical Environment of Infancy;" by Rev. L. P. Mercer, on "Spiritual Environment of Children," and by Rev. J. B. W. Gallwein "The Need of Raising the Standard for Those Who Are To Be Entrusted with the Care of Children." About 500 mothers are in attendance.

Insane Italian Convicts Deported.

Albany, Nov. 12.—As the outcome of prolonged correspondence with the Italian authorities, the state lunacy commission has just succeeded in deporting three alien lunatics, convicted of crimes in this country and confined in the Matteawan asylum for criminal lunatics, to their homes in Italy.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:43 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:45 p. m.
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CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The candidates for the Spartan football team are requested to meet this evening on the field on Westervelt avenue near Summit avenue.

The final practice of the Y. M. C. A. team before the Westfield game will be at the Washington avenue field on Friday evening. It is absolutely necessary that all members of the team should be present.

While the Y. M. C. A. football team occupied one end of the Jersey Cycle Cycle Academy last evening, a new organization, the Hunter football team, practiced at the other end. The Hunter eleven is captained by Harry Lister and is composed of the following: Right end, Lister; right tackle, Duffy; right guard, C. Thorn; centre, Barker; left guard, H. Finch; left tackle, P. McVoy; left end, Waters; quarter back, Erickson; right half, G. Wills; left half back, Smalley; full back, G. Pike. They expect to meet the Alis team some day next week and the Spartan eleven on Thanksgiving Day morning. They also wish to arrange games with Dunellen, Scotch Plains and Roselle.

The game with Westfield Saturday is not going to be any cinch for the Y. M. C. A. eleven. Westfield is going to win if she can and she's going to try mighty hard. So are the Plainfield boys and last night they met in the Jersey Cycle Academy for practice. The slippery floor made it rather hard to run but Captain "Ted" Freeman instructed his men more thoroughly in the new plays that were introduced the other night. Some of them are just fresh from Yale and promise to give big gains. Everybody is going to play, that is, all the regular team except Smith, who will not be seen on the gridiron again this season. "Shorty" Milne will loom up at guard, despite the fact that the New Jersey Athletic Club has fallen in love with his playing, and Waring will return to his old post at quarter while Freeman goes back to half back. The players are all rather sore yet but expect to be all right for Saturday.

"We're going to win," said ex-Senator Coding, of Westfield, to a prominent Plainfielder several days ago when the football game between the elevens of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. and Westfield on Saturday was mentioned. The Plainfield man told him in a polite manner that he was wrong and then they fell to talking of the men. So it is with all the men in Westfield, they have caught the football fever and turn out for every game with a fresh stock of howls, yells and shouts. Everybody in Westfield has declared that Plainfield shall not win the game Saturday if rooting will do any good. The price of tin horns there has risen fifty per cent; whether this is a result of the unprecedented demand for them for the game or on account of the recent election, it is hard to tell. However it is, the enthusiasm in Westfield is at the boiling point and the people are only too anxious for the game to begin. Plainfield will not be slow, for every football enthusiast that possibly can is going down to see that game and cheer the Y. M. C. A. boys on to victory. Westfield will not own all the tin horns and there are some mighty lungs in Plainfield. Several stage parties are being arranged for Saturday. The stage for the team will leave the Babcock building at 2:30 o'clock sharp.

AT THE TRAPS.

The regular monthly club shoot of the Climax Gun Club was held yesterday afternoon at their traps in Fanwood, when a trophy, offered by the Laflin Rand Powder Company, was contested for and decided by the following score:

C. Smith	(scratch)	23
Brantingham	"	22
Harrington	"	17
Henry (handicap 2)		20
Manning	" 1	21
Scott	" 5	17
J. Darby	" 7	15

The regular club shoot resulted as follows:

C. Smith	23
Harrington	19
Singer	24
Goodman	26
Scott	25
J. Darby	17
Manning	16
Brantingham	23
Henry	19

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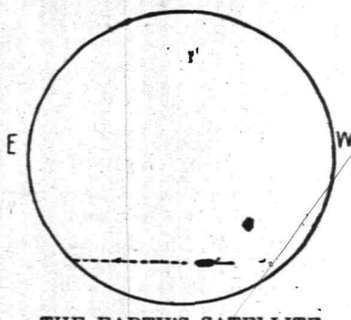
MAY HAVE SAT LLITES.

Chicago Astronomer Thinks the Earth Has at Least One of Them.

Louis Gathmann, one of Chicago's enthusiastic amateur astronomers, thinks he has discovered a satellite of the earth. It has generally been taken for granted that it has none, but Mr. Gathmann now believes this view to be erroneous.

"Has our earth a number of satellites revolving around its orbit similar to those of Saturn or Jupiter?" he asked, and then he proceeded to answer his own question thus: "Even Mars has two known satellites, while our earth, so far as is known in fact, has none. Luna, our moon, is by no means a satellite, but a planet. Luna does not revolve round our earth, as all other known satellites revolve around their respective planets in our solar system. Saturn has a great number of planets



THE EARTH'S SATELLITE.

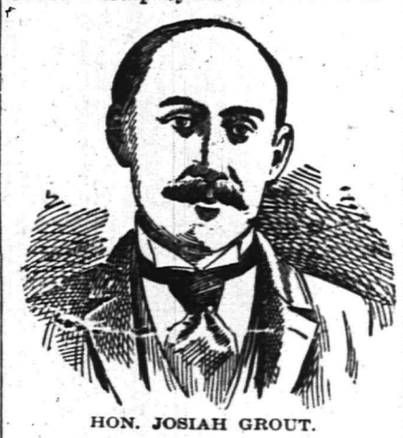
revolving around its orbit. The so-called rings consist also of thousands of satellites, only our present telescopes are not powerful enough to separate them. So likely our own earth is also surrounded by a great number of unknown satellites. At least one of them I think I have discovered. Its path is from west to east. When I got it under my telescope I was making observations of the sun's spots. I uncovered it. It took about five seconds to pass across the sun's disk from the time I first saw it, when it was at the spot indicated by the arrows. Its distance, of course, cannot be determined unless other observers had an opportunity to see it or had it under their cameras. However, at the same speed, approximately, it would move round our earth in 90 minutes, and if its distance from us be 500 miles it would then have a speed of about five miles per second.

"Our earth may have a great number of such small satellites revolving round its orbit, yet unknown, and they might never be discovered for this reason: In the daytime they are not visible because of too much light from the sun. At night, after the sun has set, they are in the shadow of our earth again, and not having light of their own they would be in eclipse. If their mean distance from our earth was 500 miles to be visible by a telescope of 180 magnifying power, such as I used, their diameter must be at least 35 feet. If smaller they would not be visible. Comparing their diameter by the transit of Mercury it would hardly be one-tenth. I hope other observations may have been made by other astronomers, so that we may be able to determine its distance."

HON. JOSIAH GROUT.

The Gentleman Who Has Been Elected Governor of Vermont.

Josiah Grout, the newly-elected governor of the Green Mountain state, was born on a Vermont farm May 28, 1842, and spent his early years in the laborious pursuits incident to the life of a farmer's son. He attended district school in the winter and later went to an academy, where he was pursuing his studies when the war of the rebellion broke out. He went to the front at once, enlisting as a private in Company I of the First volunteer cavalry. He was elected second lieutenant when the company was permanently organized. April 1, 1863, he was made a captain and the same date was seriously wounded in action. He still carries the bullet he received in that battle. In 1864 he raised a company for the frontier cav-



HON. JOSIAH GROUT.

alry regiment, organized to repel the St. Alban's raid, and was appointed a major of the regiment. At the close of the war Maj. Grout returned home and resumed the study of law in the office of his brother, Gen. Grout. He was admitted to the bar in 1865, and practiced law in partnership with his brother in Barton, Vt., at the same time assisting in editing the Barton Standard. In 1875 he moved to Chicago, where he practiced his profession for three years. He then moved to Moline, Ill., and was elected supervisor of Rock Island county. He declined a proffered nomination to run for congressman, and in 1880 returned to Vermont, settling with his family in the Hinman homestead, where his wife was born, in Derby. After leaving Chicago Mr. Grout abandoned the practice of law and turned his energies to farming. He owns one of the largest farms in Vermont. He was elected to the legislature in 1872 and 1874, and the latter time was chosen speaker. After his return from the west he was again sent to the legislature in 1884, 1886 and 1888, serving as speaker the last two terms. He was a state senator in 1892 and has been vice president and president of the Republican league of Vermont.

—The case of Sternberg against Green will be tried in Justice Newcorn's court Friday, November 20th.

—Nothing but routine business was transacted at the meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association, held last evening.

—James Ray, of the borough, for being drunk and disorderly was fined $5, this morning by Justice Crosley. He was arrested last night by Marshal Hansen, on Somerset street.

—The Midmer Glee Club, of this city, appeared at a private residence in Orange last evening, for the benefit of the King's Daughters Association. They were most favorably received.

—J. C. Pope & Co., Wm. A. Woodruff and Elstyn M. French, insurance agents will probably meet this evening and determine the loss of I. H. Boehm as a result of yesterday's fire.

—A large tree which was cut down on West Second street near New, this morning, fell on a number of electric light wires causing them to break. Travel was stopped for awhile until the tree was moved.

Mr. Farenback and family, of Somerset street, moved to Gloversville, New York, today.

Two Views of the Subject.

Mr. Outspoken—If you were not so—so—large, Miss Maudlin, I would ask you to dance.

Miss Maudlin—I may look large, Mr. Outspoken, but I assure you I should feel small enough if I did dance with you.—Collier's Weekly.

Struck It Right.

"Yes," said the reader of hats, "I can tell the moment I look at a hat what kind of man the wearer was, how old, whether tall or short, and other characteristics. Oh, it's no trick. I don't know how I came by the faculty."

"It must be a gift," suggested one of us.

"Like second sight or mind reading," observed another.

"Bring on your hat," said a third, "I'm anxious to see how it works."

A large number of hats were produced from one source or another, large hats, soft hats and stiff hats, and the ownership was successfully concealed.

The hat reader took a rather broad brimmed soft, shabby hat and began to inspect it.

"This," he said, "is the hat of a tramp."

"How do you know?"

"By unmistakable signs. The brim is turned up in the back. That comes from often sleeping in haymows or under trees. It is pulled down in front to shade the face from inspection."

"Wonderful. Go on."

"Its owner was often hungry. He has gnawed the brim. He was dishonest, for he hid things in the crown. The shape of the crown shows that he had the pointed skull of an idiot. Am I right?"

"I guess so, old boy," said the host of the occasion. "That's my hat, and when I was on my walking tour this summer I did nearly all you mention. Try another."—Detroit Free Press.

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FOOTBALL TEAM WORK.

INDIVIDUAL WORK IS THE WINNING POWER FOR PLAINFIELD.

Great Interest Aroused in the Contest With Westfield Tomorrow and the Plainfield Players Are Here Sized Up.

Tomorrow afternoon Plainfield and Westfield will again meet on the gridiron for a decisive battle. If Plainfield wins, then the question of superiority is completely at an end, if she loses then the question is still unanswered. The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. team won the first game several weeks ago in this city by a score of 28 to 0. Tomorrow, they meet at Westfield for the second and last game of the championship series.

As so mueh depends on the game, it might be well to consider the boys that will defend the honor of Plainfield in the coming conflict. There are no harder working players than the ends and Plainfield is lucky in having two good men for the positions. Edgar I. Serrell has greatly improved this year over his former condition. He is quick at starting, breaks up the interference and gets down the field very rapidly on a kick. Clarence Peck is the other end and but for his light weight a better man could not be found. His experience on his freshman team at Yale has made him a careful player with plenty of snap and a pretty tackler.

Henry Lovell, as tackle, is a valuable man. He is strong, very aggresive, quick to break up interference and one of the surest tacklers in the city. He is the surest place kicker on the team. The other tackle is Charlie Dupee. "Distilled lightto h—" is what some of the team call York, and he certainly has the faculty of moving with wonderful quickness. He makes an excellent half back also where his running qualities are very useful. He plays a scientific game, using his mental as well as his physical powers. He does all the punting for the team and has made some very long kicks. His interference is remarkable.

Then there's the indispensible Ed. Brown at guard. He runs lightly and manages to get into the interference on many occasions when he mows a clean swath in the ranks of his opponents. He holds his man and makes holes in his opponent's line big enough for Alex Milne to crawl through. Milne is the other guard and he is the giant of the team. His six feet three and one eighth inches of brawn and muscle make a bulwark that no body has yet cared to go through. He has the faculty of carrying half the opposing team on his back and carrying the ball along at the same time.

Mile is a very valuable man and although the New Jersey Athletic Club has tried to persuade him to play with them, he will remain with the Plainfield team this season. With Brown on one side and Milne on the other, Thomas A. Cumirg makes an excellent centre. He weighs but 155 pounds but is quick and a very sandy player and, with his powerful neighbors, the three make up a strong centre trio that no opposing team has yet been able to penetrate.

Louis Waring, the quarter back and coach of the team, is too well known to need an introduction. He is a sure pass, a sure tackle and gets into the interference every time. Fred H. Freeman, captain of the team and halfback, is one of Plainfield's favorites on the football field. He runs low and fast and does his share of the interference. He is a splendid player and very popular with his team.

George Cathcart, at halfback, is a wonder. He bucks the line with great power and is the hardest tackler on the team. Louis Darling is an old candidate for fullback and is a good all-round man. He is in the interference, runs well and hits the line heavily and usually for gains. He kicks well and is a very useful playful.

The winning power of the team is in their individual work, however, but the team play. The men play with a snap and vigor that is very disheartening to their opponents. The interference is excellent and has proved effective thus far. The team is altogether a strong one and Westfield will have to have a very powerful eleven to win tomorrow.

Testimony to Be Taken.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, lawyer for George W. Rockfellow, is trying to reopen the appeal case of Hand against Rockfellow on contract, that was decided in favor of the plaintiff at Elizabeth a few days ago. Harry C. Runyon is attorney for Charles H. Hand. Testimony will be taken this afternoon in the case before William M. Stillman, Supreme Court Commissioner. The testimony will then be submitted to the Supreme Court.

TO BE NO LOVE FEAST.

THE BRYAN DEMOCRATS TO ACT AS IF THERE WAS NO DIVISION.

Mr. Martine Says if the Palmer Men Want to Vote in the Primaries He Will Call They Can, But Won't Be Urged

It has been a matter of much conjecture as to just what the Democrats are going to do in the municial election rapidly approaching, but whatever is done towards putting an effective ticket in the field against the Republican nominations will depend on them. The National Democrats are to hold a meeting tomorrow night at the Revere House, when their future plans will be mapped out. Whether or not they will go ahead and independently nominate a ticket without the participation of the Democrats who were opposed to them in the National contest, is not yet publicly known.

It is the intention of the Bryan Democrats, however, to hold their primaries and city convention just as though there had never been a division in the ranks. This is what James E. Martine says, and whatever he says with reference to that section of the Democrats may be depended upon as authoritative and authentic.

Mr. Martine told a Press representative that his side of the party would not hold out any concessions to those who left its ranks after the Chicago convention. For the Bryan Democrats to make advances for peace with the Palmer supporters would be, as he illustrated it, like "the mountain going to Mohammedan," and no such purposes were intended. If the National Democrats want to come and participate in the primaries that he will call, as president of the Democratic Association, all well and good; they well be welcomed back in the fold of regularity, but there will be no entreaties made for such action. "We have got no disputes to submit, we are Democrats of the past, present and future, just plain ordinary Democrats supporting Democratic candidates," is the way Mr. Martine sums up his answer to a question as to what the Democrats are going to do in the municipal campaign.

It is the intention of Mr. Martine and his followers to nominate a Plainfield business man for Mayor, but just who he will be is an unsettled question.

TRAIN THE CHILDREN.

KINDERGARTEN WORK DISCUSSED BY THE FRIENDS.

The Great Point Was That the Early Training Prevents an Inclination for Wrong Doing When Older in Years.

At the afternoon session of the half-yearly meeting of the Society of Friends held yesterday, Miss Cora Haviland, of Brooklyn, presented an able paper on kindergarten work. Her paper gave the needs and demands for this work in all parts of the country, and as Miss Haviland is associated in this work in Brooklyn, she was able to converse with intelligence regarding the subject. One great advantageous point presented was that the careful training of children was a preventive of crime in later years, and too much stress could not be laid on the importance of this work.

In the evening John William Hutchinson, of New York, spoke concerning the "Scope of Present Reform Work." The speaker presented three important points as follows: First, that the free kindergarten work was a preventive of crime and that the State should establish such schools for children. Second, the correction of county jails and the final abolishment of them if possible. Third, he advised the probationary system in our courts among officials and the thorough investigation of every case before commitment. Mr. Hutchinson dwelt at length upon each point and brought forth many interesting facts concerning his subject. At the close an informal discussion followed which was helpful to all.

In City Court.

Among those who are to appear before City Judge DeMeza tomorrow morning is Mrs. Phillys H. Brown, a highly respected colored woman of West Fourth street. Some time ago Patrolman Totten went to her house to arrest her son. He says that she interferred with him while he was trying to make the arrest. She claims that she was trying to explain that it was not that son who had been doing the fighting. S. S. Swackhamer is acting as her attorney in the matter.

Heard on the Train.

Two gentlemen, evidently just coming to dine. "Be on the lookout now or we may go past Plainfield." "No danger just open the window and take a sniff; you can always smell Plainfield half a mile off. They burn the leaves in their beautiful town."

PLAIN TALK BY MR. REED

HE TELLS HOW HE WAS NOMINATED FOR SENATOR.

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Moses Benner keeps a little cobbler's shop on West Second street, right next to the corner of Park avenue. This morning, a colored friend of his left a shotgun in the shop while he went forth to make some purchases ere going after the elusive "cotton tail."

The gun stood in the corner until Michael Epstein came in and, when the conversation flagged, he picked up the shot gun and began to examine it. He wanted to "see the wheel go round," but not being an expert in the use of fire arms he succeeded in pulling the trigger. The gun went off with a loud report frightening the cobbler and his inquisitive friend nearly out of their wits. The contents of the gun went through the back window across the little back yard and into Maynard's shop. Luckily no one was injured.

Patrolman Cooney heard the shot and was on the scene in a moment. He arrested the crestfallen Epstein and locked him up. He was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza soon after and pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting off fire-arms within the city limits. He paid a fine of $5 for his experimenting.

Special Services.

A special service will be held in the Filmore Avenue Baptist church, this evening, to be conducted by Rev. W. D. Johnstone, the pastor. There will also be services in the church all of next week in the evenings, to be in charge of the pastor.

THE VOTE IN SOMERSET.

OFFICIAL RETURN AS CANVASSED BY THE BOARD OF ELECTION.

Sound Money Democrats Polled Just Enough Votes to be Able to Nominate by Convention.—A Prohibition Coronor.

The Somerset County Board of Elections canvassed the vote of the county at the Court House, on Friday. The result was as follows: McKinley's plurality in the county, 1,777, and his majority over all the other candidates, 1,493. Howell's plurality, 1,745, and his majority, 1,470. Reed's plurality, 1,393, and his majority, 1,085. Van Doren's plurality, 1,435, and his majority, 1,178.

The Sound Money Democratic vote in the county was just sufficient to give them a standing as a political organization, so that they can hereafter make nominations by convention. Palmer received 159 votes, and 144 was the necessary two per cent. of the whole vote polled. George Vanderveer ran ahead of his ticket, receiving 186 votes. The Prohibition vote fell from 218 in 1892, to 125 this year. Bound Brook and North Plainfield were the banner prohibition districts.

Bridgewater township gave the largest Republican plurality of any other county, 774. North Plainfield was second with 431. North Plainfield borough gave the largest plurality of the towns of the county, 387. Somerville was close behind with 353. Raritan came next with 180, and Bound Brook last with 154.

Benjamin K. Hoppock was the first Prohibitionist ever elected to a county office in Somerset. He was on the ticket for coronor, and none of the other parties placed a name on their tickets, so he was elected, receiving 126 votes.

A Card of Thanks.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: I desire to express publicly my heartiest thanks to the firemen for their efficient work at the conflagration which threatened to destroy my entire property, and which was saved from total destruction by their courageous work. I also wish to thank the friends who so kindly assisted.

Respectfully,
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—The Opportunity Circle of King's Daughters of the Crescent Avenue church will hold a cake and candy sale tomorrow afternoon in the parlors of the church.

RASORES HERE A DECADE.

TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF A PROGRESSIVE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Celebration Observed at the Home of Mrs. Baker, on Stelle Avenue—Oldest Woman's Literary Club in This City.

The Rasores Club, the oldest women's literary club in Plainfield, celebrated its tenth anniversary last evening, at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Baker, on Stelle avenue. This club was originally organized by Mrs. W. D. Miller, Mrs. Walz, Miss Brown and other prominent ladies, who are accustomed to meet during the winter on Tuesday mornings, to read and discuss current events, and is limited to forty members.

Mrs. Dr. Kimball, the president; Mrs. Patterson, vice-president, and Mrs. Hallaway, secretary, all of whom received last evening with the charming hostess and her daughter, Miss Baker, assisted by the Misses Pierson, Miller, Cahoone, Brower, Halloway, Leonard, Gilbert, Miss Walz, Miss Jaynes and Bowers.

The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and potted plants. Prof Conde, violinist, was assisted by a pianist, and rendered choice selections of music all through the evening. The supper was served by Max Wertz.

During the evening in reply to a question as to the origin of the club's name, Mrs. Halloway reported in a very bright and charming manner much to the delight and applause of all present,

Among those present were: Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Richards, Ex-Mayor and Mrs. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Murray, Miss Haviland, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Major and Mrs. W. D. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cahoone, Mr. and Mrs George Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Ernest Lambert, Mrs. I. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Walz, Miss Brown, Mrs. George Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Newhall, Everitt Kimball, Miss Newhall, Dr. and Mrs. King, Mrs. Wills, Mrs. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Jaynes, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Howland, Miss Lugar.

Miss Halloway said: "I could hardly refuse to say a word in explanation and defence of our much-abused club name. When the child of our regard was young, and the momentous time for naming it had come, several names were discussed and rejected as is usual at such times. Then, knowing that we intended to lay out no severe plan of study, but in a modest way hoped to associate intellectual profit and social pleasure, one of our number, a charter member, who is with us tonight, suggested that we call ourselves after the natural history class of birds that scratch for their livelihood. The suggestion pleased us, and we adopted it, naming ourselves the Rasores; and in the years that have passed many a golden grain of knowledge have we found, in our leisurely, comfortable way, in the rich fields of mythology, history, biography and poetry.

"But many a time in those years have I wished that those who had occasion to use name would follow our example and scratch for the knowledge they evidently so much needed. We have been, by the unlearned and ignorant of course, mis-spelled, mispronounced and mis-called. We have been called Sorosis—that is our mother's name, but it is not ours. We have been called the Razors. Well, nobody expects a razor to be dull.

"We have been called The Scratchers, but that conveys a distinctly wrong impression. We have been called Tuesday Morning Club, and that always reminds me of the boy's answer to the question: 'What is a synonym?' It's a word you use when you don't know how to spell the other one. But against the last, a real indignity, we most earnestly protest—we are not 'raw sores.' In fact we are not sore at all, least of all at this happy time, when, with the congratulations of our friends, we are celebrating our tenth anniversary,—the oldest of Plainfield's clubs.

"And as we look back and remember all that the club has been worth to us through the years. And what a real loss it would be to us, if it were taken out of our lives, we say from our inmost heart: Long life to the Rasores, and may they always scratch with the same happy results."

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FOOTBALL TEAM WORK.

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Great Interest Aroused in the Contest With Westfield Tomorrow and the Plainfield Players Are Here Sized Up.

Tomorrow afternoon Plainfield and Westfield will again meet on the gridiron for a decisive battle. If Plainfield wins, then the question of superiority is completely at an end, if she loses then the question is still unanswered. The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. team won the first game several weeks ago in this city by a score of 28 to 0. Tomorrow, they meet at Westfield for the second and last game of the championship series.

As so much depends on the game, it might be well to consider the boys that will defend the honor of Plainfield in the coming conflict. There are no harder working players than the ends and Plainfield is lucky in having two good men for the positions. Edgar I. Serrell has greatly improved this year over his former condition. He is quick at starting, breaks up the interference and gets down the field very rapidly on a kick. Clarence Peck is the other end and but for his light weight a better man could not be found. His experience on his freshman team at Yale has made him a careful player with plenty of snap and a pretty tackler.

Henry Lovell, as tackle, is a valuable man. He is strong, very aggresive, quick to break up interference and one of the surest tacklers in the city. He is the surest place kicker on the team. The other tackle is Charlie Dupee. "Distilled lightning" is what some of the team call him and he certainly has the faculty of moving with wonderful quickness. He makes an excellent half back also where his running qualities are very useful. He plays a scientific game, using his mental as well as his physical powers. He does all the punting for the team and has made some very long kicks. His interference is remarkable.

Then there's the indispensible Ed. Brown at guard. He runs lightly and manages to get into the interference on many occasions when he mows a clean swath in the ranks of his opponents. He holds his man and makes holes in his opponent's line big enough for Alex Milne to crawl through. Milne is the other guard and he is the giant of the team. His six feet three and one eighth inches of brawn and muscle make a bulwark that no body has yet cared to go through. He has the faculty of carrying half the opposing team on his back and carrying the ball along at the same time.

Mile is a very valuable man and although the New Jersey Athletic Club has tried to persuade him to play with them, he will remain with the Plainfield team this season. With Brown on one side and Milne on the other, Thomas A. Cumiug makes an excellent centre. He weighs but 155 pounds but is quick and a very sandy player and, with his powerful neighbors, the three make up a strong centre trio that no opposing team has yet been able to penetrate.

Louis Waring, the quarter back and coach of the team, is too well known to need an introduction. He is a sure pass, a sure tackle and gets into the interference every time. Fred H. Freeman, captain of the team and halfback, is one of Plainfield's favorites on the football field. He runs low and fast and does his share of the interference. He is a splendid player and very popular with his team.

George Cathcart, at halfback, is a wonder. He bucks the line with great power and is the hardest tackler on the team. Louis Darling is an old candidate for fullback and is a good all-round man. He is in the interference, runs well and hits the line heavily and usually for gains. He kicks well and is a very useful playful.

The winning power of the team is in their individual work, however, but the team play. The men play with a snap and vigor that is very disheartening to their opponents. The interference is excellent and has proved effective thus far. The team is altogether a strong one and Westfield will have to have a very powerful eleven to win tomorrow.

Testimony to Be Taken.

Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, lawyer for George W. Rockfellow, is trying to reopen the appeal case of Hand against Rockfellow on contract, that was decided in favor of the plaintiff at Elizabeth a few days ago. Harry C. Runyon is attorney for Charles H. Hand. Testimony will be taken this afternoon in the case before William M. Stillman, Supreme Court Commissioner. The testimony will then be submitted to the Supreme Court.

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THE BRYAN DEMOCRATS TO ACT AS IF THERE WAS NO DIVISION.

Mr. Martine Says if the Palmer Men Want to Vote in the Primaries He Will Call They Can, But Won't Be Urged

It has been a matter of much conjecture as to just what the Democrats are going to do in the municial election rapidly approaching, but whatever is done towards putting an effective ticket in the field against the Republican nominations will depend on them. The National Democrats are to hold a meeting tomorrow night at the Revere House, when their future plans will be mapped out. Whether or not they will go ahead and independently nominate a ticket without the participation of the Democrats who were opposed to them in the National contest, is not yet publicly known.

It is the intention of the Bryan Democrats, however, to hold their primaries and city convention just as though there had never been a division in the ranks. This is what James E. Martine says, and whatever he says with reference to that section of the Democrats may be depended upon as authoritative and authentic.

Mr. Martine told a Press representative that his side of the party would not hold out any concessions to those who left its ranks after the Chicago convention. For the Bryan Democrats to make advances for peace with the Palmer supporters would be, as he illustrated it, like "the mountain going to Mohammedan," and no such purposes were intended. If the National Democrats want to come and participate in the primaries that he will call, as president of the Democratic Association, all well and good; they well be welcomed back in the fold of regularity, but there will be no entreaties made for such action. "We have got no disputes to submit, we are Democrats of the past, present and future, just plain ordinary Democrats supporting Democratic candidates," is the way Mr. Martine sums up his answer to a question as to what the Democrats are going to do in the municipal campaign.

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KINDERGARTEN WORK DISCUSSED BY THE FRIENDS.

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In City Court.

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The occupants of Maynard's barber shop were mistaken or thought they were, at least, for "Bre'r Rabbit" and his friends, this morning about 8 o'clock, when the contents of a shotgun came flying in their direction, part to be buried in the casing of the door and the rest to be scattered about the shop to the imminent danger of the proprietor and his assistants. Not knowing from where the next shot might come, they waited only to find that the old story of the man and the gun he "didn't know was loaded" had been enacted for their benefit.

Moses Benner keeps a little cobbler's shop on West Second street, right next to the corner of Park avenue. This morning, a colored friend of his left a shotgun in the shop while he went forth to make some purchases ere going after the elusive "cotton tail."

The gun stood in the corner until Michael Epstein came in and, when the conversation flagged, he picked up the shot gun and began to examine it. He wanted to "see the wheel go round," but not being an expert in the use of fire arms he succeeded in pulling the trigger. The gun went off with a loud report frightening the cobbler and his inquisitive friend nearly out of their wits. The contents of the gun went through the back window across the little back yard and into Maynard's shop. Luckily no one was injured.

Patrolman Cooney heard the shot and was on the scene in a moment. He arrested the crestfallen Epstein and locked him up. He was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza soon after and pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting off fire-arms within the city limits. He paid a fine of $5 for his experimenting.

Special Services.

A special service will be held in the Filmore Avenue Baptist church, this evening, to be conducted by Rev. W. D. Johnstone, the pastor. There will also be services in the church all of next week in the evenings, to be in charge of the pastor.

THE VOTE IN SOMERSET.

OFFICIAL RETURN AS CANVASSED BY THE BOARD OF ELECTION.

Sound Money Democrats Polled Just Enough Votes to be Able to Nominate by Convention.—A Prohibition Coronor.

The Somerset County Board of Elections canvassed the vote of the county at the Court House, on Friday. The result was as follows: McKinley's plurality in the county, 1,777, and his majority over all the other candidates, 1,493. Howell's plurality, 1,745, and his majority, 1,470. Reed's plurality, 1,393, and his majority, 1,085. Van Doren's plurality, 1,435, and his majority, 1,178.

The Sound Money Democratic vote in the county was just sufficient to give them a standing as a political organization, so that they can hereafter make nominations by convention. Palmer received 159 votes, and 144 was the necessary two per cent. of the whole vote polled. George Vanderveer ran ahead of his ticket, receiving 186 votes. The Prohibition vote fell from 218 in 1892, to 125 this year. Bound Brook and North Plainfield were the banner prohibition districts.

Bridgewater township gave the largest Republican plurality of any other county, 774. North Plainfield was second with 431. North Plainfield borough gave the largest plurality of the towns of the county, 387. Somerville was close behind with 353. Raritan came next with 180, and Bound Brook last with 154.

Benjamin K. Hoppock was the first Prohibitionist ever elected to a county office in Somerset. He was on the ticket for coronor, and none of the other parties placed a name on their tickets, so he was elected, receiving 126 votes.

A Card of Thanks.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: I desire to express publicly my heartiest thanks to the firemen for their efficient work at the conflagration which threatened to destroy my entire property, and which was saved from total destruction by their courageous work. I also wish to thank the friends who so kindly assisted.

Respectfully,
I. Lederer.

—The Opportunity Circle of King's Daughters of the Crescent Avenue church will hold a cake and candy sale tomorrow afternoon in the parlors of the church.

RASORES HERE A DECADE.

TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF A PROGRESSIVE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Celebration Observed at the Home of Mrs. Baker, on Stelle Avenue—Oldest Woman's Literary Club in This City.

The Rasores Club, the oldest women's literary club in Plainfield, celebrated its tenth anniversary last evening, at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Baker, on Stelle avenue. This club was originally organized by Mrs. W. D. Miller, Mrs. Walz, Miss Brown and other prominent ladies, who are accustomed to meet during the winter on Tuesday mornings, to read and discuss current events, and is limited to forty members.

Mrs. Dr. Kimball, the president; Mrs. Patterson, vice-president, and Mrs. Hallaway, secretary, all of whom received last evening with the charming hostess and her daughter, Miss Baker, assisted by the Misses Pierson, Miller, Cahoone, Brower, Halloway, Leonard, Gilbert, Miss Walz, Miss Jaynes and Bowers.

The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and potted plants. Prof Conde, violinist, was assisted by a pianist, and rendered choice selections of music all through the evening. The supper was served by Max Wertz.

During the evening in reply to a question as to the origin of the club's name, Mrs. Halloway reported in a very bright and charming manner much to the delight and applause of all present.

Among those present were: Rev. Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Richards, Ex-Mayor and Mrs. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Murray, Miss Haviland, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Major and Mrs. W. D. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cahoone, Mr. and Mrs George Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Ernest Lambert, Mrs. I. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Walz, Miss Brown, Mrs. George Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Newhall, Everitt Kimball, Miss Newhall, Dr. and Mrs. King, Mrs. Wills, Mrs. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Jaynes, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Howland, Miss Lugar.

Miss Halloway said: "I could hardly refuse to say a word in explanation and defence of our much-abused club name. When the child of our regard was young, and the momentous time for naming it had come, several names were discussed and rejected as is usual at such times. Then, knowing that we intended to lay out no severe plan of study, but in a modest way hoped to associate intellectual profit and social pleasure, one of our number, a charter member, who is with us tonight, suggested that we call ourselves after the natural history class of birds that scratch for their livelihood. The suggestion pleased us, and we adopted it, naming ourselves the Rasores; and in the years that have passed many a golden grain of knowledge have we found, in our leisurely, comfortable way, in the rich fields of mythology, history, biography and poetry.

"But many a time in those years have I wished that those who had occasion to use name would follow our example and scratch for the knowledge they evidently so much needed. We have been, by the unlearned and ignorant of course, mis-spelled, mispronounced and mis-called. We have been called Sorosis—that is our mother's name, but it is not ours. We have been called the Razors. Well, nobody expects a razor to be dull.

"We have been called The Scratchers, but that conveys a distinctly wrong impression. We have been called Tuesday Morning Club, and that always reminds me of the boy's answer to the question: 'What is a synonym?' It's a word you use when you don't know how to spell the other one. But against the last, a real indignity, we most earnestly protest—we are not 'raw sores.' In fact we are not sore at all, least of all at this happy time, when, with the congratulations of our friends, we are celebrating our tenth anniversary,—the oldest of Plainfield's clubs.

"And as we look back and remember all that the club has been worth to us through the years. And what a real loss it would be to us, if it were taken out of our lives, we say from our inmost heart: Long life to the Rasores, and may they always scratch with the same happy results."

The officers are:—President, Mrs. Horance Kimball; Vice President, Mrs. A. Stuart Patterson; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Henry R. Halloway.

Reporter H. S. Thomas, of the News, has recovered from his recent illness and is able to work again.

GERMANY AND RUSSIA

Great Interest over the Investigation of Bismarck's Disclosures.

THE EX-CHANCELLOR OPPOSED TO IT

His Personal Organ Would Like To Learn Why Caprivi Severed the Relations Existing Between the Empire and Its Powerful Northern Neighbor.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The recent revelations made by Prince Bismarck of state secrets are again causing much discussion throughout Germany, and the proposed investigation of the disclosures by the reichstag is looked forward to with much interest. Many of the newspapers contain interesting comments on the subject. The Hamburgher Nachrichten, Bismarck's personal organ, publishes an article generally attributed to the inspiration of the prince, discouraging the investigation by the reichstag. It says, however, that "it would be of special interest to learn why Caprivi, in 1890, felt compelled to cut the wires which still held united Germany to Russia. The question now arises, whether a powerful neighbor like Russia is in closer touch with us or with our opponents in Europe. This question is of profound importance to all Germany, as is also the question whether British policy is striving to exercise an influence over our policy, the result of which would not be altogether to the advantage of Germany, and we think that explanations would exercise a tranquilizing influence upon the public and strengthen the attachment of Germans to their institutions."

Origin of Bismarck's Disgrace.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The Figaro publishes a letter from the Berlin court to the effect that Prince Bismarck's disgrace was due to the ex-Empress Frederick, who, acting upon revelations communicated to her by the Princes of Wales, convinced the emperor of Prince Bismarck's fatal policy in regard to Bulgaria and the part he played towards the nihilists, culminating in the Russian-German rupture. The letter adds that Prince Bismarck vowed vengeance; hence the disclosures.

J. S. MILLER RESIGNS.

Internal Revenue Commissioner Desires To Engage in Private Business.

Washington, Nov. 13.—It is understood that the resignation of Joseph S. Miller, commissioner of internal revenue, treasury department, is in the hands of the president. Prior to the election Mr. Miller had a conference with Secretary Carlisle and the president, during which he intimated his desire to retire from the public service and engage in private business. He was asked to postpone his intention until after the election. Mr. Miller's relations with the president and Secretary Carlisle are said to be very cordial. Mr. Miller has been the companion of the president and also of Secretary Carlisle on several hunting and fishing expeditions. Commissioner Miller was one of the two men who served under Mr. Cleveland's first administration who were reappointed. The name of ex-Congressman Forman of Illinois is mentioned as Mr. Miller's successor.

Accused of Illegal Medical Practice.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 13.—Dr. Raphael F. Guidone, a wealthy Italian physician, was arrested yesterday afternoon charged with practicing medicine illegally and without a license. Some time ago Guidone attempted to pass examination before the state medical examining board, but failed. Guidone attributes his failure to his imperfect knowledge of the English language, but the Waterbury Medical society attributes the failure to the doctor's imperfect knowledge of medicine. Guidone claims to be a graduate of the University of Naples, but has no diploma.

Allison May Enter McKinley's Cabinet.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 13.—Secretary of State McFarland, after an interview with Senator Allison, declared that the senator could have a cabinet portfolio if he wanted it. The secretary said that McKinley's manager intimated as much at St. Louis, and that he did not doubt the president-elect's desire to have the benefit of the Iowa senator's mature judgment in shaping the financial policy of his administration. However, he did doubt the senator's inclination to accept.

Injunction To Prevent a Strike.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—The Gormully & Jeffrey Bicycle Manufacturing Co. applied to Judge Grosscup yesterday afternoon for an injunction against the Metal Polishers' National union restraining that organization and its officers from ordering a strike in their factory as was threatened. Judge Grosscup referred the attorneys for the bicycle company to Master in Chancery Bishop.

Reported Defense of Ivory.

London, Nov. 13.—The Westminster Gazette says that it is now settled that the defense of Edward J. Ivory alias Edward J. Bell, the alleged Irish-American dynamiter of New York, if he is committed for trial, will be that he, P. J. Tynan and others had a mission in behalf of an American filibustering syndicate to purchase explosives and arms for the Cubans.

To Umpire Yale-Princeton Game.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 13.—Paul Dashiel, the former Lehigh player, has been chosen to umpire the Yale-Princeton game in New York, November 21.

Thanksgiving Day Proclamation.

Boston, Nov 13.—Acting Governor Wolcott has issued the usual Thanksgiving day proclamation, setting apart the 26th inst. for that purpose.

WAIL FROM FRANCE

Venezuelan Solution Gives Us Too Much Power, Says the Temps.

SUPREMACY IN WESTERN HEMISPHERE

Grave Innovation in International Law, the Paper Says, Which Europe Will Be Unable To Accept---A Blow to English Pride.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The Temps, in an article on the proposed settlement by arbitration of the Anglo-Venezuelan question, remarks upon the immense impulsion Great Britain is giving to one of the most extreme consequences of the Monroe doctrine. It contends that with the consent of Great Britain the United States are invested with the right to interfere in all territorial quarrels of European powers with new world states, even when not asked by the latter and without their consent. These great innovations in international law, the paper adds, consecrate the absolute supremacy of the United States in the western hemisphere, and must cost British pride dear. Europe, however, will be unable to accept such a grave departure from the rights of nations.

MANY DETAILS UNSETTLED.

Information Regarding the Venezuelan Matter Given Out in London.

London, Nov. 13.—The foreign office has communicated official information to the United Associated Presses that there are still many details of the Venezuelan agreement to be arranged. Before these are completed and the basis of the agreement becomes an official record signed by Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador at Washington, and Hon. Richard Olney, United States secretary of state, the foreign office insists that no communications on the subject from here are possible. Sir Julian Pauncefote is the only medium, taking his instructions directly from Lord Salisbury, who now considers the matter concluded, excepting the verbal form of the convention, which must be based upon an exchange of documents. Besides Sir Richard Webster, attorney general, Lord Davey, lord of appeal in ordinary, is mentioned in legal circles as likely to be assigned to the conduct of the British case before the arbitration commission.

To Renew Diplomatic Relations.

London, Nov. 13.—The Daily News to-day says that rumors are current of a resumption of diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Venezuela.

National League Baseball Meeting.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—John T. Brush of Cincinnati won the factional fight in the National Baseball league when the climax was reached at the late afternoon session Dr. Stuckey of Louisville became his permanent ally, and the faction which has formerly been unsuccessfully opposed to the "big five" minority—Boston, Chicago, Philadelphia, New York and Pittsburg—became the "big seven" in the American national game. The old members of the national board were elected and the membership remains at four, President Young not having the right to vote. The following board of directors was elected: Messrs. Freedam, New York; Soden, Boston; Wagner, Washington; Robison, Cleveland; Von Der Ahe, St. Louis; Stuckey, Louisville.

Efforts for Reorganization.

Boston, Nov. 13.—The stockholders of the Atlas Tack corporation, whose works are at Taunton, and whose affairs have been in the hands of receivers for some months, had a fourth meeting yesterday afternoon to endeavor to formulate some plan of reorganization. A new committee was appointed to attempt an agreement with the creditors. The liabilities of the corporation have been stated at $1,000,000.

Georgia Senatorial Contest.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 13.—The democratic caucus met again yesterday afternoon and balloted five times for United States senator. No nomination was made. Chairman Steve Clay led on every ballot, with Capt. Howell second and Gov. Atkinson third. They were the only candidates voted for, except in the fourth ballot, when Robertson received one vote and Lewis Garrard of Columbus got three. The caucus adjourned until this afternoon.

Mrs. Fleming's Counsel Fee.

New York, Nov. 13.—Papers have just been served on Mrs. Mary Alice Almont Livingstone Fleming, recently acquitted of the charge of murdering her mother, in an action brought by lawyer Charles W. Brooke to recover $12,500, balance due on the $20,000 fee for services as counsel in the murder trial. Mrs. Fleming has paid only $7,500 of the amount due her counsel.

Fagin Fined $20.

Covington, Ky., Nov. 13.—James Fagin, who threw a lighted cigar into the face of Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle after the gold democratic meeting held here last month, was fined $20 and costs yesterday afternoon. This was the meeting at which eggs were thrown on the stage at the secretary while he was speaking.

French Radicals Defeated.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The radical groups in the chamber of deputies last evening made an unsuccessful attempt to overthrow the government. The ground for the attack was the question of the government permitting priests, although they are state officials, to hold congresses.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business to-day stood at $125,101,589.

MAKING SILHOUETTES.

Some Instruction in the Art of Producing These Old-Time Favorites.

Even in the enlightened days, when the art of photography has advanced so very near to perfection, there are still some old-fashioned people who cling with fondness to these silhouettes. One great thing in their favor is, that the least clever among us may with a little patience and a steady hand, find in them a pleasing recreation, and soon become adroit in their execution. But there may be some of our young readers who scarcely know what a silhouette is, and such unenlightened persons we will endeavor to instruct in the almost forgotten art. A few sheets of drawing paper, a pencil, and a lamp, are all the essentials needed to commence operations, says Happy Thoughts.

The operator first fixes a sheet of paper to the wall, by inserting a pin in each corner. Then the person whose likeness, or "silhouette," is to be taken, is seated in a chair, close to the wall, in such a position as to throw a distinct shadow of his profile (as near lifesize as possible) on the center of the paper. To secure steadiness a wine glass, or some such support, is placed between his head and the wall—for the slightest movement often causes failure. Having arranged these matters satisfactorily, the operator proceeds to sketch, with a pencil, the head and profile of the "sitter;" and this requires a steady hand and some dispatch, as it is no easy matter to sit in one position for a great length of time perfectly motionless. When the sketch is concluded, little skill will be needed to bring the task to an end. The operator has only with a sharp penknife to cut out the head in the line of the pencil mark. The center part is then thrown aside, and the other paper laid on a piece of black cloth, which throws out the features boldly, and, if sufficient care has been taken, a striking likeness will be the reward.

DISINFECTION OF THE SKIN.

Soap and Water Does Not Remove All the Impurities.

The New York Herald's European edition reports some interesting experiments of M. Lauenstein, a Hamburg physisian, upon the disinfection of the skin.

It is generally supposed that a little soap and water will remove all impurities from the skin. But these experiments of M. Lauenstein prove that it is by no means easy to disinfect it, even "by minute washings and the most severe antiseptic applications."

In 147 operations he first removed a small piece of epidermis; 23 of these cases had merely been washed with water, whereas the remaining 124 had had the operative field disinfected with ether, alcohol and solutions of sublimate of chlorine. The little pieces of skin taken from the latter and tested by the usual methods of culture were found to be exempt from germs in 49 cases only.

The practical conclusion to be drawn from these experiments is that disinfection of the skin is difficult to realize, that a quantity of baths must be given and that too many precautions cannot be taken and no detail is superfluous.

As regards hospital practice M. Lauenstein's experiments show that it is far preferable not to operate on patients as soon as they are admitted, but only when they have been subjected to repeated and thorough cleansing and disinfection. For greater security it is advised to have a series of washings with soap and of frictions with alcohol, ether, corbolic acid and sublimate, the portion of the body to be treated being protected during each seance by a fresh antiseptic dressing—as the only security against fresh microbian contamination.

Will Christen the Gunboat Newport.

Newport, R. I., Nov. 12.—Miss Margaret Lafarge, daughter of John Lafarge of New York and great granddaughter of commodore Oliver Hazard Perry, will christen the United States gunboat Newport at Bath, Me., about Thanksgiving.

Received Their Pay in Gold.

Pittsburg, Nov. 12.—Yesterday was pay-day at Carnegie's Braddock blast furnaces, and the 1,500 employes were paid in gold, except where silver was necessary for small change.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Albany, Nov. 12.—Gov. Morton last evening issued the customary Thanksgiving proclamation.

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Children's extra heavy black ribbed Hose, all sizes, 12c.

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Large and full assortment of lumber including 21 varities from Hemlock to Mahogany always in stock. Window frames, moulding, sash, doors and blinds. Hardwood floors a specialty. Turning and scroll sawing. We can make anything. Call and see us. Satisfaction guaranted.

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Paperhangers, Painters and Decorators,

201 Park avenue and Second street.

Painters Supplies.

1896 TAXES

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1896, are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal, in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,

Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1st, '96. 10 2 tf

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Upper Lehigh and Honeybrook Coal

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Old Time sifts out the poor coal, and leaves the best. And the best will prove to be——clean, solid and full of more fire, than any intoxicated Indian. It has the best treatment that the human brains can give it, and will prove the most economical, and most satisfactory coal in the land.

We will supply you with any amount you please, without trouble or loss of time.

D. C. IVINS & CO.

Coal, Lumber, etc. 301—311 Watchung ave.

CUT THIS OUT.

Save this and wait until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring this with you to

214 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

Received the entire remaining fall and winter stock of a leading New York wholesale clothing house consigned to us to be sold at once without regard to cost which means an opportunity of buying Suits, Trousers, boys suits and mens suits and mens ove coats and ulsters at about one third of the actual value in order to prove what tremendous Sacrifices will be made. We mention a few of the extraordinary bargains, and we advise you to cut this out and bring it with you, so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here: 100 fine men's overcoats, that sold for $11.00, now $3.75; 60 extra fine men's over oats in latest style silk or satin lined at $5.95; men's fine all wool cassmere suits, $10.00, at $4 00; men's fancy worsted suits, worth $15.00, at $6.50; men's all wool English clay diagonol frock suits, worth $18.00, at $7 50; men's fine ulsters, worth $10.00, at $3 50; 450 men's pants, worth $3.00, at $1.25; 225 pair striped cassmere pants, worth $4.00, at $1.50. Hundred of other styles of goods, space will not allow to mention all we say is come and judge for yourself. Boys suits, $1.65, worth $4.50; boy's winter overcoats, at $1 65, worth $3.50. Now don't delay, for these bargains are not like the sun to last for evermore, but come at once to the

New York Clothing Company,

214 WEST FRONT STREET,

M. WEINBERGER.

Near Music Hall. Plainfield, N. J.

Haviland Dinner Ware,

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Artistic Lamps,

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Assortment

Of FURNITURE,

In all grades.

Largest and Best

We have ever exhibited.

Visitors always welcome.

No trouble to show goods.

J. W. GAVETT. G. Q. PACKER.

WOOL SWEATERS, with Sailor Collar, $1 to $3.50. BUCK GLOVES, 50c. per Pair to $2. HEAVY UNDERWEAR, 25c. to $2. Hats and Caps of every description.

CRANE & CLARK, Hatters and Furnishers, 120 West Front street.

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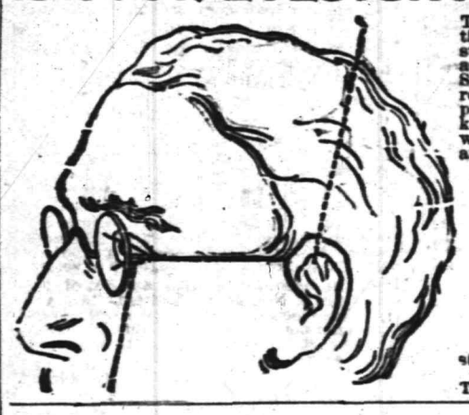

There is no safer, surer or cheaper method of obtaining proper relief for overstrained and defective eyesight, headache and so forth than to consult the Specialist. The happy results from correctly fitted glasses are a grateful surprise to persons who have not before known the real profit to themselves in wearing good glasses. No charge to examine your eyes. All glasses guaranteed

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For sale or to let.

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Send for blank contracts. 109 North avenue. Armstrong Mulford Assistant

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Communications pertaining to the business mentioned, either by letter or otherwise, will receive prompt attention. Carriage service supplied.

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AT REDUCED PRICES.

We are closing out some very desirable patterns of PARLOR and BEDROOM suits and odd pieces of STOCK. A chance for good bargains.

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"THE EVER BUSY STORE."

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

A Great Sale of Hosiery.

Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.

Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.

Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c. worth 15c.

Infant's wool hose at 10c.

Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.

Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.

Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.

38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.

Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.

A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c. 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—2½c each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

CASTLES COMING HOME.

They May Sail from France Under Assumed Names To Avoid Annoyance.

London, Nov. 13.—It was stated this morning that Mrs. Castle's condition was so greatly improved that her husband decided to start for America with her to-morrow. It was also stated that they would probably sail under assumed names from some part of France to avoid prying curiosity-seekers. It is believed by some that the couple are now on the ocean. Counsel for Mrs. Castle has issued the following statement in regard to her plea of guilty of shoplifting: "It would appear from a summary of the opinions of the American press that surprise is felt that Mrs. Castle, in view of the medical evidence, should have been instructed to plead guilty. The present state of the English law in regard to insane prisoners has been overlooked. Sir Edward Clarke stated in court that if the law of England stood as it did in 1883 he would have advised his client to plead not guilty, and would have contested the case so as to show the jury that she was not responsible for what she did, in consequence of her mental state, and she would have been, therefore, entitled to a verdict of not guilty in view of the absence of felonious intent, which the English law regards as essential. An act was passed in 1883 relating to the trial of lunatics, which provides that the jury shall return a special verdict that the accused was guilty at the time of committing the act of which he or she was accused, though insane. Thereupon the court must record the verdict and order the accused to be imprisoned during her majesty's pleasure. In view of this extraordinary and inhuman state of the law, Mrs. Castle's advisers decided to enter a plea of guilty. English legal circles approve the course taken as the best, and the home secretary's decision in favor of Mrs. Castle's immediate release justified the soundness of the counsel's advice."

TO PREVENT COLLISIONS.

New International Sea Rules May Go Into Effect on July 1, 1897.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The revised international rules to prevent collisions at sea, drafted by the Washington International Marine conference, will probably go into effect on July 1. The officers of the state and treasury departments have been working earnestly to this end since the adjournment of congress, and Great Britain is co-operating with the United States in securing the assent of the few remaining nations which have not yet accepted the new rules. The following nations have agreed to adopt the rules and enforce them after July 1: Great Britain, Germany, France, Denmark, Russia, Italy, Portugal, Austria, Belgium, Spain, Hawaii, Japan, Mexico, Guatemala, Chili and Honduras. These nations, with the United States, control 22,000,000 tons, or more than five-sixths of the world's shipping. The important nations whose assents have not yet been received are Norway, Sweden, the Netherlands, Brazil and Turkey, controlling about 3,000,000 tons of shipping.

Women's Clubs Officers.

Buffalo, Nov. 13.—The New York state federation of Women's Clubs and Societies, in convention here, elected the following officers: President, Mrs. William A. Montgomery, Rochester; vice-president, Mrs. William Tod Helmuth, New York; recording secretary, Miss N. S. Hancock, Ilion; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. J. Tanner, Groton; treasurer, Mrs. Maud S. Humphrey, Warsaw. Mrs. J. C. Croly (Jennie June) was made the honorary president for life of the federation.

New York Republican Electors.

Albany, Nov. 13.—The republican electors chosen in this state will meet in the senate chamber at noon on Monday, January 11 next, and cast the electoral vote of the state of New York for president and vice-president. When the electors meet they shall fill all vacancies in their number, elect a president and one or more secretaries.

American Fishing Schooner Wrecked.

St. John's, N. F., Nov. 13.—The American halibut fishing schooner Cordova, Capt. McNeill, went ashore in a fog near Trepassey and became a total wreck. Her crew were saved.

The Distress in Labrador.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 13.—Reports show that the distress in Labrador is growing greater. Extensive relief works are being started. A hard winter is expected.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Higher; restricting trade. Dec., 88⅛c.; May, 90c.

Corn—Trade steady; but prices dull. Dec., 31c.; May, 35½c.

Oats—Market is irregular and dull. Dec., 24¼c.; May, 27c.

Pork—Spot firm; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Spot is firmer; fair inquiry. Steam rendered, $4.55.

Eggs—Market steady; choice scarce. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26¼c.; ice house, 16@17½c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 14¼@15.

Butter—Fair inquiry; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania extra, 19¼c., creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.35; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

BOOM IN THE SOUTH

Many Enterprises Resumed During the Past Few Days.

OTHERS PREPARING TO START UP

Remarkable Growth of Foreign Commerce Through Southern Ports---Progress of the Business Improvement in the North and East.

Baltimore, Nov. 13.—The Manufacturers' Record, in its review of southern business conditions, says: Following the recent general improvement a large number of southern enterprises have resumed operations, and others are preparing to do so. Many of those projected some months ago are now being taken up actively, with a view to securing capital for immediate construction. Some of them have capital already pledged, and these will be carried forward promptly. Reports from all parts of the south show a very hopeful feeling and a determination to bend every possible energy to the material advancement of this section. The remarkable growth of foreign commerce through southern ports is emphasized by the arrangements that have just been completed for the establishment of direct steamship lines from Norfolk, Charleston, Savannah and Brunswick to European ports. Five years ago only three southern ports had direct steamer lines to Europe, the shipments from other ports being made by tramp steamers. Now eleven southern ports have established regular lines to British and continental ports. The magnitude of this business is illustrated in the fact that one company operating a large number of steamers has engaged much of their cargoes through the whole winter and up to March, and another company operating from Norfolk has about fifty or sixty steamers engaged for carrying general cargo business this winter. This great increase in foreign exports is building up southern seaports and giving to them as much activity and prosperity as has hitherto prevailed in the industrial centres of the south.

Cramps Expect a Big Rush of Business.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—The Cramp Ship and Engine company of Philadelphia is preparing for a greatly increased business, and the Messrs. Cramp feel that within the next six months or a year the shipbuilding interests will experience such an impetus as it has not known in recent years. Already increased activity is noted in the engine-building department of the Cramp yards, and additional men will shortly be employed.

Candy Trade Improving.

Canajoharie, N. Y., Nov. 13.—The Pettit Manufacturing company's chocolate and bonbon factory, which has been run irregularly of late, now announces that it will work overtime to fill orders and must increase its working force. Other manufacturing plants here are employing an extra number of hands.

Business Revivals at Middletown, Conn.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 13.—Business still continues to improve about here. The Middletown Plate company has resumed full schedule time and doubled its force. The Portland Feldspar quarry has resumed operations with an increased force of hands, and is a erecting a new mill.

Permission To Build an Electric Road.

Albany, Nov. 13.—The state railroad commission has granted the application of the Syracuse & Suburban Railroad company for permission to construct a street surface road to be operated by electricity from Syracuse to the village of Manlius, a distance of twelve miles.

German Imperial Budget.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The imperial budget, as it will be submitted to the reichstag, shows that the receipts and expenditures balance at 1,328,301,894 marks. The ordinary expenditures show an increase of 24,209,238 marks. The army expenditures show a permanent increase of 6,935,571 marks, while the navy requires 3,542,971 marks.

Great Bicycle Race Against Time.

New Orleans, Nov. 13.—James Michael yesterday afternoon in a ten-mile bicycle race against time, paced by one sextuplet, two quads and two triplets, lowered every mile record for the second to the tenth inclusive. The record for ten miles was made by Tom Linton of England, and stood at 18.41 1-5. Michael clipped 8 seconds of this and made 18:33 1-5.

Elected an Honorary Member.

New York, Nov. 13.—Hon. William McKinley, president-elect of the United States, was unanimously elected an honorary member of the Union League club last evening. It was also voted by the Union League club to give a reception to Messrs. McKinley and Hobart at such time as would be convenient to those gentlemen.

The Sultan's Intentions.

London, Nov. 13.—The Morning Post says that a dispatch from Constantinople says it is widely affirmed that the sultan intends to promulgate the constitution of 1876, with a view to placating the Mohammedan factions, thus enabling him to confront the possible combined pressure of the powers.

Conscience Contribution.

Washington, Nov. 13.—A conscience contribution of $11 in an envelope postmarked Danville, Pa., has been received at the treasury department.

Official Vote in Ohio.

Columbus, O., Nov. 13.—The official republican plurality in Ohio is 51,950. The total vote was 1,003,950.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 13—Public meeting Town Improvement Association in Y. M. C. A. building at 4:30 p. m.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Saturday; Slightly Cooler Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 50 Degrees.

The Republicans and Democrats of Somerset must have forgot themselves when no nominee for Coronor was put in the field, and the Prohibition man slipped quietly in with a total vote of 126, which was also his majority.

FIRE IN THE BED.

Department Called to Netherwood Last Evening.

A mattress caught fire in the attic of Jepp Ericksen's house on South avenue near Woodlawn avenue last night and an alarm was sent in from box 18, close by. The fire was easily extinguished by a stream from the chemical engine.

Mr. Ericksen is station agent at the Netherwood station. A friendrode from Plainfield on his bicycle and visited at Mr. Erickson's house yesterday He decided to remain over night and was given the attic room. When he ascended to his room at about 10:30 o'clock and found the bed a mass of flames. The alarm was sent in and the department arrived in the very brief space of six minutes. This was the fastest run yet made to that box. The stream from the chemical engine extinguished the flames without doing but trifling damage. The cause of the fire is unknown. The damage to the furniture was about $18 and to the room $12. The house was insured for $1,000, and the furniture for $500. The chemical engine, the Alert hose carriage, No. 2 hose carriage, No 2 steamer and the hook and ladder truck responded to the alarm.

"CIDER-JOINTS" MUST GO.

A Flourishing Asbury Park Industry Stopped by the Court.

The Asbury Park "cider-joint" industry has encountered a check which, on account of its far-reaching consequences, has cast a funeral like gloom over the entire bibulous fraternity within a mile of Senator Bradley's resort. A jury in the court at Freehold yesterday convicted Joseph Sammuzzi, a prosperous West Park cider-joint owner. The result of his trial practically closes about thirty similar places.

At the trial old whiskey drinkers testified that one glass of Sammuzzi's cider was equivalent to a full pint of rum, and that three glasses invariably produced a paralyzing effect, from which it was difficult to recover without the aid of a hand-cart and a long sleep either inside or outside the county jail.

Whenever a customer called at the Italian grocery store he asked for "a mackeral."

A Fireman and Life Saver.

Few people are aware of the fact that Charles H. Herring, father of the Rev. C. E. Herring, is an old fireman and a life saver. The elder Mr. Herring joined the old No. 13 Hook and Ladder Company in New York some forty years ago when Chief Alfred Carson was in command. He served seven years with honor and bravery, and during that time was instrumental in saving 13 human beings from being burned to death. Some years ago during the great conflagration at Broad- and Bleecker street, he rescued three persons from a fiery tomb, and for this he was rewarded for his bravery. He has also saved several persons from drowning during his lifetime.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Ernest Conover, of Elmwood place, is able to resume his studies at school after a long illness.

Albert Wilson will conduct the prayer meeting in Mt. Olive Baptist Church this evening.

John Daly, formerly manager of Music Hall, and recently on the road with Rich & Meader's "Cotton Spinner" company, will leave the 22d of this month to become the road manager of "Kidnapped," a melo-drama produed by the same firm. They open in Binghamton, N. Y.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

MR. C. J. NOEL EXPLAINS.

HE TELLS WHO HIS ANTECEDANTS WERE IN DETAIL.

And Being so Well Known as He is, He Says it is Incumbent on Him to Repudiate the Statement That He is Not a Citizen.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—It was with considerable surprise that I have learned through your valuable columns that I am not a citizen of the United States. Your statement is certainly a very peculiar one, coming from one who has no actual personal knowledge of me or my antecedants

Had you taken the trouble to properly inform yourself as to the true status of the case before you made so positive a declaration you would have found that C. J. Noel is, was, and always has been, a citizen of this country.

The accident of birth being no bar to the fact that his father was a citizen of the United States before his son, myself, was born.

True, I was born in Canada but that fact did not make me a subject of that country, as my mother was on a visit at the time of my birth and returned home as soon after as was possible under the circumstances, to her home in Brooklyn where my father was. As he was a citizen, I, although foreign born, enjoyed the rights of a citizen as coming from my father.

You state another error when you say that I applied for my first papers yesterday in open court; such is not the case. If you were conversant with the modus operandi of such applications you would have known that I received my final papers at that time.

In your whole article you have continued in the same strain of error, if through ignorance or not I do not pretend to say, the fact exists that you certainly did not know of what you wrote.

Speaking of my being "one of the few foreigners that ever held office in this country," is another error on your part. You cannot name one who ever held a Government office. Are you aware that to hold office the foreigner must take the oath of allegiance to the United States before he can hold an office, and as soon as the oath is taken he is no longer a foreigner but a citizen of this country. Many of the soldiers of the late war were made citizens by thus renouncing all other powers and taking the oath, as was known at the time and has always been recognized since. Your further statement that I worked strenously against the consolidation of my office with Plainfield is not true, as the records of the department will prove that I was in favor of the movement. You say it will be remembered that I was vigorous against it. Whoever remembers such a thing has a more elastic memory than yourself.

Possibly you may be desirous of knowing why then did I apply for papers if I was, as I state, a citizen. That matter is of no importance to the community in which I live, and the actions of an individual are free so long as he does not contravene the customs of the place in which he lives. In the desire to have the papers I applied for I followed out a wish of my own and for which I am not accountable to anyone.

You refer to my raising the Cuban flag over my residence as though by such action you would infer that my sympathies were foreign. You state that I claimed to be in communication with the rebels. I have not made any claims of any kind. I give you, however, permission to see a copy of the message sent to me by Senator Call from the floor of the House the instant that the vote on belligerency was passed, and received by me over the Western Union. It may give you some idea that I have a little interest in the "ever faithful isle."

I regret that this letter has been necessary, but owing to the prominence which you headed your article, and being so well known as I am, I find that it is incumbent upon me to repudiate the statements that you have made, and I will insist upon my right to have this communication given the same prominence that the article had that brought it out.

I have the pleasure of being, as always, a citizen of the United States.

C. J. Noel.

Lederer to Open Up Again.

The many friends of Isaac Lederer, whose dry goods store was gutted by fire Wednesday afternoon will be glad to hear that he has rented the old post office store on East Front street, and will soon open up again. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Lederer's misfortune after having built up such a business with years of toil and honesty. He will doubtless retain his old customers at his new place of business.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Ranbolph, 143 West Front street.

GAME WARDEN'S FINE JOB.

Two Hunters Fined $65 for Illegal Hunting, and He Gets Half the Money.

According to the Game law of this State the game warden making an arrest gets one-half the fine imposed upon the offender, and the committing justice gets the other half. Consequently in the counties where game is abundant the position of game warden is much sought after.

Deputy Game Warden Stone, of Somerset County, has made the position pay him quite handsomely so far this week. Frisco Socrisco is in jail, charged by the Warden with illegally killing two robins, and will not be released until he pays $42.66 or $20 and costs for each bird he shot. The other victim was George Sewati, who was arrested for shooting a rabbit a few hours before the opening of the season. For this offence he was fined $23, which as paid by his friends, and he was released. Socrisco, cannot be released, no matter how long it may be be, until he or his friends pay his fine.

WANTS A RUMOR DENIED.

An Official Says No Policeman Has Assaulted His Wife.

A city police official requests The Press to authoratively deny the charges which have been gossiped about the streets for some weeks past to the effect that a member of the force assaulted his wife. The official says that he believes the rumor to be totally without truth.

Chief Grant wishes The Press to say that the charges made against Patrolman Totten were not for selling his coat, but for misrepresenting to him and Sergeant Kiely the fact that he had sold it to Special Officer Hanser. These charges were proven against Totten and he was reprimanded for them.

A Colored Society Event.

The marriage of Mrs. Betty Jetter to Charles Bonney was solemnized at 523 East Sixth street Wednesday evening by Rev. W. D. Johnson. The bride wore a white maroon dress with cream colored lace and white slippers. Miss Lulu Reed was bridemaid, and was attired in a white silk dress. The best man was Lemuel Somerset. Among those present at the ceremony were Worth Watson, Anna Groves, Miss Jetter, Rev. L. L. Crounce, Walter Daniels, Mrs. Charles Daniels and Elvira Goode.

Generally Battered Up.

J. Philip Kirch, of Somerset street, is nursing a sprained wrist and a sore hand and all because of a little adventure Wednesday morning on his wheel. He was returning from Mt. Bethel and while coming down the Warrenville hill he met a wagon and started to turn out. Now there happened to be a little ditch in his path and the next he knew, he was gyrating down the hill while the wheel was turning back somersaults. He finally managed to reach home somewhat the worse for wear.

Theft of a Trophy.

A cup awarded to the Union County Roadsters of Rahway about two years ago has been stolen from their clubhouse. The disappearance was first noticed on Sunday evening, but the matter was kept quiet, and Chief of Police Wright was notified. The cup was valued at $150 and rested in the front parlor to the left of the main entrance on a stand, surrounded by other valuable trophies won by the association.

Danced to O'Reilly's Music.

The "Jolly Six" gave a dance in the Gesang and Turner Hall, last evening, and it was attended by some thirty couples. The inclemency of the weather interfered to a noticeable extent with the attendance, but those present kept up the dancing to Prof. O'Reilly's music until 3 o'clock this morning.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass, had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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$800 IN GOLD DROWNS A MAN.

At the burning of a steamboat on the Hudson river many years ago, many of the passengers were drowned. Among the bodies brought up from the bottom by grappling was that of a man known to have been an excellent swimmer. Around his waist was a belt containing nearly $800 in gold. That told the story.

"In old and chronic cases of indigestion (dyspepsia or gastritis—it is all the same) the sufferer develops a great variety of symptoms and often dies—poisoned by the products of his own torpid and inflamed stomach. His food, instead of being digested, and so furnishing strength and physical substance, ferments and putrefies within him. The chief process of life is arrested at a vital point. The more he eats the worse off he is. And yet unless he can be fed he must also perish. People do so die, daily by thousands, but we doctors seldom have the moral courage to give the cause its true name lest we should be laughed at for our inability to cure so 'simple' a thing as indigestion. Simple? Why, it is the capstone of all complaints—and the mother of most of them."—So writes a famous English physician.

Some of the symptoms alluded to are these: Loss of appetite; distress after eating; heartburn and palpitation; giddiness; foul taste in the mouth; the rising of nauseous acids and gases into the throat; furred tongue; spots before the eyes; unaccountable weariness and fatigue; sluggish circulation; weakness and nervous prostration; constipation or diarrhœa; discolored skin, etc.

The sufferer's friends often advise him to cheer up; to throw off his lethargy and eat freely. Bad advise. He knows better. "No," he answers. "I cannot; my food does me no good." He is right. Food now is gold in the spent swimmer's belt.

Take light nourishment, followed immediately by a dose of the Shaker Digestive Cordial—a new and radical remedy discovered and prepared by the Shakers of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y.—the essence of medicinal herbs and plants cultivated by them alone. Then continue with it. Relieves at once and soon cures. Pleasant to the palate and adapted to all constitutions.

Trial bottles—which prove its merits—at ten cents. For sale by nearly all druggists.

Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY, the FIRST DAY of DECEMBER next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St.

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 618 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.

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Undertaker and Embalmer,

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Joseph Pellatt,

Evangelist,

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Gospel Revival Meetings

at the rooms,

314 West Second Street,

as follows:

SUNDAY, NOV. 15, at 3 p. m—Help meetings for Young Christians.

SUNDAY, NOV. 15, 7:45 p. m.: MONDAY, NOV. 16, 8 p. m., and WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 8 p. m., Gospel Revival Services. All cordially invited. 135

Dancing and Aesthetic body Culture.

PROF. SEGADLO

Will open classe at

OLYMPIA HALL,

Sycamore street near Fourth st., Plainfield, on Wednesday, Nov. 18, 1896.

Class for young ladies and Children in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, evening class for ladies and gentlemen at 8 o'clock. For terms and etc., send for circular address,

L. F. SEGADLO,

24 West Park Street,

Newark, N. J.

11-12-6

Administrator's Sale!

T. J. CAREY, - - - - - - - - Auctioneer.

Will sell at public auction on

Saturday, Nov. 14, '96,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 o'clock in the evening, and continuing daily until all is sold, the

Hardware, Woodenware and General Housefurnishings

contained in the store of the late Robert Anderson, deceased, on East Front street, corner Watchung avenue. Terms cash.

11 10 4t A. W. ANDERSON, Administrator.

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CLOTHING Of the Latest Style for Men, Boys' and Children. Suits and Overcoats.

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Ready made gowns and dresses ordered from samples. All the latest novelties of the season.

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USEFUL BOOKS GIVEN AWAY.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING ART AND FANCY WORK.

Mrs. Nella Daggett, of Boston, has recently a book, "Fancy Work and Art Decorations," that gives practical instructions for making doilies, table covers, scarfs, tray cloths, pin cushions, etc., etc., with fifty illustrations. This book, together with "Successful Home Dyeing," will be sent free to any reader who forwards the attached coupon and a 2-cent stamp to Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt.

COUPON NO. 262.

This entitles any reader of The Press to one copy of "Fancy Work and Art Decorations," and "Successful Home Dyeing."

The above liberal offer is made to advertise the reliable Diamond Dyes, and to get their book upon home dyeing into the hands of women who want to dress well by making their old clothing look like new

The fact that Diamond Dyes have been the standard home dyes for nearly twenty years, and that their sale increases from year to year, is proof positive that they have never had an equal.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.—To Valerie Baird and Z. Taylor Baird: By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the date hereof, in a cause wherein Charles A. Reed is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of said complainant on or before the twenty-eighth day of December next, or the said bill be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Z. Taylor Baird to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, dated April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you, Valerie Baird are made the defendant because you were the owner of said premises and claim to be entitled to and inchoate right of dower therein. And you Z. Taylor Baird are made defendant because you were the owner of said premises and may still claim some interest therein.

Dated October 27, 1896.

REED & CODDINGTON,

Solicitors of Complainant.

10-30-4 wf Plainfield N. J.

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Sybilla E. Albert, deceased, will be audited and stated by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the 16th day of December next.

Dated October 8th, 1896.

JAMES LESLIE,

WILLIAM R. CODINGTON.

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Sugar Cured Hams, - 12c

" " Cal. Hams, 8c

Jersey Roasting Chickens, 16c

" Dressed Fowls, 16c

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NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Tucker Dunham deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, within nine months from the seventh day of October 1896, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

MARY THANKFUL DUNHAM,
MAXSON MARVIN DUNHAM,
Executors.

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MANY a HOUSE has been destroyed by a spark thrown out from an open fire.

You can have perfect protection by using a Spark Guard and can buy the best for $1.25.

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NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m.
{ 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{ 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

John Herbert, of Jersey City, is in town visiting his parents on church street.

James McMann has resigned his New York Evening Telegram position.

Ayers Brothers, of Plainfield, have taken possession of Mrs. John Taylor's fish and oyster business.

William Wilhelm has gone to Easton and other points in Pennsylvania to buy up Winter apples.

Fred. Nelson has a five-year-old mastiff dog which weighs 180 pounds. It's as big as a Shetland pony.

Contractor Firman Gise, yesterday, put on the hard finish coating in the rooms of the new Town Hall building.

Sylas Naylor is much better from his recent attack of intermittant fever, and is now fairly on the road to recovery.

Theodore Kuldosch tried his luck at hunting, yesterday, but the rain put an end to his sport before he sighted much game.

No direct word has been received from brakeman "Gus." Warden, who went gunning on Tuesday and it is surmised that he will return today or tomorrow with a cargo of choice game.

A. A. Parker, of this place, yesterday, sent a choice lot of fancy fowls to Kirby, the Cortlandt street, New York, chicken fancier. They were boxed and shipped all ready for exhibition.

Wilson Fredericks, of this place, Chief Clerk in the U. S. Express Company's office, in New York City, will start for Niagara Falls tomorrow, on a trip combined with both business and pleasure.

Chris. Huff and Charles Whyhuskey went gunning, yesterday. "Chris." shot an orphan duck and "Charley" brought home an emaciated looking rabbit. But then it rained and they didn't walk over twelve miles.

It seems strange, but the ordinary corn cobs are now being put to a more profitable use than simply kindling fire with them. Walter E. Smith has just received a carload of corn cobs, which he is rapidly coverting into pipes for smokers.

A delegation of Dunellen's most promising younng men attended a reception and cotilion in Garier's Hall, Bound Brook, last evening. Music was furnished by the Somerville orchestra and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the Charity Hospital.

If the Borough Commissioners or the Street Railway Company would do a little grading and lay a cross walk at the street car terminus here, they would gain the everlasting gratitude of the traveling public. Mr. Emery has agreed to perform the work if the material is forthcoming.

John Huff, George Huff and Joel Giddis intend trying to break the record during the present "open season." Yesterday they went to Pluckamin, where they had gone for four successive years, but strange to say they did not even get sight of a quail. They did, however, shoot thirty-three rabbits, eight squirrels, one woodcock and a partridge.

A Prosperous Lodge.

Martha Washington Council, No. 28, Daughters of America, the only confined auxiliary to the Jr. O. U. A. M., is only about four months old, and is very prosperous not only financial but otherwise. At their meeting next Tuesday evening the council will initiate eight new members and as many more propositions will be received. It is expected that several of the State officers will be present to witness the iniatory work.

A Christmas Carrol.

"Bethlehem's Morning Star," a Christmas carol, has been issued by a New York publishing house. The words are by Minnie G. Morse, of Franklin place, who has evidenced great ability in this line of composition, and the music by William E. MacClymont, the talented musician.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financialy able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Walding, Kinan, & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. Bellis, of West Second street, kas recovered from a slight illness.

Miss Lucy Boss, of Central avenue, is visiting friends at Phillipsburg.

John Stewart, of Plainfield avenue, is quite ill at his home with the grip.

Miss Mary VanFleet, of East Third street, is detained at home by illness.

Herbet Doyle will resign his position in the dairy on North avenue, Saturday.

Mrs. Abram Angleman, of West Front street, is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Margaret Fosbre, of West Sixth street, is recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Laura Lee Rogers, of New York, is visiting Miss Agnes T. Faber, of Willow avenue.

Rev. George A. Luckenbill, of Duer street, is on a two weeks visit with relatives at Boonton.

Peter B. Matthews, of Grove street, left this morning to spend several weeks in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Swackhamer, of West Sixth street, are the guests of friends in Piscataway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Pond, of Washington avenue, spent yesterday at Elizabeth visiting friends.

Millard F. Elderton, of the Courier-News, was called to Auburn, N. Y., today on account of the illness of a relative.

Prof. George W. Stevens, of Duer street, is in Norwalk, Conn., on a business trip. He will be absent about two weeks.

Word has been received from Miss Rendall, who is stopping in New York State for her health, that she is much better.

Miss Justina Clark, of Saratoga Springs, is a guest at the home of Miss Gussie Emmons, of Rockview avenue.

Mrs Burdick, of New Market, who has been very ill during the past two weeks, is reported as being no better.

Mrs. Charles D. Treat, of Auburn, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. F. Randolph on Duer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Duer W. Biard have returned to their home on Grove street, after a week's visit with friends in New York.

Mrs J. T. Smith, of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson, is being entertained at the home of Hon. and Mrs. Charles Place, of Grove street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Clark, of Crescent avenue, have returned from Chicago, where they have been stopping for a week.

Miss Maggie Long, daughter of Gen. Eli Long, whose summer home is at Penn Yan, N. Y., is visiting Plainfield friends.

Miss Lillian Moore, of Piermont, N. Y., will spend the winter with her brother, A. J. Moore and family, of Westervelt avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, of West Front street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound girl baby. Wednesday was the date.

Harold, the young son of Mayor and Mrs. B A. Hegeman, is confined to his home on Myrtle avenue, suffering from a severe cold.

Miss Florence M. Thorn returned to her home in Elizabeth yesterday after a pleasant visit with Miss Susie Woodland, of Duer street.

Mr. Smith and Wm. Holmes, of East Front street, took part in a musical and literary entertainment held in Brooklyn Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kelcey, of New Brunswick, has returned home after a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dunn, of Park avenue.

Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, of East Front street, will attend a grand reception to be held at the home of a friend in New York Thursday evening of next week.

Miss Minnie Williams, of Sandford avenue, entertained the Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, of Trinity Reformed church, at her home yesterday afternoon.

Sheriff Billy Kirk shook so many friendly hands at the depot this morning, that when he took the train for Elizabeth his right arm was nearly pulled out of place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Andress and daughter, Miss Dorothea Andress, of St. Paul, Minn., are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Linderman, of East Second street, for the winter.

Bessie, the daughter of Lewis Hendemark, is ill at her home on Duer street, suffering from scarlet fever. The house is quarantined. Dr. Carman is the attending physician.

BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., meets tonight.

—John Goodwin is engaged at present painting E. L. Bouny's house on on Mercer avenue.

—A. J. Winckler's house, on Mercer avenue, has just been treated to a handsome coat of paint.

—The T. A. B. Association will hold their annual dance in their hall on West Fourth street this evening.

—The Central Railroad Company recently issued directions to its foremen to lay off all trackmen on rainy days.

—The regular drill of the Plainfield High School Cadets yesterday afternoon was postponed on account of rain.

—Routine business was transacted at the meeting of Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., of Scotch Plains, last evening.

—The literary society of Monroe Avenue Chapel will an interesting programme at their meeting to be held in the chapel this evening.

—Alex Lusardi, of 211 West Front street, has a large stock of foreign and domestic fruit of all kinds. California fruit a specialty. Give him a call.

—The candidate for admission into Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., failed to show up at the meeting Wednesday night and will be initiated next month instead.

—Examine the derbys at J. R. Blair's, 126 Park avenue, you will see that they lead. He has correct shapes and styles, and nothing but the correct shapes.

—Woolston & Buckle have the contract for the painting of the exterior and decorating the interior of Mrs. Thomas Fawcett's home on Washington avenue.

—George R. Leland signed, yesterday, a contract for the tinning work on the new Strong house on Central avenue below Ninth street. The contract price was $250.

—Contractor A. C. Lazzi completed yesterday the laying of the crosswalk at the corner of Greenbrook road and Duer street, which was ordered laid by the borough Council.

—The Common Council of the borough of Mountainside, at its last meeting, passed resolutions of sympathy for the family of the late Nicholas Crocheron, who was the first Assessor of the borough.

—Leggett, the druggist, is selling large quantities of his preparation of cod liver oil. This is just the season when this medicine is needed, and no better article can be found than that compounded by Mr. Leggett.

—Rev. W. D. Johnson, of this city, will preach at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. In the evening Rev. Chas. Wilson, of Newark, will preach. There will be preaching in the morning by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Groves.

—Several representatives from fire insurance companies in New York were in Plainfield yesterday looking after their interests at Lederer's dry goods store, which was burned Wednesday afternoon. The work of taking account of stock was commenced yesterday.

—The class of '97 at Leal's School is composed of the following young men: Lewellyn Bull, W. Kirby Dwight, Everett J. Peck, J. Frank Boone, J. Vincent Rittenhouse, Albert Stevenson, Paul L. Anderson, Hugh Miller, Clarence Brokaw, A. B. White and Charles Davis.

—A few nights ago at a late hour a colored man, evidently under the influence of liquor, called at the home of Edward Vail, on Elmwood place, and awakened the latter out of his sleep. When Mr. Vail appeared at the door the colored gent was unable to explain what he wanted, and as he showed no inclination to go he was assisted by Mr. Vail in leaving the yard. It is said that the man played the same scheme at several residences.

A Fine Lecturer.

Rev. Amory H. Bradford, pastor of the First Congregational church at Montclair, has the following to say of Rev. John Watson, who is to deliver an address in this city next month for the benefit of the Children's Home:

My Dear Major Pond: You ask me concerning Rev. John Watson as a speaker. I consider him one of the finest I have ever heard. Those who know him by his writings will not be disappointed in his public address. He is full of wit and pathos and power. He will be a great success as a lecturer, not only because of what he has written but because of his wonderful gift as a speaker.

For Toilet AND BATH! BRUSHES for the body, for the Teeth, for the Hair, Brushes for the Clothing, and the hat we wear "Quite Pat." Brushes for this and Brushes for that. In fact, with us, Brushes are

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Edward White has received a very pretty line of all wool sweaters for the ladies.

—Common sense is better than war. Save your common cents by trading with Peck.

—Conductor Soaper, of Greenville, was in town this morning and spent a few hours with friends here.

—The vaults for the new City National Bank have arrived and the work of putting them together is being rapidly pushed.

—Next Tuesday night John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, will be inspected by the division inspecting officer from New Brunswick.

—A Thanksgiving concert and festival will be given by the children of the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church Sunday school in Reform Hall.

—A grand bazaar will be conducted in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, beginning Wednesday, December 2d and continuing for three days.

—Ninty-six cents will buy enough of Love's plush pattern of wall paper to decorate a room 12x12 and nine feet ceiling, including sidewalls, ceiling and border.

—An illustrated and stereopticon lecture will be given by Dr. C. J. Laffin, of Africa, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church, on November 23d. His subject will be "Light in the Dark Continent."

—The petit jurors were called back to Elizabeth again this morning to sit in some of the criminal cases now pending. It is thought that a week or ten days more will complete the session.

—Edward Morse, of Post 73, G. A. R., will inspect Wadsworth Post, of Somerville, next Thursday evening, and Kilpatrick Post, of Elizabethport, on the following Saturday evening. A delegation from Post 73, will escort Inspector Morse on both occasions.

—The way to cure catarrh is to to purify the blood, and the surest, safest, best way to purify the blood is by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to take, easy to operate.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

$85 BUYS
the FINEST COLT IN THE STATE: five years old; sound and right every way. Cost former owner $140 three months ago. Can be sold for this low price because we got him in a trade for a team of coachers. Suit doctor, delivery collector, or any purpose where a good horse is needed.
BOULEVARD SALE & EXCHANGE STABLE
107 Frelinghuysen Ave., Newark, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—White girl, as cook and laundress; must have good references. Apply 745 Watchung ave. 11-13-w

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock pullets. 179 Rahway Road. 11-13 2

FOR SALE—Good road horse, cheap. 121 Hillside ave. 11-13-2

FOR SALE—Two good fresh cows. Geo. H. Neumann, Martinsville, N. J. 11-13-2

FIRST CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 11-10-1y

LAUNDRESS wants work by week has good reference. Address. M. Press Office. 11-13 2

TWO furnished rooms in a very desirable locality. Address H., care Press. 11 12 2

TO LET—Elegant 6 room apartments, Jackson building, steam heat, janitor service, halls carpeted, heated and lighted. Rent reasonable, particulars at Packer's furniture store. 11 12-tf

ROOMS with board at 217 West Second street. 11-10-6

FOUR rooms with city water to let, upstair, at 124 Duer street. 11 10 tf

TO LET—Rooms to professionals or nurses, furnished to suit with services, from $2 to $3 per week. Address M., care Press. 11 10 6

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, att'y., corner Park and North aves. 11 7 10

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

HORSES boarded by the month. Terms reasonable. W. H. Rogers Washingtonville. 9 16tf

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We sell goods cheaper than Any other Plainfield store Figures may attract But its merit that convinces.

No 13—14—15—16. Of the series of Trade Makers that **White of Plainfield Will offer Tommorrow.**

NO. 13.
10 Pieces of 45 in. All wool Black Henrietta cloth 33c the yard.

NO. 14,
100 Fine plaid shirt waists for Ladies. Have been $1.50 each. Will go for 59 cents.

NO. 15.
100 Doz. Fine all linen huck towels, the 25c kind. Our price 13c. Two for 25c. 5 Pieces half in all linen Table damask 39c the yard.

NO. 16.
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CHAPTER X.

He became aware that the furnace-roar of the battle was growing louder. Great brown clouds had floated to the still heights of air before him. The noise, too, was approaching. The woods filtered men and the fields became dotted.

As he rounded a hillock he perceived that the roadway was now a crying mass of wagons, teams and men. From the heaving tangle issued exhortations, commands, imprecations. Fear was sweeping it all along. The cracking whips bit and horses plunged and tugged. The white-topped wagons strained and stumbled in their exertions like fat sheep.

Presently the calm head of a forward-going column of infantry appeared in the road. It came swiftly on. Avoiding the obstructions gave it the sinuous movement of a serpent. The men at the head butted mules with their musket stocks. They prodded teamsters, indifferent to all howls. The men forced their way through parts of the dense mass by strength. The blunt head of the column pushed. The raving teamsters swore many strange oaths.

As the youth looked at the regiments, the black weight of his woe returned to him. He felt that he was regarding a procession of chosen beings. The separation was as great to him as if they had marched with weapons of flame and banners of sunlight. He could never be like them. He could have wept in his longings.

He discovered that he had a scorching thirst. His face was so dry and grimy that he thought he could feel his skin crackle. Each bone of his body had an ache in it and seemingly threatened to break with each moment. His feet were like two sores. Also, his body was calling for food. It was more powerful than a direct hunger. There was a dull, weight-like feeling in his stomach, and when he tried to walk his head swayed and he tottered. He could not see with distinctness. Small patches of crimson mist floated before his vision. While he had been tossed by many emotions he had not been aware of ailments. Now they beset him and made clamor.

A certain moth-like quality within him kept him in the vicinity of the battles. He had a great desire to see, and to get news. He wished to know who was winning.

The column that had butted stoutly at the obstacles in the roadway was barely out of the youth's sight before he saw dark waves of men come sweeping out of the woods and down through the fields. He knew at once that the steel fibers had been washed from their hearts. They were bursting from their coats and their equipments as from entanglements. They charged down upon him like terrified buffaloes.

Behind them blue smoke curled and clouded above the tree-tops and through the thickets he could sometimes see a distant pink glare. The voices of the cannon were clamoring in interminable chorus.

The youth was horror-stricken. He stared in agony and amazement.

The fight was lost. The dragons were coming with invincible strides. The army, helpless in the matted thickets, and blinded by the overhanging night, was going to be swallowed. War, the red animal, war, the blood-swollen god, would have bloated fill.

Within him, something bade to cry out. He had the impulse to make a rallying speech, to sing a battle hymn but he could only get his tongue to call into the air: 'Why—why—what—what's th' matter?"

Soon he was in the midst of them. They were leaping and scampering all about him. Their blanched faces shone in the dusk.

The youth turned from one to another of them as they galloped along. His incoherent questions were lost. They were heedless of his appeals. They did not seem to see him. They sometimes gabbled insanely. One huge man was asking of the sky: "Say, where de plank road? Where de plank road?" It was as if he had lost a child. He wept in his pain and dismay.

Presently, men were running hither and thither in all ways. The artillery booming, forward, rearward, and on the flanks made jumble of ideas of direction. Landmarks had vanished into the gathered gloom. The youth began to imagine that he had gotten into the center of the tremendous quarrel and he could perceive no way out of it. From the mouths of the fleeing men came a thousand wild questions, but no one made answers.

The youth after rushing about and throwing interrogations at the heedless bands of retreating infantry, finally clutched a man by the arm. They swung around face to face.

"Why—why—" stammered the youth, struggling with his balky tongue.

The man screamed: "Let go me! Let go me." His face was livid and his eyes were rolling uncontrolled. He was heaving and panting. He still grasped his rifle, perhaps having forgotten to release his hold upon it. He tugged frantically and the youth being compelled to lean forward was dragged several paces.

"Let go me! Let go me."

"Why—why—" stuttered the youth.

"Well, then—" bawled the man in a lurid rage. He adroitly and fiercely swung his rifle. It crushed upon the youth's head. The man ran on.

The youth's fingers had turned to paste upon the other's arm. The energy was smitten from his muscles. He saw the flaming wings of lightning flash before his vision. There was a deafening rumble of thunder within his head.

IT CRUSHED UPON THE YOUTH'S HEAD.

Suddenly his legs seemed to die. He sank withering to the ground. He tried to arise. In his efforts against the numbing pain he was like a man wrestling with a creature of the air.

There was a sinister struggle.

Sometimes, he would achieve a position half erect, battle with the air for a moment, and then fall again, grabbing at the grass. His face was of a clammy pallor. Deep groans were wrenched from him.

CHAPTER XI.

At last, with a twisting movement, he got upon his hands and knees and from thence, like a babe trying to walk, to his feet. Pressing his hands to his temples, he went lurching over the grass.

He fought an intense battle with his body. His dulled senses wished him to swoon and he opposed them stubbornly, his mind portraying unknown dangers and mutilations if he should fall upon the field. He went in tall-soldier fashion. He imagined secluded spots where he could fall and be unmolested. To reach one, he strove against the tide of his pain.

Once, he put his hand to the top of his head and timidly touched the wound. The scratching pain of the contact made him draw a long breath through his clenched teeth. His fingers were dabbled with blood. He regarded them with a fixed stare.

Around him, he could hear the grumble of jolted cannon as the scurrying horses were lashed toward the front. Once, a young officer on a besplashed charger nearly ran him down. He turned and watched the mass of guns, men and horses sweeping in a wide curve toward a gap in a fence. The officer was making excited motions with a gauntleted hand. The guns followed the teams with an air of unwillingness, of being dragged by the heels.

Some officers of the scattered infantry were cursing and railing like fishwives. Their scolding voices could be heard above the din. Into the unspeakable jumble in the roadway, rode a squadron of cavalry. The faded yellow of their facings shone bravely. There was a mighty altercation.

The artillery were assembling as if for a conference.

The blue haze of evening was upon the fields. The lines of forest were long purple shadows. One cloud lay along the western sky partly smothering the red.

As the youth left the scene behind him, he heard the guns suddenly roar out. He imagined them shaking in black rage. They belched and roared like brass devils guarding a gate. The soft air was filled with the tremendous remonstrance. With it came the shattering peal of opposing infantry. Turning to look behind him, he could see sheets of orange light illumine the shadowy distance. There were subtle and sudden lightnings in the fair air. At times he thought he could see heaving masses of men.

He hurried on in the dusk. The day had faded until he could barely distinguish places for his feet. The purple darkness was filled with men who lectured and jabbered. Sometimes he could see them gesticulating against the somber sky. There seemed to be a great ruck of men and munitions spread about in the forests and in the fields. The little, narrow roadway now lay lifeless. There were overturned wagons like sun-dried bowlders. The bed of the former torrent was choked with the bodies of horses and splintered parts of war machines.

It had come to pass that his wound pained him but little. He was afraid to move rapidly, however, for a dread of disturbing it. He held his head very still and took many precautions against stumbling. He was filled with anxiety, and his face was pinched and drawn in anticipation of the pain of any sudden mistake of his feet in the gloom.

His thoughts, as he walked, fixed intently upon his hurt. There was a cool, liquid feeling about it and he imagined blood moving slowly down under his hair. His head seemed swollen to a size that made him think his neck to be inadequate.

The new silence of his wound made much worriment. The little, blistering voices of pain, that had called out from his scalp, were, he thought, definite in their expression of danger. By them, he believed he could measure his plight. But when they remained ominously silent, he became frightened and imagined terrible fingers that clutched into his brain.

He held continuous arguments as to whether he should lie down and sleep at some near spot, or force himself on until he reached a certain haven. He often tried to dismiss the question, but his body persisted in rebellion and his senses nagged at him like pampered babies.

At last he heard a cheery voice near his shoulder: "Yeh seem t' be in a pretty bad way, boy?"

The youth did not look up, but he assented, with thick tongue: "Uh."

The owner of the cheery voice took him firmly by the arm. "Well," he said, with a round laugh, "I'm goin' your way. Th' hull gang is goin' your way. An' I guess I kin give yeh a lift." They began to walk like a drunken man and his friend.

As they went along, the man questioned the youth and assisted him with the replies like one manipulating the mind of a child.

In the search which followed he seemed to possess a wand of a magic kind. He threaded the mazes of the tangled forests with a strange fortune. In encounters with guards and patrols he displayed the keenness of a detective and the valor of a gamin. Obstacles fell before him and became of assistance. The youth, with his chin still on his breast, stood woodenly near while his companion beat ways and means out of sullen things.

The forest seemed a vast hive of men buzzing about in frantic circles, but the cheery man conducted the youth without mistakes until at last he began to chuckle with glee and self-satisfaction. "Ah, ther yeh are. See that fire?"

The youth nodded stupidly.

"Well, there's where your reg'ment is. An' now good-by, ol' boy, good luck t' yeh."

A warm and strong hand clasped the youth's languid fingers for an instant, and then he heard a cheerful and audacious whistling as the man strode away. As he who had so befriended him was thus passing out of his life, it suddenly occurred to the youth that he had not once seen his face.

He went slowly toward the fire indicated by his departed friend. As he reeled, he bethought him of the welcome his comrades would give him. He had a conviction that he would soon feel in his sore heart the barbed missiles of ridicule. He had no strength to invent a tale; he would be a soft target.

He made vague plans to go off into the deeper darkness and hide, but they were all destroyed by the voices of exhaustion and pain from his body. His ailments clamoring, forced him to seek the place of food and rest at whatever cost.

He swung unsteadily toward the fire. He could see the forms of men throwing black shadows in the red light, and as he went nearer it became known to him in some way that the ground was strewn with sleeping men.

Of a sudden he confronted a dark and monstrous figure. A rifle barrel caught some glinting beams. "Halt, halt." He was dismayed for a moment, but he presently thought that he recognized the nervous voice. As he stood tottering before the rifle barrel he called out: "Why, hello, Wilson, you—you—here?"

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Believed To Have But Very Little Reason for Existence.

MAY BE A TRICK ON SPAIN'S PART

She Is Looking for a Method of Graceful Exit from an Unpleasant Situation, and Embroilment with Us Would Suit Her Purpose---Our Course.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The little war flurry which is now absorbing the attention of the public to some extent is generally believed to have no cause for existence, except that it has been no secret that the administration has for some time been anxious about developments in the Spanish-Cuban trouble. The impression is gaining ground in Washington that Spain is now playing a merely theatric game in the field, while her ministers are preparing an embroilment with the United States as the most graceful way out of a very unpleasant mess. It is hoped by the administration that Spain will abandon her purpose. Another cause of the rumor is the fact that the president, Secretaries Olney and Herbert and Admiral Bunce have been in conference frequently of late. The report that Consul-General Lee furnished most of the information upon which fears of Spain's hostile action are based is inaccurate, as he has no knowledge of the course of events in Madrid. All he said simply strengthened the president in his determination to maintain his attitude of strict neutrality, and unless some unfriendly act is committed by Spain the president's annual message to congress will contain no recommendation of congressional or executive action in regard to the Cuban war. What the president fears, however, is that he will be forced to notify congress that a hostile act has been committed by Spain and ask for authority to resent it.

Senator Sherman's View.

New York, Nov. 13.—Senator Sherman, who is still in New York, said to-day, in speaking of the reports from Washington about possible hostilities with Spain: "I don't look for any trouble with Spain. Mr. Cleveland seems to be following the right policy, that of maintaining neutrality with all the friendly powers."

THE BOOM IN WHEAT.

It Touched 95 Cents Yesterday, Beating All Records for the Year.

New York, Nov. 13.—A new high price for wheat was scored yesterday when cash wheat, or, in other words, wheat for immediate delivery, sold at 95 cents a bushel. The previous high price was 94 cents, on Tuesday. The chief dealings were in December wheat, or wheat delivered in December, which touched 89¼ and closed at 89¼, or 2¼ cents above the closing on Wednesday. December corn made a net gain ¼ cent and December oats ¼ cent. It was announced on the Produce exchange that H. D. McCord & Sons were loading 500,000 bushels of corn for South Africa. It was said that grain would form part of the cargoes of six steamers.

Farmers Selling Wheat.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 13.—The elevator companies report farmers marketing wheat more freely, owing to the good prices offered.

Sues Because He Lost His Vote.

Baltimore, Nov. 13.—Thomas R. Hall has brought suit against the Sassafras River Steamboat company for $5,000 for causing him to lose his vote on election day. He says that on Oct. 19 he bought a round-trip ticket from Georgetown to Baltimore and return, and in coming on the steamer the wrong coupon was taken by the purser. When he wanted to go home to vote the company refused to accept the ticket for passage back. He did not have means to pay his fare and was obliged to remain in Baltimore.

Brush Co.'s Plant Moves.

Cleveland, Nov. 13.—The Brush electric plant, located here, is being moved to Lynn, Mass. Eight hundred employes are affected. The Brush Electric company is controlled by the General Electric company and makes arc burners and dynamos. At the present Lynn works street railway supplies are made. New buildings are being erected there for the Cleveland machinery. The capital of the Brush company is $2,500,000.

Von der Ahe Sues a Newspaper for Libel.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Early last month the Washington Post published an article relating to the troubles between Chris Von der Ahe of the St. Louis Baseball club and the National league, which asserted that Mr. Von der Ahe was about to be expelled from the league for various reasons. Yesterday Von der Ahe brough suit against the Post company for $50,000 damages.

Policeman Killed by a Trolley Car.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 13.—Police officer George W. Purvis while attempting to board a Grand street trolley car last evening slipped and fell under the wheels, receiving injuries which caused his death a few hours later. This brings the list of trolley victims in this city up to 167.

Civil Service State Position.

Albany, Nov. 13.—Willis A. Roth of Buffalo has been appointed as an electrician in the Long Island state hospital at Brooklyn. The appointment was made from the civil service eligible list. The salary is $900 year.

Fire on Steamer Avonmore Extinguished.

London, Nov. 13.—The fire in the fore-hold of the British steamer Avonmore, at Liverpool from Galveston, has been quenched.

MAJ. M'KINLEY IN FINE FORM.

The President-Elect Enjoying Plenty of Rest---His Many Visitors.

Canton, O., Nov. 13.—Major McKinley said this morning that he is beginning to feel thoroughly rested. He slept long and well last night and had a fine appetite for breakfast. He still has many visitors, brought here by the fact that he leaves to-morrow for Cleveland, but the frequency of the calls does not prevent him from often crossing to his wife's room to chat with her and tell her of the contents of his mail. He had his photograph taken yesterday with the members of the committee which looked after the entertainment of the 2,000 ex-confederates from the valley of the Shenandoah who visited him before the election. A large number of the ex-confederates had asked for this picture, and that is the reason Major McKinley consented to be taken in it. Senator Elkins sends the following letter of congratulation: "I never doubted your nomination and I never doubted your triumphant election. I am glad West Virginia helped to bring about both. From the beginning I was sure we could carry West Virginia for you. It is now a republican state, and we hope to keep it in the republican column. Your election inspires hope and confidence in the business world Under your wise administration I predict unprecedented prosperity." Ex-Gov. James E. Campbell wrote as follows: "Inasmuch as Chairman Jones gives it up, I presume a democrat may now present his most cordial congratulations without fear of party discipline. Both Mrs. Campbell and myself join your many personal friends in wishing you a happy sojourn in the white house and long life and prosperity thereafter." Solicitor of the Treasury Reeve writes: "I desire to extend my heartiest congratulations and to express the hope that your administration will be eminently successful and distinguished. The man who hopes for less is not a good citizen."

BOYNE'S FINE REMITTED.

The Steamer Left Smyrna Without a Manifest To Protect Armenian Refugees.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Acting Secretary Hamlin has remitted the fine of $500 imposed upon the British steamer Boyne for failure to produce proper manifest. After the vessel was laden at Smyrna the Turks threatened to take some Armenian cabin passengers out of her. The following day the United States man-of-war Minneapolis arrived and Admiral Selfridge informed the master that he would protect him if any attempt were made to take the passengers from the ship by force, but advised him to leave the port as soon as possible to avoid complications. The consigners of the merchandise also advised him to sail immediately and the American consul gave him the same advice and also gave him a bill of health. A complete manifest was forwarded from Smyrna by mail, and has been presented at the New York custom house.

Accused of Theft by a Former Sweetheart

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 13.—Deputy Sheriff Hawley of Monroe county, N. Y., last evening arrested Israel Gordon of this city, charged with larceny in the second degree. Gordon went without a requisition. He is charged with the theft of jewelry from a girl to whom he was formerly engaged. Gordon says she returned the things when the engagement was broken by a Jewish rabbi, and afterwards sued him for breach of promise and lost her suit. He then came east, and she brings this suit out of revenge.

Seaboard & Roanoke Railroad Trouble.

Baltimore, Nov. 13.—Reports were current to-day in local financial circles to the effect that the hitch in the negotiations for the transfer of the stock of the Seaboard & Roanoke railroad company, which carries with it the control of the Seaboard Air line system and the Baltimore Steam Packet company to the Ryan-Thomas syndicate of New York, is due to the refusal on the part of the Seaboard's management to allow an expert examination of the books and accounts of the property.

Gen. Herkimer's Monument.

Little Falls, N. Y., Nov. 13.—The Gen. Herkimer monument which was dedicated yesterday afternoon by the Grand Lodge of Masons of New York state, and marks the grave of Gen. Herkimer, is erected two miles east of this city. It is sixty-five feet high and can be plainly seen from the New York Central and the West Shore railroads' tracks.

Passed Bogus Checks.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—William S. Wilson has been arrested here on the charge of passing bogus checks on business men of Washington. The checks he is alleged to have passed were for $225 on W. A. Keen and $25 each on R. T. Warwick and W. Yeveman, all of Washington.

Qualified for Promotion.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Lieut.-Commander C. H. West, Lieuts. K. S. Prime, W. H. Beehler and N. E. Mason, Ensigns G. R. Evans and W. H. G. Bullard, passed assistant paymaster J. A. Mudd and assistant engineer J. B. Patton have qualified for promotion.

Washed Overboard and Drowned.

London, Nov. 13.—The German bark Atlantic, Capt. Doyen, from Philadelphia, September 16, for Gefle, reports having experienced heavy weather, during which one of her crew was washed overboard and drowned.

Knights of Labor in Secret Session.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 13.—To-day the grand assembly of the Knights of Labor will hold two secret sessions, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:43 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:45 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:45 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Y. M. C. A. team will meet for practice tonight at the Washington avenue grounds. It is very necessary that all members of the team should be present.

The stage that is to convey the Y. M. C. A. team to Westfield tomorrow afternoon will start from the Y. M. C. A. building instead of the Babcock building at 2.30 o'clock sharp.

The candidates for the Spartan football team did not meet for practice last evening on account of the wet. They will meet on the Westervelt avenue grounds tomorrow night instead.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

George Voehl, the West Front street baker, who is one of the crack bowlers on the Westfield team, rolled 166 and 148 respectively in the two games Wednesday night.

Four more games will be rolled on Monday night. The Cranford team will roll two with the New Jersey Athletic Club on the latter's alleys. The famous five from the Elizabeth Athletic Club will make its first appearance on the Park alleys on that night and two games will be rolled.

The Park Club played in their first game in the Central Journal League with the Cranford Country Club on the latter alleys last evening. Cranford took the lead at the start, but the visitors forged ahead in the sixth frame and won the first game by 821 to 785. Cranford led in the second game and held it to the finish, winning by 101 pins. They rolled 832 and the Parks 731. The Park team consisted of VanBurren, Taylor, Matthews, F. O. Ball and Sannford. The home team consisted of Watkins, Smith, Rogers, Madden and Sharp.

The Central Journal Bowling League opened on Wednesday night when four games were rolled. Two were rolled on the Elizabeth Athletic Club alleys between the team from that club and the team from the Bayonne Rowing and Athletic Association. The Elizabeth boys rolled well and took the first game by a score of 884 to 727. They won the second game by 865 pins to 789. The Westfield Club and the Roselle Casinos broke even on the latter's alleys. Westfield won the first, 800 pins to 774, and then the home team braced up and won by a score of 742 to 740.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Harold Armstrong, of East Front street, shot three rabbits Wednesday morning in the mountain.

The farmers of Washington Valley have posted signs around their property warning off the shooters from trespassing there.

Mr. Ross and son, Fred Ross, of Park place, have returned from Neshanic, where they captured thirty-eight rabbits and four quail.

Robert F. R. Huntsman, of Westervelt avenue, was among the many hunters that roamed through the fields of Union and Somerset counties. He shot better than many of his fellow-hunters, however, and secured sixteen of the "cotton tails."

GOLF.

Another of the delightful afternoon teas that have made the new clubhouse of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club so popular this fall will be held at the clubhouse tomorrow afternoon. There will be no match playing on the links.

WHIST.

The teams from the Park Club and the Jersey City Whist Club will play for the State whist trophy at the Park Club house tonight.

Notes of the Fire.

Foreman Joseph Blimm, of the truck, deserves equal credit with George Studer in recovering the cash box and books at the Lederer fire. $3.75 in pennies was found this morning in the ruins. Pearson & Gayle are now figuring on the carpenter work and John P. Emmons on the mason work. The insurance men have given Mr. Lederer permission to have his clerks start at work in looking over the damaged goods.

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HIS NINTH BIRTHDAY.

Charles Westphal, Jr., is Subjected to a Happy Surprise.

The ninth birthday anniversary celebrated last evening by Charles Westphal, Jr., of West Second street, proved to be a joyous and happy occasion for all present. The young host was calling on his sister, Mrs. George Gray, at 6.30 when a number of his young friends gathered at his home and prepared for the surprise. When Charley came home and saw so many people present he was speechless and did not know what to say. His guests brought him a nice collection of presents as tokens of regard. A beautiful supper was served to all. The table presented an attractive appearance, with pretty decorations. In the centre a choice birthday cake surrounded by nine lighted candles. After supper the young folks played games, and enjoyed both vocal and instrumental music. The event came to an end at ten o'clock when the following guests present left for home wishing their host many happy returns of the day—Emma Foster, May Barrelle, Sarah Montgomery, Nessie Innes, Minnie Gunsiman, Mamie Inness, Dottie Smalley, Ruth Thompson, Nellie Thompson and James Cullen, William Montgomery, J. Barrelle, Clifford Smalley, George Fisher, Peter Gunsiman, John Gray, Eric Benson.

To Make a Report Soon.

The Madison avenue commissioners met in the City Council rooms last evening to meet any persons who might wish to offer objections to the widening of the avenue and E. B. Ryder, representing the Gillies estate, was the only one present to object and he felt as though the estate would not realize as much as it should. The commissioners met this afternoon and closed up their dealings. They will present to the City Council at the first regular meeting in December.

A Youth Surprised.

James Pope, aged sixteen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Lincoln place, was given a surprise party at his home last evening. The affair was arranged by the parents, who invited a few of their son's intimate school friends to spend the evening playing games and having a general good time. A feature of the surprise was the excellent refreshments served.

Where is James?

James Long, who recently stole a chicken from Evan Jones was arrested yesterday and appeared before Justice Newcorn, who released the prisoner on his own recognizance to appear this morning. Long did not show up at the appointed hour and a search has been instituted.

Sisser License Withdrawn.

The Sisser license was withdrawn this morning in the Somerset county court. By this method the case can come up again at the next term of court. Judge De Meza was present to oppose the license if it should have come up.

Granted a Non-suit.

Justice Newcorn granted a non-suit today in the case of Lognovitz against Murphy, as the plaintiff failed to put in an appearonce. The case of McDonald against Collins will be tried by Justice Newcorn Nov. 19th.

—Van Emburgh will sell to-morrow only one lot of ladies' vests and pants, Winter weight, for 25 cents each; regular price, 39 cents.

—VanEmburgh will sell to-morrow one lot of odd sizes of children's camel hair shirts at the ridiculous low price of 19 cents each.

—J. W. VanSickle, the North avenue butcher, received to day a quantity of Jersey turkneys, ducks and pork and tenderloins for to-morrow's trade.

—"Ingomar" will be presented at Music Hall to-night by the Kennedy players. E. P. Sullivan, who plays the title role, is known as one of the best interpreters of the character on the American stage.

—W. L. & J. M. Smalley, the popular Somerset street butchers, have the choicest stock of meats to be found in town, also all kinds of game and the first turkeys of the season, which cannot be excelled. It is well worth one's time to visit this well-known market.

Miss Hayes, of West Seventh street, gave a very delightful party at her home Tuesday night. About twenty-five were present. The evening passed very pleasantly with games and conversation.

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The Young Populist Who Wants to Be Governor of Georgia.

Seaborn A. Wright, recently nominated by the populists of Georgia as their candidate for governor, enjoys the distinction of being the first nominee of the people's party of that state who has ever had any reasonable chances of success. In previous campaigns in Georgia the gubernatorial candidate of the people's party has not come nearer than within 25,000 votes of his democratic opponent. This year, however, because of a state alliance of the populists and democrats, the third partyites in Georgia have some chance of electing their candidate.

For a populist nominee, says Leslie's Weekly, Mr. Wright is a very unique figure, being neither a farmer nor a poor

SEABORN A. WRIGHT.

man, nor uneducated. His father, Judge Augustus R. Wright, was a prominent figure in the Georgia life of his day, and the family has always been one of means, with connections rather aristocratic than plebeian. Seaborn Wright is a college graduate, with the bearing of a tragedian. He has a clean-cut face, long, wavy black hair, and the bearing of a typical southern orator. His greatest force is his eloquence, which is of the fervid, ringing type brought into national prominence recently by Candidate William J. Bryan.

Mr. Wright lives in a handsome home in the north Georgia city of Rome, and enjoys a fortune of a quarter of a million dollars. His wife was a Miss Moore, of Atlanta, and they have a family of four bright and interesting boys. Seaborn Wright has always been a dissenter in political affairs, and his only service in office was when he was elected to the state legislature several years ago as an independent democrat. His fad is prohibition, and his campaign will be waged chiefly on that issue; an issue which is expected to focalize the strength of the rural districts, which really preponderate in Georgia politics. His friends hope that by combining the populist and prohibition votes, he will be able to defeat his democratic opponent, Gov. William Y. Atkinson, who is a candidate for reelection. The populist nominee is only 38 years old. His younger brother, Moses Wright, who was elected to the last legislature as a democrat, will oppose him in the coming campaign.

LOCKS FOR POCKETS.

An Invention That Attacks a Sacred Right of Married Women.

Another one of woman's rights has been attacked—the right of search, the same privilege for which England contended in the war of 1812, and as England lost then so femininity seems about to lose to-day. A Chicago firm of wholesale clothers has invented a locked pocket, to be put in trousers, coats and vests. The fad has captured male wearers of clothes and bids fair to become popular. It is an attachment by which pockets can be locked, and any attempt to go through them will be forestalled to failure.

That the effort to introduce these pockets is likely to be opposed by women is certain. The very means which the manufacturers use to advertise them insures this. A circular issued by the firm reads:

"You have been there. You have waked up in the morning and found your spare cash gone and not known how it has vanished. Your wife denies

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that she has been through your pockets, and you cannot prove that she has done so. You can prevent such occurrences in future by placing our 'patent protection pockets' in your clothes."

Aside from this claim, others are made for locked pockets. The manufacturers say that they will prevent pocket picking, and that their universal use will force every criminal who practices the art to turn his attention to some other line of business.

There are no locks on the locked pocket, or at all events what might be called a lock is keyless. They work with a spring by a combination which is secret to all but the wearer. If locks with keys are desired they can be employed, but the danger in such an event would be that the key might be locked in the pocket, and a mar would have to go to a locksmith if he wanted car fare.

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AN EXTRAVAGANT HABIT.

The White Haired Veteran and His Great Passion For Whittling.

The white haired veteran had a very shame faced look when his wife came up to where he was sitting in front of the general store. The floor around him was covered with whittlings. He folded up a big jackknife and turned his head to avoid the reproving glances of his helpmate.

"I was too late, wa'n't I," she exclaimed in a tone of discouragement. Taking a pine shingle from under her shawl, she threw it down and said, "I've driv cattle, an I've plowed land, but keepin track of a man is wuss'n anything I ever tried yit."

"I re'ly didn't think," he said apologetically.

"I knowed ye wouldn't think. When a man gits inter the way o' whittlin, he jes' quits doin ev'thing else, seems ter me. Soon's he once tastes the joys o' whittlin he's satisfied ter go ahead. I put that shingle out on the porch an tol yer exackly where 'twas. An yet ye come off wethout it."

"It does seem kinder ongrateful in me," he answered.

"'Tain't the ongratitude as moves me. Ye don't think I hurried down here with that shingle owin ter a fear thet ye'd git ongrateful, do ye? I knowed what was goin ter happen. I knowed thet ef ye didn't hev nothin else handy ye'd do whut ye did before, regardless of expense. That's the third wooden leg ye've whittled up in the last three months. I don't altogether blame ye fur whittlin, fur, ez I've said before, when the habit once takes hold it's wuss than fever an ager fur stickin to a man. But I must say thet when he's got a wife thet's willin ter run roun after 'im an keep 'im supplied weth material ez don't cost nothin fur him ter cut up three wooden legs, every one of 'em store bought, in three months, is downright shif'less."—Washington Star

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The newest in Butter Color Oriental in fine lace net-top, beautiful designs, 4-inches wide, at 10c, 12c, 13c and 15c.

Extra fine and handsome Butter Color Orientals, new patterns, 6 1-2 and 7 inches wide, only 15c. And in 7 1-2 inches wide, only 25c. And in 10 inches wide, only 29c.

EXQUISITE APPLIQUE LACES.

6 1-2 inches wide at only 15c. All Linen Torchon Laces, hand-made, new designs, from 8c. and up. An elegant assortment of Black Chentelle Laces, newest things out, 3 1-2 inches wide, all silk, 15, 18 and 24c.

Black Chentelle Lace Edgings, all silk, 10c and 15c a yd. The low prices will surprise you. Beautiful Dentelle Mousseline Butter Color Laces, 4 inches wide, at only 10c. 6 inch wide at only 12c.

Fine Point Lierre Butter Color Laces, 7 inches wide, only 35c. 8 1-2 inches wide only 45c.

A large variety new Butter Color Valencienne Lace Edgings from 3c to 14c a yard.

The Very Latest in Veilings.

Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, all silk, 14 inches wide, only 8c. Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, 18 inches wide, all silk, at only 20, 25 and 28c. Black M line Veiling, all silk, 27 inches wide, 20, 25 and 30c yard. White Chiffon Veiling, black dot, 18 inches wide at 35c.

In connection with this BIG SALE of Laces, we are showing our new Fall and Winter purchases of elegant Hamburgh Embroideries, nicer and cheaper than anything we have ever shown before. Also a new line of ALL SILK Cheap Ribbons in all colors, from Nos. 5 to 22, at only 6c to 17c. A special JOB of black and colored Ribbons, in Satin and gros grain and double faced satin, and Moire gros grain, figured and plaids, Nos. 16 to 60. All to go at only 25c.

Remember we don't buy "seconds," or auction, trash, or second-hand bankrupt goods, in order to get low figures. Everything is the best at our store and we not only advertise to sell CHEAPER than any other house, but actually do it, WALLACE & CO.'s., Most Excellent Confections, fresh every Friday at less than N. Y. prices.

We are receiving new goods every day now, and you will be pleased and satisfied if you do your trading at

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Per Pair. Button and Lace; Goodyear welts; dressy and serviceable. Just the shoe for Ladies' who dislike Rubbers.

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Elegant " Men's Cash, " " " " $6 & $7.

OTHERS AT $8, $9, $10 AND UP.

Our Overcoat stock consists of the most desirable and best selected goods in the market. These elegant Fur Beaver, Chinchilla and Kersey Coats are going at prices unheard of Come while the assortment is complete.

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PLAINFIELD COUNCIL, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward Building, Park avenue, at 8 p.m.
Harry C Adams, Regent.
Frederick C. Pope, Secretary.

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CHOSE A PRESIDENT.

MRS. MALLI NOW AT THE HEAD OF THE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.

A Misunderstanding About Arrangements and Councilman Fisk Was Not Present to Address the Woman's Association.

There seemed to be a misunderstanding regarding the fact that Councilman Charles J. Fisk was to address the members of the Town Improvement Association yesterday afternoon. Although the matter was talked over and Mr. Fisk was asked to speak before the Association, the Councilman failed to receive the invitation, and he did not appear. Mrs. Pierre Malli, the president-elect, stated that Mr. Eisk was anxious to speak at a meeting of the association regarding a similar society at Washington and it perhaps at some future time an evening meeting could be held at which time Mr. Fisk could be present.

At the meeting there was considerable business transacted. It was decided to change the time of meeting and hereafter the Executive Committee will meet on the second Tuesday in the month and the public meetings will be held on the fourth Tuesday. Mrs. Malli suggested that a committee be appointed to revise the constitution and a motion was made that the president, MissTweedy and Mrs. Haviland be chosen as such a committee. Mrs. Malli gave notice that she intended offering an amendment to the constitution changing the entrance fee from 50 cents to $1. The matter will be considered at the next regular meeting, although those present did not show themselves to be in favor of the change.

The next business transacted was the receiving of Mrs. Gifford's resignation as president of the association. Mrs. Gifford, formerly Mrs. E. T. McCarthy, living out of Plainfield and being unable to attend the meetings decided that it was best that she should resign. It was reluctantly accepted. Mrs. Pierre Malli was thereupon unanimously elected as president of the association. Rev. Jocelyn Johnstone offered his resignation as a member of the Advisory Board, owing to pressing and important business. The resignation was accepted and Mrs. H. P. Opdyke was elected to fill the vacancy in the Executive Committee caused by Mrs. Malli being chosen president. This concluded the business of the afternoon and the meeting adjourned.

EUROPE WANTS OUR OIL.

The Standard Company to Extend its Plant to Meet the Foreign Demand.

The exclusive publication in The Daily Press of Thursday that the Standard Oil Company are to double their capacity at the refinery, at Constable Hook, has aroused a great deal of interest. This morning the New York Herald says this morning:

All is activity at Constable Hook, where the works of the Standard Oil Company are located. A big gang of carpenters is at work erecting new buildings, new machinery is arriving daily, and the machinists are hustling to get it set up.

These innovations are the result of an important decision recently made by the company to largely extend its plant and increase its already enormous output of coal oil.

S. T. C. Dodd, counsel for the company, yesterday said that during the last three years there has been a growing market for American oil abroad, and the company was forced to enlarge its capacity to supply the demand.

The oil is pumped through pipes from the oil districts of Pennsylvania directly to the company's works at Constable Hook. where it is refined and pumped into tank steamers for export. It is the refining plant that is being improved and added to, and the cost of the changes, it is said, will amount to $1,700,000.

The extension is also due to an understanding with the Russian oil companies for a division of foreign territory. The agreement gives the Standard company the exclusive control of a large part of Western Europe, certain Mediterranean countries and also a part of Asia.

Farmers' Institutes.

The State Board of Agriculture has issued its list of proposed "Farmers' Institutes" which will be held during the months of November and December. These meetings will be conducted by the secretary of the board. Three of them are scheduled for Somerset, as follows: November 28th, Harlingen, two sessions; December 14th, Millstone, three sessions; December 17th and 18th, Basking Ridge, four sessions. Much profit is derived from these meetings, and farmers are urged to attend.

Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, of Prospect place, is recovering from a severe illness.

WHIST CUP STAYS HERE

PARK CLUB POSSESSORS NOW THE PERMANENT POSSESSORS.

Won it For the Tenth Time Last Night in Their Game With the Jersey City Club—The Score Was 20 to 6 Points.

Another trophy of victory will now adorn the walls of the Park clubhouse. The silver cup, offered by the New Jersey Whist Association, has been won by the famous "four" of the Park Club by the ten necessary victories. Last night the last match necessary to win to give the Park Club permanent possession of the trophy was played, and the Park "four" easily defeated their opponents, the team from the Jersey City Club by a score of 20 points to 6.

In the first round, the score was 6 to 3, in favor of the Parks. They led in the second round 7 to 3, and in the third round as well, 7 to 0. The Jersey City Club representatives were Messrs. Mecabe, Watson, D. Bowly and C. Bowly. The same four that has so well defended the honors of the Park Club in the past represented them last night, Messrs. Townsend, Rogers, McCutchen and Howell. Messrs. Heuman, of Jersey City, and Clarence Peck, of Plainfield, acted as scorers, and Mr. Kieb, of Fanwood, as umpire.

The trophy, which, last night, became the property of the Park Club, is a handsome silver loving cup and was offered the first of last season by the New Jersey Whist Association. It was first played for at the State Whist Congress over a year ago and was then won by the Parks. The latter have been defeated only twice and have won eight matches and two congresses thus giving them the necessary ten victories.

The Park Club now intends to offer a trophy to the State Association to be known as the "Park Trophy" and it will be played for under conditions similar to those of the cup just won. Although they have not decided exactly what the trophy will be, it is sure to be something worthy of the club that offers it.

The game last night was a well played one but the Parks were too much for their opponents and led from the start. The Jersey City players used the "short suit" game known as the "Foster game" and it would not stand before the "long sent" game of the Parks. The Jersey City team was a gentlemanly lot of players and they were well pleased at the hospitable manner in which they were received. They played well but frankly admitted that the Park Club four was their superior. One of the team told a Press reporter that he considered the Park Club four of the strongest in the State or this section of the country and one of the best in the United States. Messrs. Howell and Rogers were formerly members of the Jersey City Club and the Jersey City team was proud that two of their old club mates should stand so high.

ASSEMBLYMAN'S APPOINTMENT.

Mr. Codington Awards a Scholarship to Lottie P. Johnson.

By an act of the New Jersey Legislature passed in 1894, every Assemblyman and Senator has the right to award a free scholarship in the Colored Industrial School at Bordentown. Assemblyman W. R. Codington, of Union county, has made his appointment. The person to whom he gave the free scholarship is Miss Lottie P. Johnson, of 211 West Third street, a colored girl of industrious habits.

The school is an excellent institution and has done much good in giving a good industrial education to a number of the colored people of this city. Three colored people from Plainfield have already enjoyed its benefits, Harry Thomas, Harry Dundy and Elinora Williams.

Bishop's Visitation.

Right Rev. John Scarborough, Bishop of New Jersey, made a visitation to St. Stephen's church, yesterday. The service for confirmation was held (with choir) at 5:30 p. m, when two persons were confirmed. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the congregation a very fair one for an afternoon service on a week-day.

Fire at Millington.

A small house located at Millington and belonging to the McGowan estate, was totally destroyed by fire early this morning. It is not known how the fire started, and as the town is small and has no fire protection, all hope of saving the house was given up. As far as can be learned there was no insurance.

A Successful Fair.

The accounts for the recent G. A. R. fair have been completed, and it has been found that the amount cleared was between $500 and $600.

FISK WILL BE NOMINATED

HE IS THE MOST AVAILABLE CANDIDATE FOR THE REPUBLICANS.

This Decision Has Been Arrived at by the Leaders During Conferences on Club Cars and in Club Houses.

Charles Fisk will be the Republican candidate for Mayor, the News' denial notwithstanding. During the past week much private caucusing has been going on at headquarters at the Country Club and in the club cars to from the the city.

Among the prominent names mentioned for the office has been George Frost, Stephen A. Ginna Fred C. Lounsbery, as well as Mayor Gilbert. For reasons as explained in the Press none of these gentlemen can arrange their business affairs to undertake the laborious task of administering the affairs of Plainfield.

It is therefore settled that Mr. Fisk has reconsidered his decision, and will be nominated next week.

Real Estate is Booming.

Restored confidence has given a great impetus to real estate dealings. Prices are constantly increasing and there is every prospect of their going higher as time advances. If you want to buy land for speculation now is the time to do it, or if you want to buy for building purposes it is better to do so while the values are low than to wait until they increase. In another column the Plainfield Real Estate Company tells interesting facts with reference to buying property. They have some great offers to make to intending buyers. Read their announcement.

Too Heavy for a Wagon.

The iron door for the new vault at the City National Bank which weighs twelve tons, has caused a great deal of trouble since its shipment to this city. While being carried across New York on a truck the five inch axles of the vehicle were broken in two by the heavy weight. The door is now located in a freight car opposite the North Avenue station and it will have to be moved to the bank on rollers, as there is no truck in town strong enough to carry the heavy piece of iron.

A Funny Sign.

A man came home the other night on the midnight train and, as he reached the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street, he looked at the new sign on Morgan C. Bird's store. It read: "Morgan C. Bird, dealer in oats, hay, feed and shorty." He noticed the mistake in the spelling of the last word, told Mr. Bird and now the sign has been repainted with the last word changed to "shorts."

A Rooster With Fur.

Henry Zimmerman, of Duer street, has a decided novelty which is attracting considerable attention. It is what might be called a featherless rooster, and in place of the feathers there is a profusion of fine fur. The owner is unable to account for the strange circumstance, and says that otherwise the rooster is just the same as any other rooster.

Looking For Fire Horses.

Captain Beeber and Dr. Faust, of the Poughkeepsie Fire Department, were in Plainfield yesterday looking for a suitable team of horses to be used in their department. They about decided on a team, but will have to report back to headquarters before purchasing. The two visitors were highly pleased with the Plainfield department.

Trouble Among Servants.

There was trouble in a Plainfield avenue residence. Lizzie Mills, who is employed as a servant there, said that Albert Sulluan, the coachman, had been abusing her. She had him arrested on the charge of assault and battery but Justice Nash did not think the evidence sufficient and dismissed the complaint.

At a Low Price.

Edward White will put on sale for tonight and Monday fifty dozen of men's unlaundried shirts at the remarkably low price of thirty-nine cents each. They guaraatee them as good as the regular seventy-five cent shirts.

Fined for Breaking Wiudows.

James Kearns and William Drake were fined $3 yesterday afternoon, by City Judge DeMeza for breaking a window in Kersting's bakery on West Front street and being disorderly about Music Hall.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

ONE DEFIANT, ONE MAD.

FEUD BETWEEN EDITOR AND LANDLORD STILL RAGES.

Suits of All Kinds Now Pending in Various Courts-Exciting Incident of Putting Coal into the Printing Office.

The dissensions between J. Alfred Potter, editor of the Cranford Chronicle, and Hugo C. Fett, his landlord, go on with unabated fury. What appeared to be simply a trifle ruffle on the suburban serenity of the two gentlemen has now developed in all sorts of law suits and exciting incidents to afford the wagging tongues of Cranford's gossips a delightful morsel.

All ready The Press has recorded the initive incidents in what might be termed the feud of the editor and the landlord—how the steam exhaust pipe was disconnected from the editor's engine and the subsequent arrest of the plumber performing the work, on complaint of the editor; then the roasting of the landlord over the editorial flame of the editor and the instituting of a suit for damages on the part of the former. From that time on the quarrel has been melodramatic in action and the fourth, fifth and sixth acts have been capped with climaxes in which the hand of the law has been prominent.

The last record The Press had of the case was the report of the suit for $200 damages instituted against the editor by the landlord. Soon after this suit was brought to trial, the editor brought a counter action in Justice Newcorn's court in this city for the same amount against the landlord. Mr. Potter based his claim on the charge that Fett had interfered with his business by ordering the plumber to disconnect the offending steam exhaust pipe, and the attendant publicity given the affair in the press of Plainfield and New York had deterred prospective customers from patronizing him for fear that their work could not be executed on time. The trial of this suit is set down in Justice Newcorn's court for next Monday, while the decision in Fett's damage suit has not yet been announced in Judge Atwater's court in Elizabeth.

Now to make things still interesting for the gossips and at the same time to cause the editor more worriment, Fett last week started another suit against Potter, and this time for defamation of character. The complaint is based on the column editorial that Editor Potter published concerning some alleged uncomplimentary incidents in which the landlord was the stellar setting. Though it is usual for people who feel aggrieved at an editor's attack on their character, to ask for not less than $10,000 as a balm for their injured feelings, Fett was more modest and only names $200 as the amount of his damages, so that he might keep the suit in the District Court at Elizabeth. This case will come up for trial in a short time, and the editor and his lawyer are mapping out a plan whereby they can escape a mulcting. Up to date the legal recourses end here, but the exciting by-play still rages on.

Yesterday, Editor Potter ordered a ton of coal. To get the coal into the bin in his office it was necessary to drive the wagon near a shuttle hole in the side of the building. To do this a narrow lane on Fett's adjoining property had to be utilized. Sometime ago Fett nailed up the gate at the entrance to this lane. When the driver of the coal wagon arrived at the printing office with his coal he found the entrance blocked with the barred gate. He asked the editor what to do. The latter told him to break open the gate. This the driver proceeded to do, but not before his actions were observed from a distance by Fett. Fett started on a run towards the coal wagon, but before he arrived at the spot the driver had opened the gate and drove in.

Fett was in a white heat and demanded to know who had given the driver authority to drive on his property. The driver told him of the editor's order.

"Get out of here," yelled Fett, "I won't have you on my property. Get out, I say."

The driver looked up and replied with the admonition that Fett go to a place where there is no use for coal.

"Well, I'll see about this," exclaimed Fett and off he went.

The driver continued shoveling the coal into the printing office and just as he had finished, Fett returned in company with Mr. Rankin, the coal-dealer.

Fett demanded that the wagon be taken off his property immediately. Since the coal was now in the printing office it was but the natural course of events that this action should be taken without any orders. The wagon was backed off the property and Fett again closed the gates while the editor "laughed up his sleeve" over the little coup.

It remains to be seen whether or not the landlord will again go to court for redress.

THOUGHT HIM A ROBBER.

SO ROUNDSMAN TOTTEN STOPPED MR. MACDONALD IN HIS FLIGHT.

But MacDonald Was Only In a Hurry to Catch a Train as His Friend Explained—An Early Morning Incident.

"Stop! Stop!" shouted Patrolman Totten yesterday morning about 3:30 o'clock as a man sprang out of a house on Grant avenue and rushed towards the station. The officer's shouts brought white robed figures to the windows in the surrounding houses. The fleeing man looked longingly at the station and then slowly came to a standstill. He was excited and said he must get the train that was then approaching. This looked suspicious and Patrolman Totten determined to investigate. The train could be heard in the disdance and the man began to fairly dance up and down in his excitement. He begged to be allowed to go and declared that he had only been running to catch the train.

Another figure appeared at the same door from which the stranger had come and it proved to be that of the man of the house, William G. Gray. The stranger, he explained, was his friend, John McDonald, of Jersey City. He had come to Plainfield to attend the big meeting of the A. O. U. W. and had a very important engagement in Jersey City early in the morning. He had returned home with Gray and was planning to catch the 3:35 train from the Grant avenue station.

When Patrolman Totten saw how the land lay, he allowed Mr. MacDonald to go and the latter sprinted for the train at a lively gait. He swung himself aboard and the white robed figues at the windows in th vicinity returned to their rest and said all sorts of uncomplimentary things about different subjects.

PAPER ON WHITTIER.

Literary Features at Monroe Avenue Chapel.

A new and very delightful plan is now being tried at the Monroe Avenue chapel. Last evening the first of a series of Friday evening literary meetings for the benefit of the people of the chapel was held in the Epworth House, and an instructive and very interesting lecture on "John Greenleaf Whittier" was delivered by Miss Gertrude McCowan, of Tottenville, S. I. Miss McCowan is a pleasant speaker and held the interest of her audience throughout the lecture. She told some things of his early life and his political career, and also introduced selections from his various works to show his style and improvement. His many works of both prose and poetry were referred to, and Miss McCowan made even the dry details of his life seem interesting by her delightful way of telling them.

The meeting opened with several hymns, Miss Charlotte Aldrich acting as accompanist. Then James McGee introduced Miss McGowan.

SCHOOL CONTRACTS.

Board of Education Make Awards for Flagging and Curbing.

The Board of Education building committee, consisting of President Probasco, Fred C. Lounsbury and L. N. Lovell, met at the home of the president last evening and awarded the bid for flagging and curbing around the new Lincoln School building to H. C. N. Johnston, of 308 East Front street. His bid for four-foot flagging was 47 cents per foot, and 34 cents per foot for curbing. Michael Powers bid 54 cents for flagging and 35 cents for curbing, while J. T. Vail's bid was 48 cents for flagging and 38 cents for curbing.

Mr. Lounsbury submitted plans for the work, which met with the approval of the other members. This was the principal and only important business transacted.

War in the Alley.

There was a war of words on Paradise Alley yesterday and a scene in the city court, this morning, was, of course, the result. Mrs. Frances J. Miller and Miss Kate Miller, both refidents of that famous thoroughfare, claimed that Gordon and William Parsons had called them naughty and improper names. Now the Parsons live there, too, and all four had been talking at the same time and, perhaps, not in the most gentle way imaginable. At any rate, City Judge DeMeza found them guilty and suspended sentence.

Central Journal League.

Following is the standing of the clubs in the above league:

	Won.	Lost.
Elizabeth A. C.	2	0
Park Club	1	1
Cranford Country Club	1	1
Roselle Casino	1	1
Westfield	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	0	2
New Jersey A. C.	0	0

FERRYBOAT IN A CRASH.

THE FANWOOD RUN INTO BY SOUND STEAMER NASHUA.

Plainfielders on Board the Ferryboat, and There Was Great Consternation Among Them Over the Collision.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey ferryboat Fanwood, left the foot of Liberty street with 500 passengers for Jersey City at 5:38 p. m. yesterday, many of whom were Plainfield commuters. An unusual strong tide rendered deeper than usual by the stiff wind blowing down the Hudson made Capt. Smith's task of navigating the boat a difficult one.

As the Fanwood left her berth the Providence and Stonington freight steamer Nashua was dropping down the river with her engines running with only part of their power. The tide and wind were sufficient to give her a strong headway.

The Fanwood kept on and the Nashua drifted too fast to be checked in time to avoid a collision. Although the freighter's captain at a late moment saw that the crash was coming and signalled the engineer to reverse, the white boat smashed into the starboard side of the Fanwood forward of the men's cabin.

There was a crash, followed by the griding, cracking and splintering of the thin shell of the ferry-boat. The Fanwood's entire hood forward was knocked off and the cabin half way from the paddle box to the bow was knocked in. Every seat was occupied on the outer side and the standing space was all filled with men.

As the Fanwood gave a lurch to port those in the seats were thrown forward against those standing. Then there was also a rush to the other side of the boat.

Several men had their shins and hands bruised by flying splinters and by being thrown to the deck by the shock. Among the women panic prevailed. As the Fanwood kneeled they screamed, and the more frightened ones wept and prayed.

The deck hands, as the Fanwood righted after the collision, reassured the passengers, and confidence and quiet were soon restored.

A man who was on the Fanwood said that the manner in which the Nashua was managed after the collision was commendable and skilful in the extreme. "If the steamboat had not been handled exactly as she was she would have cut the ferry boat in two," he said.

After the Fanwood had righted forward the Nashua kept on for the Sound. At the Jersey City end the crushed ferry-boat was laid up and today will be placed in dry dock. Her guard was not cut at all, only her under and joiner work being carried away.

None of the Central Railroad of New Jersey officials were willing to place the responsibility for the accident last night.

William M. Pangborn was one of the Plainfielders on the ferryboat and when the collision occurred, he was pitched to the floor and in the excitement several persons walked all over him Mr. Pangborn fells pretty sore today.

At the Plainfield High School.

Instead of the usual Friday morning lecture, yesterday, Superintendent H. M. Maxson gave the pupils a little good advice. He specially cautioned them never to say anything about anyone unless they could say something good.

The Senior class essays on the book "Silas Mamer" are due on Monday.

A Midnight Marauder.

A man, with more liquor aboard than he could conveniently carry, tried to kick down the door to the office of Hedden's livery stable Thursday night. He roared around in a most unpleased manner until Frank Hedden started to call an officer and then the intruder disappeared.

Visited the Coal Bin.

It is usually a cold day when Frank Hedden gets left, but the mercury was not low on Tuesday and someone visited his coal bin near the stables on East Fourth street and disappeared with nearly a ton of coal. Now that the coal is gone he has a padlock on the door.

Married by a Justice.

Last week Justice Nash performed a quiet marriage ceremony. The contracting parties were Miss Ellen Beyaert, of this city, and Adolph Dumoulin, of New York. Miss Beyaert was formerly employed here as a domestic. They will live in New York.

Trespassed While Hunting.

Justice Nash has issued a warrant for the arrest of the Italian, Joe Miller, on complaint of Henry Clay Randolph, for trespassing on Randolph's property with a gun. Miller wanted to be a hunter but he wandered on the property of Randolph with the above disastrous results.

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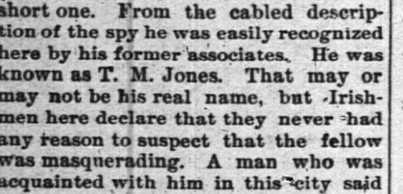

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Discuss the Story from London of the New English Spy.

DENY EXISTENCE OF A SECRET PARTY

The Alleged Successor of Le Caron Known in New York as T. M. Jones—Was Trusted, But Not a General Favorite.

New York, Nov. 14.—The story of the new Irish spy, as told in a London dispatch, created a sensation in Hibernian circles hereabouts. At the headquarters of many of the societies formed for the purpose of seeking Ireland's freedom, sons of the emerald isle gathered last evening to discuss the new informer, which they did in no calm language. He was roundly denounced; some of the more excitable even boldly intimating that the career of the latest English tool would be a short one. From the cabled description of the spy he was easily recognized here by his former associates. He was known as T. M. Jones. That may or may not be his real name, but Irishmen here declare that they never had any reason to suspect that the fellow was masquerading. A man who was acquainted with him in this city said that Jones had a marked individuality and a personal appearance not altogether pleasant. He had no popularity with his associates, but pushed himself forward in the organizations to which he had become attached. In this way it was that he became prominent in what is known as the Clan-na-Gael circles. His first appearance in this country was noted five years ago, when he joined a Gaelic society in New York, an organization whose object was the study of the Irish language. Lacking the quality of genial companionship and the faculty to make friends easily, it was a year or more before Jones made his presence in the society manifest. His membership here, however, had but one purpose, and that was to promote acquaintanceship with certain Irishmen so that eventually he could gain admittance into the secret or so-called "revolutionary" body. His plan worked well, though it possibly required a longer period to accomplish the end than he contemplated. He finally did ingratiate himself into the confidence of his fellow members and succeeded in getting into the "inner circle." He was passed as being all right. Indeed, there seemed no more enthusiastic man enlisted in his "camp" for the friends of Ireland than Jones. Time was the one thing he appeared to have plenty of. He proffered his services in every possible manner and never missed a meeting. It was not very long before he knew the ins and outs of the organization. What information the man has can only be conjectured. Irishmen here say he knows nothing of consequence. But they believe facts will not stand in his way and that he will resort to any story the English detectives may see fit to concoct. It is denied in Irish quarters that such organizations as Jones described in his testimony exist here. The English have maintained spies in America for at least a quarter of a century. One man, "Le Caron," acted as one of the queen's spies here for twenty years without detection. His methods were similar to Jones'.

Dowager Duchess of Sutherland.

London, Nov. 14.—The dowager Duchess of Sutherland, who was married Thursday at St. George's church to Sir Albert Kaye Rollitt, a member of parliament and a well known London solicitor, has not been a favorite in English society since she was confined in Holloway jail in 1893 for six weeks for destroying a document relating to the will of the Duke of Sutherland. By that will she received $2,500,000 and an annuity of $25,000.

Verdict in the Andrus Inquest.

Yonkers, N. Y., Nov. 14.—The jury in the Andrus inquest, after listening to the testimony of several witnesses, brought in the following verdict: "We find that Hamlin J. Andrus came to his death by being blown to pieces in the office of the Arlington Chemical company, on the morning of October 21, by the explosion of nitroglycerine, dynamite or some other high explosive, by some person or persons unknown

MRS. McKINLEY CONVALESCENT.

First Social Event at the President-elect's Home Since the Election.

Canton, O., Nov. 14.—Last evening a number of the neighbors and friends of Major and Mrs. McKinley spent the evening by special invitation at the house of the president-elect. Mrs. McKinley had so far recovered her health as to be able to receive her guests. This was the first social event that has taken place at the McKinley house since the election. Gen. William M. Osborne went to Cleveland yesterday afternoon to see Mr. Hanna. It is likely that Chairman Hanna will come to Canton in a day or two to have a long talk with Major McKinley. Mr. McKinley said last night that he would not be able to attend the banquet of the Home Market club in Boston on the 24th of November. A local paper says: "Col. George R. Guyer of the 8th regiment, O. N. G., was in the city yesterday in consultation with Major McKinley relative to the matter of his regiment acting as an escort at the inauguration. Although the president-elect has not stated whom he will give the honor to, the 8th regiment officers have reason to express their confidence in the belief that they will be favored and the railroad authorities are after them relative to transporting them.

GONE WITH $200,000.

Assistant Cashier of a New York National Bank Wanted by the Police.

New York, Nov. 14.—Richard D. V. Wood, past six years assistant cashier of the Metropolitan National bank, is wanted on the charge of appropriating $60,000 of the bank's funds. He is also said to have used $40,000 belonging to his father-in-law, Squire Lawrence; $16,000 belonging to his aunt, Mrs. William Lawrence, and a considerable sum belonging to his cousin, J. Hart of Sparkill, with whom he was associated in the livery business. It is believed that when the full extent of Wood's peculations become known they will amount to a sum in the neighborhood of $200,000. It was said to-day that no trace of the man has been found, but that the efforts to catch him will be prosecuted with all possible vigor.

Steamers Collide in New York Bay.

New York, Nov. 14.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Persia, which arrived last evening from Hamburg, collided with an unknown outward bound steamer when off Robbins reef. The guard rail of the Persia was somewhat damaged, but no serious harm was done. Two children who were leaning against the railing of the Persia were injured, one of them so badly that a hand may have to be amputated.

Nut and Bolt Makers Combine.

Pitsburg, Nov. 14.—A close combination was formed by the nut and bolt manufacturers of the United States here yesterday. An allotment was made to each factory on the ratio of its output. Any factory that exceeds the amount of its allotment will have to pay a heavy fine. The manufacturers have tried three times before to form a combination, but failed until now.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Irregular; prices still high. Dec., 89c.; May, 89¼c.

Corn—Trade irregular; fair demand. Dec., 31c.; May, 35½c.

Oats—Market is quiet; old prices. Dec., 24¼c.; May, 27c.

Pork—Spot firm; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Spot is firmer; fair inquiry. Steam rendered, $4.60.

Eggs—Market steady; light receipts. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26c.; ice house, 16½@17c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 15@16.

Butter—Fair inquiry; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 19¼c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

DIET AS A MORAL AGENT.

Experiment Introduced in a New York Reformatory.

A queer food experiment is being tried at the Elmira reformatory, in New York state, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. All civilized nations hold out some inducement to the criminal in confinement to sooner secure his release from legal restraint. A certain amount of time is always taken off for good behavior. The criminal has often been exhorted to this end by father, mother, brother, sister and by others who had his interest at heart. His manhood, his future, his ambition and his hope of quick release from confinement have been appealed to, and in many cases in vain. Now it is to the man's stomach that the appeal is to be made.

The proposed experiment contemplates a somewhat enlarged scale of dietary privileges, increasing from grade to grade, from lowest to highest, so that within due and proper limits of indulgence of the appetite by prisoners in a prison reformatory for crime they can out of their own accumulations have the privilege to select meal by meal at their pleasure, provided always that they keep their expenditure within the limits of indulgence allowed by the government of the reformatory. The prisoners, under the wage-earning system of the reformatory, as it is at present, must earn their living and keep a credit balance to their account, respectively, in order to progress toward their release by parole. A prisoner, to maintain a credit balance must needs restrain, regulate and exert himself in a manner which accomplishes and shows his improvement; but hitherto the diet rate has been inflexible. It is believed that if more latitude is allowed and the prisoner has a chance of tickling his palate occasionally with mince pie, a juicy roast or other homelike dainties, he will be more likely to make an extra effort to reform. In other words, if he has an inviting menu to choose from for breakfast, dinner and supper, he will get up and hustle and be a man

Business at Ann Harbor Booming.

Ann Harbor, Mich., Nov. 14.—Business is rapidly picking up in all the manufacturing industries in this place. The Michigan Furniture company is running with extra hands to enable it to fill new orders. Nearly every industry in the city is in the same condition.

Receiver for the Vandalia System.

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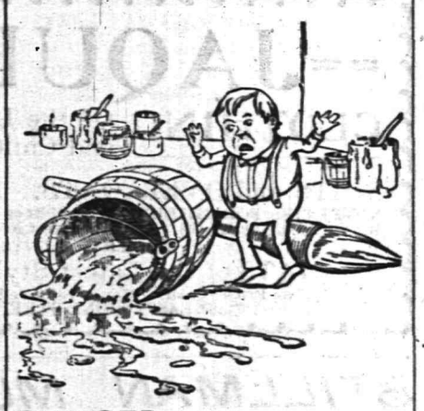

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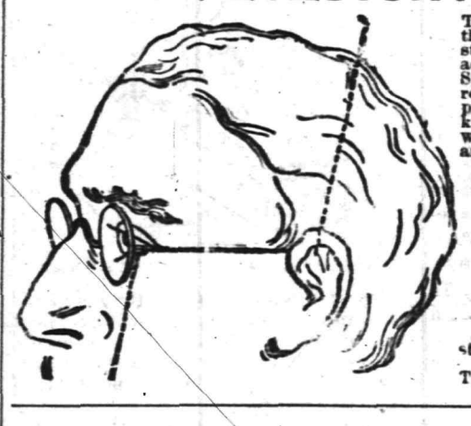

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Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.

Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.

38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.

Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.

A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—4c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

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EVERYBODY LOOKS AT YOUR HAT!

See that it is correct. Correct styles are at

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109 West Front street.

UNCLE SAM IS READY

Serious Trouble with Spain, However, Is Not Expected.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S POSITION

Of Traditional Sympathy with a People Struggling for Freedom, But, Nevertheless, Aware of Our Duty To Fulfill Treaty Obligations.

Washington, Nov. 14.—To a senator who called upon him to-day to inquire in respect to the war rumors in regard to Cuba, President Cleveland replied that the position of this government was as stated in his last annual message to congress, one of traditional spmpathy with a people struggling for autonomy and freedom, but nevertheless this government felt its plain duty to honestly fulfill every international obligation. The president further said that every precaution had been taken so that if occasion should arise in Cuba, the United States could assert itself with force, but he did not think that occasion would arise. Secretary Lamont was more outspoken and expressed his individual opinion that some authoritative statement should be made to put an end to these disturbing and unjustified rumors of war.

Duke du Tetuan Denies a Rumor.

Washington, Nov. 14. — Senor de Lome, Spanish minister has received the following cablegram from the Duke du Tetuan, Spanish minister of foreign affairs, dated Madrid: "The cablegrams from New York and Washington, published in London, referring to supposed notes of Mr. Taylor and the Spanish government are entirely false. There is not the slightest foundation for such rumors, which are undoubtedly of filibustering origin."

THE IOWA'S TRIAL.

Her Contract Speed Exceeded by .27 of a Knot, and She Can Do Even Better.

Philadelphia, Nov. 14.—The big seagoing battleship Iowa returned here last evening from her builders' trial trip off the Delaware capes. The trial was essentially an engineers' trial to give the ship's builders an idea of the power of the engines and the way in which they worked, and the speed developed was a secondary consideration of the trip. Nevertheless, on a two-hour's burst of speed the ship averaged 16.27 knots at 112 rovolutions of the screws. This is .27 more than the contract speed of the vessel calls for, and that the Iowa is capable of better than this was shown when she was occasionally spurted up around the 17-knot notch. The result of the trip was in every way satisfactory to Edwin S. Cramp, who had it in charge for the builders.

Battleship Texas Inquiry.

New York, Nov. 14.—The court of inquiry to investigate and determine the responsibility for the recent accident to the battleship Texas is continuing its labors at the navy yard to-day behind closed doors. It is said at the navy yard that the court will be in session probably for a week. Its findings will be forwarded to Washington and the result made known by the navy department.

Saratoga Monument Repaired.

Saragota, N. Y., Nov. 13.—The repairs to the Saratoga monument at Schuylerville, commemorative of the Battle of Saratoga and the surrender of Burgoyne, are now completed. The $5,000 appropriated by the last legislature has been expended in taking down the top, which was struck by lightning, and rebuilding it and in grading the grounds. The monument is now two feet higher than before.

Silk Mills To Start Up.

Rockville, Conn., Nov. 14.—Belding Brothers' silk mills will begin running full time Monday. The mills employ 400 hands when running full capacity. The mills have run from thirty-two to forty-eight hours per week since 1893. The company started its mills at Belding, Mich., and Northampton, Mass., last Monday on full time.

Methodist Episcopal Missionary.

Detroit, Nov. 14.—The general missinary committee of the Methodist Episcopal church has selected Philadelphia as the place for holding its meeting next year. The appropriation committee apportioned $48,576 to Japan, a cut of $6,000 over last year, and $1,285 to Corea, which is about the same amount as was devoted to that mission last year.

Judge Fleming's Successor.

Washington, Nov. 14.—James A. Wetmore of New York, private secretary to Logan Carlisle, chief clerk of the treasury department, has been appointed to succeed Judge Fleming as chief of the law and contract division of the office of the supervising architect of the treasury.

New London's Public Buildings.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The treasury department has awarded the contract for the new postoffice and custom house at New London, Conn., to Murdock, Campbell & Co., of Chicago, at their bid of $34,943, the building to be completed in ten months.

Haverhill Strikers Win.

Haverhill, Mass., Nov. 14. — The strike at the Bradford Hat factory has been settled and the men returned to work after a lay-off of two weeks. The terms of settlement are favorable to the strikers.

A Pittsburg Company the Lowest Bidder.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The lowest bidder for the heating apparatus of the Richmond, Ky., public building is the Pittsburg Heating company, at $3,465. There were eleven bidders.

ADVANCE IN PRICES

Volume of Business Improving in Nearly All Lines.

IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL REVIVAL

Active Demand for Dry Goods, Clothing Millinery, Shoes, Leather, Hardware, Lumber, Petroleum, Lard, Sugar, Wool, Wheat, Corn and Oats.

New York, Nov. 14.—Bradstreet's weekly review of the condition of trade will to-day say: The volume of business improves in nearly all lines. The most active demand is among jobbers in dry goods, clothing, millinery, shoes, leather and hardware, and in leading industrial lines, nearly 290 mills, factories and foundries having started up this week, one-half of them in iron, steel, machinery, tools, carriages, lumber, glass, woolen and cotton goods lines. About 130 other industrial establishments have increased working hours or working forces, or both, among them nineteen iron and steel establishments, ten glass works, and four factories, each making lamps, clocks, woolen goods and cotton. A partial record of the number of men given employment in industrial lines since Nov. 6 shows an aggregate of nearly 30,000. Demand for iron and steel has not increased after the activity of a week ago, but prices are firm—in some instances advanced—and the trade continues confident of a large business during the coming year. Cotton and cotton goods continue firm and unchanged in price. Print cloths have an upward tendency. Wool is higher on more active demand, but manufacturers are not supplying in excess of wants. Other advances in prices are for leather, shoes, white pine lumber, petroleum, lard, sugar, wheat, corn and oats. The growth of the statistical position of wheat is as marked as heretofore, and renewed inquiries are received from Australia.

Bank Clearings Largely Increased.

Bank clearings leaped up 20 per cent. this week compared with a week ago, the total being $1,190,000,000. Contrasted with the average weekly total in four preceding weeks, the gain 22 per cent. When compared with the corresponding week last year, the increase is only 1.5 per cent., but contrasted with the second week of November, 1894, and the like week in 1893, the increase is 17 per cent. in each instance. The corresponding total in 1892 was large, and the current week's aggregate, as compared with it, shows a falling off of 11 per cent. There have been 258 business failures reported this week, 35 more than last week, but 21 fewer than in the like week two years ago, and 112 fewer than in the corresponding week of 1893.

Heavy Wheat Exports.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States and from Montreal amount to 4,664,515 bushels this week, the heaviest week's total since the second week of September, 1893. This is an increase of about 1,200,000 bushels over last week, and of more than 1,300,000 bushels over the corresponding week of one year ago, and more than 1,700,000 bushels as compared with the like week in 1894, a gain of about 2,000,000 bushels as compared with the corresponding week of 1893, and of more than 700,000 bushels as contrasted with the like week in 1892. Exports of Indian corn have also increased heavily, amounting to 3,782,000 bushels this week, compared with 2,247,000 bushels last week, 1,921,000 bushels in the like week last year, and very much smaller totals in corresponding periods in three preceding years.

War Rumors Affect Stocks.

Reports of possible hostilities with Spain over Cuba have been used in New York stock market to neutralize the bullish speculative feeling aroused by the election and its effect on business and the money market. This has checked the rising tendency in prices and occasioned reactions. Professional speculators have worked for lower prices to regain stocks at advantageous figures or to cover short contracts, the bear interest having increased considerably. The activity and strength of low-priced stocks is a feature. The demand for municipal bonds is growing, and the large over subscription for the issue offered by New York city has attracted attention to this department. The American market has been restricted by high rates for money and a decline in "Kaffirs." The Bank of England is credited with the sale of $4,000,000 United States government bonds in this market early in the week, causing a sharp rise in exchange, but the rate for demanding sterling has receded to 4.85½. Gold imports have stopped, the total since August being $70,000,000.

More Pugilistic Talk.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 14.—Warren Lewis, president of the New York Athletic club, held a long talk with James J. Corbett on the depot platform in this city last evening. Corbett declined to accept the purse of $15,000 to fight Fitzsimmons in New York until he heard from Dan Stuart.

Treasury Gold.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The net gold in the treasury at the opening of business to-day amounted to $123,346,288. The net gain at the New York subtreasury yesterday was $253,700. The withdrawals were $7,100 in coin and $25,900 in bars.

To Meet Next Year at New Brighton, S. I.

Buffalo, Nov. 14.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the New York State Federation of Women's clubs it was decided to hold next year's convention at New Brighton, S. I. The date is to be fixed by the president.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Sunday; Warmer Sunday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 42 Degrees.

FOR A GREATER PLAINFIELD.

The New Tribune is printing letters from the members of the approaching Legislature on what legislation is, in their opionion, desirable. Assemblyman W. R. Codington, of this city, writes as follows:

At the present time I am not prepared to state definitely what legislation I deem desirable at the coming session of the New Jersey Legislature. I would say, however, that, in my opinion, it would be a proper thing to have a portion of North Plainfield township, Somerset county, set off and added to the county of Union. The borough of North Plainfield, embracing some 4,000 or 5,000 inhabitants, is virtually a part of the city of Plainfield—divided, however, by a small stream, which is the county line, and, of course, necessarily under a different government. I think, too, that if the envelopes used at polling-places at our elections were of a different color from the tickets it would be a matter of great convenience to voters.

801 GARRET A. HOBARTS.

A committee, which is arranging for a sound-money demonstration in New Brunswick on Monday, went to Vice-President-elect Hobart to secure his attendance. Mr. Hobart begged to be excused. Then he added:

"Gentlemen, the demands upon my time are enormous. I have about seventy-five invitations to attend dinners and celebrations on Monday. If I did nothing but write autographs for the babies I would be very busy."

"Babies! What do you mean," asked one of the committeemen.

"Why," said Mr. Hobart, 'I have had 800 of them named after me so far, and the end is not in sight."

ODD REASONING.

"There are things that would have been better left unsaid" in the communication of Charles J. Noel, published in The Daily Press yesterday—that is, if Mr. Noel has any regard for the eternal fitness of things. If C. J. Noel "is, was, and always will be, a citizen of this country," why did he ever take out naturalization papers, as he admits he did in one part of his communication, but tacitly denies in another. Mr. Noel's erratic reasoning would seem to indicate that he did not know "where he was at."

Mr. Bacon Wants No Office.

It has been hinted in some quarters that the Plainfield Silver Democrats may place in nomination by petition for the present city campaign the following ticket: For Mayor, James E. Martine; for City Treasurer, John J. Kenney; for Collector, Frank M. Bacon; for school trustee, John F. McIntyre; for Assessor, Frank Vosseller. In case any vacancies occur James E. Martine is appointed committee to fill them.

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—I cut the above from the News, stating that the silver party was about to inaugurate a volcanic eruption in city politics by petition, and thrust upon the citizens of Plainfield a set of candidates which is liable to break the serenity of the G. O. P. Now, I should judge the author has got one of those things called the swelled head or a gouty substance forming under the big toe. It can't be an overstock of gray matter which has corroded just beneath the occipital bone, causing him to overflow with such brilliant thoughts and scaring the more sedate people into an unsettled condition of mind. If such be the case, I will say I have never sought an office of any kind whatsoever, neither would I accept one from any party unless there was sufficient salary attached to it to guarantee my full time and attention, and leave me enough to protect myself from the slanderous pen of editorial light. F. M. Bacon.

SEVERIDGE PLEADED GUILTY.

Bullet He Shot Into Eckhardt's Body Has Just Been Located by X-Rays.

Frank Severidge, the Italian bootblack from Westfield, who shot Frank Eckhardt, mail messenger in the employ of the Central Railroad Company at the depot in Elizabeth, was arraigned in the Union county court yesterday morning and pleaded guilty. He will be sentenced today.

His victim has partly recovered, but the ball has not been extracted. The location of the bullet was only ascertained by the use of the X-rays on Wednesday, and today or Monday an attempt will be made to remove it. Severidge will go to State Prison.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

ABOUT FRESH AIR WORK.

MISSIONARY YOUNG PEOPLE LISTEN TO INTERESTING REPORTS.

Rev. Mr. Fox Describes the Conditions Under Which the Poor of New York Live in Their Squalid Quarters.

The young people's service at the Crescent Avenue church last evening was one of special interest along the lines of home missionary work. Miss Mary Miller was the leader and, after reading an appropriate chapter from the Scriptures, she made a few helpful remarks. Miss Miller stated that she was interested in the Westfield Fresh Air Camp. Rev. Mr. Fox, of New York, who is connected with city mission work, and also the Fresh Air Camp, was present and made a few remarks. Mr. Fox stated that he had started a mission on the east side of New York city, in the Seventeenth ward, and since its opening, five years ago, much good had been accomplished. He related some of the terrible conditions to be found in that ward where there was about 3,000 persons living in every block. He spoke of the fearful mortality among the children and of the grand work performed by the Fresh Air Camp last summer in caring for the children. As a result of this work he said that during the last year no less than ninety-six mothers han given their hearts to Christ.

Miss Clary, who has charge of the nursery at the camp, was called upon and briefly related some of the grand results in her department. Many remained at the close of the meeting to converse with Mr. Fox and Miss Clary regarding their work.

CONWAY NOT GUILTY.

He Was Charged With Stealing Watches by Maria Stetson.

Samuel Conway, a colored man from this city, was tried before Judge T. F. McCormick and a jury of twelve men, yesterday, in Elizabeth, on the charge of grand larceny, and found not guilty. Maria Stetson was the complaining witness and she charged Conway with getting away with two gold watches, a silver watch and a revolver. He pleaded not guilty and was represented in court by his lawyer, Clarence L. Murphy, of this city. Assistant-Prosecutor Dunn represented the State.

The different witnesses were sworn and their testimony heard. The lawyers summed up and then the jury retired. After being out only five minutes they returned with a verdict of not guilty.

Kappa Delta Phi Notes.

A meeting of the Kappa Delta Phi of the Plainfield High School was held yesterday afternoon and officers elected as follows: President, Charles Noble, '97; vice-president, Sydney R. Titsworth, '97; secretary and treasurer, Arthur Lederer, '98; sergeant-at-arms, Henry W. Brower, '98; critic, Charles B. Morse, '95. It was decided to have a debate at the next meeting and Charles Noble and Sydney R. Titsworth were chosen principals. Several applications were acted upon and the new members elected.

Asleep on a Load of Hay.

While one of the trolley cars was en route from Dunellen to Plainfield last evening, about 7.30, the motorman discovered a load of hay standing on the tracks, and after repeated ringing of the gong the load did not move. Investigation revealed the fact that the man in charge of the load was sound asleep on the hay. He was awakened and requested to remove the obstruction, which he did.

Mrs. Reed Entertained.

A whist club in Washington Park, composed of twelve women, were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Myrtle avenue, Thursday evening The club meets frequently and in this way much amusement is afforded those who are so fortunate as to belong to the club.

Reiner Libel Case Postponed Again.

The trial of Dr. John Max Reiner, formerly owner of the Elizabeth Herald, on four charges of criminally libelling Mayor Rankin, was set down for yesterday in the Union County Court, but the defence was not ready, and the trial was postponed until December 7th.

A Brotherly Act.

Learning that Isaac Lederer had a large millinery trade which he very much desired to retain, G. L. Van-Emburgh & Son offered Mr. Lederer the use of part of their front show window and a portion of their store for him to continue his millinery business.

Sheriff Kirk's Debut.

Sheriff Kirk made his debut in court yesterday morning and empaneled his first jury. Former Sheriff Kyte was on hand, but the new sheriff did his work with the sang froid of an old hand.

—Prof. Segadlo will open classes for dancing in Olympia Hall, next Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, for children, and the same evening at 8 o'clock for ladies and gentlemen. The Professor is well known here from previous seasons and his lessons have always been very successful.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

E. B. Clark, of Crescent avenue, went to Philadelphia today on business.

Mrs. Hand, of East Front street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Miss Mary Brown, of East Fourth street, has purchased a new Richmond wheel.

Miss Charlotte Cave, of Sandford avenue, has recovered from a slight illness.

Miss Jordan, of New York, is the guest of Miss Mamie Bonnell, of Manning avenue.

Mrs. J. T. MacMurray, of East Front street, is much improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. David P. Hall, on Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cutter, of Richmond street, are entertaining friends from out of town.

Mrs. Eleanor Desborough, of Madison avenue, has been visiting friends in New Brunswick.

Charles Suhr, the Watchung avenue barber, is slowly recovering from his lingering illness.

Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, is visiting her parents at Montclair for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel W. Serrell, of Crescent avenue, attended the horse show in New York yesterday.

Bishop Scarborough made a special visit to St. Stephen's church yesterday afternoon and confirmed a class of two.

Mrs. D. M. Moore, of Central avenue, is having her house on East Fifth street improved by a new coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, are entertaining relatives from High Bridge, Hunterdon county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Langdon, of East Ninth street, have left town and are enjoying a short trip through the south.

George Schoonmaker, of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company, is confined at his home on West Eighth street on account of illness.

Mrs. S. T. Dunn and daughter, of New York State, formerly of this city, are guests at the home of J. D. Runyon, of Park avenue.

Miss Gertrude Haviland, daughter of A. W. Haviland, of Rockview avenue, has gone to Garrison's on-the-Hudson to spend a week with friends.

George M. Macintyre, of the F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company, is taking a well-deserved vacation of one week hunting the elusive cottontail in the woods of Somerset county.

W. D. Murray, President of the Young Men's Christian Association, was among the guests at the dinner given Thursday night at the Windsor Hotel, New York, celebrating the thirtieth anniversary of the appointment of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Associations.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Free from Law." Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. George Luckenbill will preach. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Morning theme, by request, "The Coming Earthly Kingdom Surpassing England in Glory and Russia for Power." Evening, "Love That Stands the Test."

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer, 4:30. The free stages have been discontinued, as the trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Chapel, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League meeting at 7:15 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "Jesus, the Son of God;" evening, "An Heroic Woman."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian)—The well-known lecturer, Rev. Henry G. Spaulding, of Boston, will preach at 10:45 a.m. Sunday-school at 11:45 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting at 7 p. m.; Morning subject, "The Final Consummation;" evening subject, "A Remarkable Convention."

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—Wm. D. Murray will give a short address on Bible study. Special music will be rendered by the choir of the First Baptist church. Miss Harris and Mrs. Ward, of Elizabeth, members of the above choir, will sing a duet.

TRUNK AND BATHTUB.

A New York Man's Unique and Useful Invention.

When Not Used for Bathing Purposes the Receptacle Can Be Used for the Storage or Transportation of Clothes.

This is the season of the year when a host of city people who go to the country say they live in a trunk, but to take a bath in a trunk is something that has just been made possible.

Eugene Sandow is the man who has developed the idea, and it is as practical as his muscles. People who have tried the invention say he knows exactly what he is talking about.

The trunk tub, says the New York Journal, looks like a trunk, and that is just what it is, for when it is not in use for bathing purposes it is perfectly available for ordinary trunk purposes. It is leather bound, cornered with bright steel fittings, and finished with highly-polished, brass-headed nails. It has a massive brass lock, ornamented so as to add greatly to the looks of the affair.

To transform the trunk into a bathtub all that is necessary to do is to raise the lid, lift out the trays, and the tub is before you. The box portion of the trunk is lined with a light, waterproof fabric. The trunk is octagonal in shape, so there are no sharp corners inside.

In one of the trays of the trunk there is a little compartment also lined with rubber. This contains a pliable line of hose, which is to be attached to any faucet of the house, so that the trunk-bathtub may be filled with water. Under this idea it is not necessary to move the trunk-tub, as the water is carried to it from the length of any ordinary house. In the same compartment with the hose line there is a little faucet.

Close to the bottom of the trunk is a little stopcock which works from the inside. On the outside all that can be seen is a little hole, showing a steel surface cut with a thread. Into this hole from the outside the little faucet is fastened after the owner of the trunk has taken his bath. Then the stopcock on the inside of the tub is turned, and the water is drained from the tub.

Now comes the drying process, and this has been well provided for. In one

TAKING A BATH IN HIS TRUNK.

of the trays taken from the trunk a miniature mop is kept, made of rubber and asbestos. With this the interior of the trunk is mopped dry, the trays are replaced and no one would suspect the bathtub feature.

The arrangement of the trays is of the most improved sort, and, Sandow says, caused as much thought as the tub feature. There are three of these trays, and they fit into the trunk box, leaving a two-inch space at the bottom for air circulation. This circulation is maintained with the outer air by means of a one-inch channel, which extends along the edge of the three trays Along the two sides of the trays are fitted a pair of steel bands, which come together between the trays, and are fastened and unfastened by a simple pressure of the thumb.

The peculiar nature of the lining of the tub, Sandow claims, makes it impossible for any moisture to remain in the trunk, so that the most delicate fabrics may be carried without the slightest fear of damage.

Catholics Change Their Prayers.

No stronger indication could be afforded of the sagacity and statesmanship of the present pontiff than the tendency which he manifests to comply with the requirements of the democratic spirit of the age. For centuries past the Catholics are annually called upon, in a midsummer papal brief, to make use of prayers for "the peace and good understanding of Christian princes and rulers." In the brief that bears the date of July 1 last, containing the customary instructions with regard to these prayers, the ancient formula disappeared, and the pope, instead of calling upon the faithful to pray for "the union of Christian rulers," asks them to pray for "the freedom of the church, and for the peace and union of Christian nations," no mention being made of the "ruler." Attention is called to this omission by the Osservatore Cattolico, one of the semi-official organs of the vatican, which does not hesitate to describe the brief in question as a sort of indirect command to abandon the special prayers for kings and emperors.

The Smallest Human Brain.

Dr. Gore has furnished the Anthropological society with an account of the smallest adult human brain ever examined by a professional anatomist or physiologist. It is a well-known fact that the brain of the adult male averages 49 ounces, the female 43½ ounces. The adult human being who had the smallest brain ever weighed was a female of 42 years of age. She was five feet high, and her intellect was infantile. The brain, without the membranes, weighed ten ounces and five grains, being the smallest mature brain on record.

Americans as Frog-Eaters.

From present indications America will soon be outdoing France in the consumption of frog flesh. The city of New York alone consumes 600,000 "hams" of frogs during the year. These delicacies are now sold in tin boxes like other conserved meats.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

E. Runyon, of Dunellen avenue, is grading about his new house.

Miss Kate E. Wyckoff, of White House, is visiting her brother, William Wyckoff.

Mrs. F. Hartswell, of Phillipsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wilhelm, of Front street.

It was 6:30 o'clock before the electric lights were turned on last night, fully an hour after candle light.

The pay car of the Jersey Central is expected on Monday, and the employes are happy in anticipation of its monthly visit.

William Dougherty will be initiated into the Order of Foresters, at the fourth Monday night meeting in November.

F. A. Nelson and W. G. Runyon were in New York yesterday deciding upon a new and costly livery dress for their horses.

Postmaster Staats is about to substitute oil for the lights he now has in the postoffice. This change, the postmaster believes, will prove more beneficial to the patrons.

The Dunellen Building and Loan Association will meet Monday evening for the payment of dues and the transaction of such other business as may come up for consideration.

Court Dunellen, No. 1123, I. O. F., is arranging for a big time on the 19th inst. Some of the advanced members of the order will be present from various parts of the State to advocate the order's interests.

Little Miss Pearl Dodwell, the bright and promising daughter of Conductor Dodwell, goes to the station almost every pleasant evening and waits in the telegraph office until her papa's train arrives from New York at 7:11 o'clock.

A surprise party was tendered to Charles Wykosky at his North avenue home Thursday evening. There was dancing, and music for the occasion was furnished by Howard Snowden, of New Market. The affair continued until early in the morning.

The members of the Junior League of the M. E. church gave an entertainment in the parlors of the church last evening for the benefit of the furnishing fund. There was music, recitations and refreshments served later, which made it a most enjoyable affair.

The well-known James Randolph property at Greenbrook, has been bereft of its buildings, it is said. The The old building which has for sometime past been utilized for the storage of plows, stoves, clocks and other articles, and known as the "curiosity shop," has been torn away, and a new house is being erected in its stead.

The question is now frequently asked concerning the Saturday accommodations at this end of the street railway terminus. At present, last evening for instance, when the cold was perhaps more severe than at any time before this season, the station was closed, and passengers had to stand around in the dark and wallow in the mud while waiting for the cars. It is eminently proper and right for Mr. Emory to close his place of business one day in the week, but the company should provide a comfortable waiting room for the passengers, nevertheless, and now especially as cold weather is coming on, too.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

William Howatt, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with his friend, William Stanbery, here.

Mrs. J. Sculley, of Raritan, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee, at the West Side Hotel.

Roy Day played football with the local team Saturday and lost some of his front teeth as the result.

William McDonough is recovering from his recent attack of pneumonia, and his ultimate recovery is now almost assured.

"Gip," Thomas Paff's fourteen-year-old Gordon setter dog, died Thursday. The animal was a trusty one and was well known by most of the townspeople.

The Young Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church was to have had a sociable on Thursday evening, but on account of the inclement weather it was postponed to some night next week.

The recent fair held at the residence of Walter Force, Fanwood, under the auspices of the Ladies' Society of All Saints Episcopal church, netted the projectors a substantial sum. The proceeds will go toward benefitting the funded debt of the church.

Nine out of every ten persons in the Plains want the trolley extension, and they could have had it ere this had it not been for a few chronic kickers who want most of the earth and everything thereon for the privilege of allowing the tracks to run through their land. Now the Plains people will get no rapid transit before spring, anyway, and by that time the Street Railway Company may decide upon an entire change in the proposed route, and the ruralites will then have to wait another half century for many marked improvements.

The Young Men's League, comprising about seventy of the young men of this place and Fanwood, have decided to hold their first "stag sociable" in the lecture room of the Baptist church on Monday evening, November 16th, at 8 o'clock, and they cordially invite all young men in the township to attend. The entertainment will be novel in its conception and a very pleasing programme is promised for those who attend, and besides an abundance of refreshments will be provided for all. This is a night when wives and sweethearts do not figure in the proceedings, but they will be kindly remembered for having provided the repast. Much credit is due to Rev. J. S. Braker, who has labored diligently for several weeks past, with some of the influential church members, to organize such a league in this place, and there can be no doubt that it will be prolific of much good. It will be the ultimate desire and aim of the projectors to interest some of the moneyed people of the place to erect and equip a suitable building for the league. The following persons have been appointed as the committee on refreshments: Messrs. Collins, Clark, Turton, Franz and Young. The committee on by laws for the new league is made up of Rev. Mr. Braker and Messrs. Kyte, Hall and Turton. A committee, consisting of Rev. J. S. Braker and W. H. Horr and George E. Hall, was appointed to consult with the more influential members of the place with reference to the proposed plan.

A Chance to Compare.

John Hare, who has attracted much attention in the character of "Eccles," arrived in New York last Thursday from London. "Caste" will be produced in New York in January next, and as the performance by Plainfield amateurs takes place on December 3d, there will be a chance to compare the "Eccles" of our talented citizen, W. R. Cock, with that of Mr. Hare.

Mr. Cock's acting is always intense, sympathetic and real. He has great opportunities in the character of "Eccles," and those who have seen him in that role say that he is well up to them. George Honey was the original "Eccles," twenty-nine years ago. Mr. Hare's success has been made in the character of "Tom Gerridge," which is to be taken by Fred Walz. John F. Cook, well-known in Elizabeth theatrical circles, considers "Gerridge" one of the best modern low-comedy characters on the stage. Mr. Walz handles the part well and will surely make a hit.

F. J. Hubbard Gets a Contract.

Frank J. Hubbard, civil engineer, of this city, has just received from the official of Sea Cliff, L. I., the contract to make complete and accurate surveys of their entire village, including plans for a sewage system and plans and data for macadamizing nineteen miles of streets. Mr. Hubbard, who is one of Plainfield's promising young men, is to be congratulated on securing this work as there were thirty persons in competition.

Rev. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, has returned after a short visit in Montclair.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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—Winter is close at hand. A slight flurry of snow was seen yesterday noon.

—Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., will hold its regular meeting Monday night.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will meet on next Monday evening.

—Frederick H. Willis, of LaGrande avenue, is having his residence repainted.

—Stone Square Lodge, Colored Masons, will meet as usual on Monday evening.

—The Monday Afternoon Club will hold a meeting on Monday afternoon in the Casino.

—A tea will be held at the clubhouse of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club this afternoon.

—The regular High School pins have been received and are now worn by most of the pupils.

—Frank Hedden had charge of the carriages at the Storm-Gordon wedding Wednesday night.

—The next public meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held early in January.

—Frank J. Hubbard, the civil engineer, is now working at Sea Cliff, L. I., where he is making a map of the town.

—J. Wesley Johnson, of LaGrande avenue, is improving the appearance of his residence by the use of a coat of paint.

—A. V. Lunger, the grocer, has moved from Somerset street to the corner of West Fourth and Liberty streets.

—Justice Nash rendered judgment yesterday in the case of French against Delaney, on contract, for $81 and costs.

—The last building to be moved off the line of Watchung avenue is the Conshea house. It will probably be moved next Monday.

—A. J. Gavett, the well-known engineer, returns tonight from Milford, Pa., where he has been this week on railroad location work.

—A grand time is promised those who attend the masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at the Plainfield Cycle Academy on Thanksgiving Eve.

—The extension of Myrtle avenue from the borough to the city is progressing favorably, though there is yet a considerable amount of filling in yet to be done.

—The secretary and treasurer of the G. A. R. fair committee will meet this evening and arrange a report to be presented to the committee when they meet Wednesday evening to close up all accounts.

—A meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities Aid Association will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All interested are invited to attend.

—The cases of John Richards and Ed Saunders in the city court, the former for throwing tin cans at his mother-in law's house, and the latter for reckless driving, were adjourned for a week yesterday.

—The case of the Eagle Brewing Company against John Hibbits, on contract, was adjourned for a week in Justice Mattison's court yesterday morning. The suit is for $200. Thos. F. Quinn represents the plaintiff.

—J. E. Townsend, the Somerset street marble and granite worker, is very much encouraged over the business outlook. He has recently secured several orders and more are in sight. He invites examination of his stock and prices.

—There was a large attendance of members at the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps last evening, when two candidates were initiated. The members held a short rehearsal in preparation for the annual inspection which takes place soon.

—The Town Improvement Association have distributed cards about town among the merchants asking them not to sweep rubbish into the streets. The association has purchased baskets instead of bags and they will be used to collect refuse as the committee in charge may direct.

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Dangers in Food Supplies.

A lecturer on cooking the other day made the surprising statement that the asylums are being filled with country people in much greater proportions than city people, mainly because they are more careless in regard to their food. While a diet of fat meats may be more characteristic of people living in rural districts, there are other dangers just as insidious to which the residents of the big cities are subject. Scientific research is every day emphasizing the fact that man is what he eats.

Probably there have been no more active advocates of pure food than the manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder. The vigorous campaign against adulterations carried on by them was due in a large part to the fact that in scarcely any other division of food supplies are harmful ingredients used lavishly as in the compounding of baking powders. The absolute purity of the Royal has become in the nature of an axiom, and its proprietors are naturally disposed to spread broadcast the doctrine of pure food. It has been claimed, without contradiction, that no other of human food has ever received so many emphatic endorsements from the highest autorities.—Journal of Health.

How to Prevent Croup.

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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HARDWARE—A few seasonable articles. Furnace scoops, 69c. Large Coal scoops, 75c. Full size steel axe, 89c. Soldering Irons complete with rosin, 15c. 2-ft. rulers, 3c. Glue Pots, 12c. each. Good quality. Assorted Nails in box, 3c. Tacks, nails, screens, etc., at equally low prices. Other items. 2-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots 29c. 3-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 33c. 4-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 43c. 4-step Flower Pot Stands, $1.49. Star Clothes Wringer $1.49. Wash benches, 75c. Best Cedar Tubs, electro welded hoops, 43c. 3-Stitch brooms, 12c. All bristle dust brushes, 19c.

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CHAPTER XII.

The rifle was lowered to a position of caution and his loud friend came slowly forward. He peered into the youth's face. "That you, Flem?"

"Yes, it's me."

"Well, well, Flem, ol' boy," said the loud one, "by ginger, I'm glad t' see yeh. I give yeh up fer a goner. I thought yeh was dead sure enough." There was husky emotion in his voice.

The youth found that now he could barely stand upon his feet. There was a sudden sinking of his forces. He thought he must hasten to produce his tale to protect him from the missiles already at the lips of his redoubtable comrade. So staggering before him he began: "Yes, yes. I've—I've had an awful time. I've been all over. 'Way over on th' right. Ter'ble fightin' over there. I had an awful time. I got separated from th' reg'ment. Over on th' right, I got shot. In th' head. I never see sech fightin'."

The loud private had stepped forward quickly. "What? Got shot? Why didn't yeh say so at first. Poor ol' boy."

Another figure at that moment loomed in the gloom. They could see it was the corporal. "Who yeh talkin' to, Wilson?" he demanded. His voice was anger-toned. "Who yeh talkin' to? You're the derndest sentinel—why—hello, Flem, you here? Why, I thought you was dead four hours ago. Great Jerusalem! they keep turnin' up every ten minutes or so."

"Over on th' right, I got separated"—began the youth with considerable glibness.

But his loud friend interrupted hastily. "Yes, an' he got shot in the head an' he's in a fix an' we must see to him right away." He rested his rifle in the hollow of his left arm and put his right around the youth's shoulder.

"Gee! it must hurt like thunder," he said.

The youth leaned heavily upon his friend "Yes, it hurts—hurts a good deal," he replied. There was a faltering in his voice.

"Oh!" said the corporal. He linked his arm in the youth's and drew him forward. "Come on, Flem. I'll take keer a' yeh."

As they went on together, the loud private called out after them: "Put 'im to sleep in my blanket, Simpson. An'—hold on a minnit—here's my canteen. It's full of coffee."

The youth's senses were so deadened that his friend's voice sounded from afar and he could scarcely feel the pressure of the corporal's arm. He submitted passively to the latter's directing strength. His head was in the old manner hanging forward upon his breast. His knees wobbled.

The corporal led him into the glare of the fire. "Now, Flem," he said, "let's have look at yer ol' head."

The youth sat, obediently, and the corporal, laying down his rifle, began to fumole in the bushy hair of his comrade. He was obliged to turn the other's head so that the full flush of the firelight would beam upon it. He puckered his mouth with a critical air. He drew back his lips and whistled through his teeth when his fingers came in contact with the splashed blood and the rare wound.

"Ah, here we are," he said. He awkwardly made further investigations. "Jest as I thought," he added, presently. "Yeh've been grazed by a ball."

The corporal went away. The youth remained on the ground like a parcel. He stared with a vacant look into the fire.

After a time, he aroused, for some part, and the things about him began to take form. He saw that the ground in the deep shadows was cluttered with men, sprawling in every conceivable posture. Glancing narrowly in the more distant darkness, he caught occasional glimpses of visages that loomed pallid and ghostly, lit with a phosphorescent glow. These faces expressed in their lines the deep stupor of the tired soldiers. They made them appear like men drunk with wine. This bit of forest might have appeared to an ethereal wanderer as a scene of the result of some frightful debauch.

"YEH'VE BEEN GRAZED BY A BALL."

The fire crackled musically. From it swelled light smoke. Overhead the foliage moved softly. The leaves with their faces turned toward the blaze, were colored shifting hues of silver, often edged with red. Far off to the right, through a window in the forest, could be seen a handful of stars lying, like glittering pebbles, on the black level of the night.

The youth sat in a forlorn heap until his friend, the loud young soldier, came swinging two canteens by their light strings. "Well, now, Fleming, ol' boy," said the latter, "we'll have yeh fixed up in just about a minnit."

He had the bustling ways of an amateur nurse. He fussed around the fire and stirred the sticks to brilliant exertions. He made his patient drink largely from the canteen that contained the coffee. It was to the youth a delicious draught. He tilted his head afar back and held the canteen long to his lips. The cool mixture went caressingly down his blistered throat. Having finished, he sighed with comfortable delight.

The loud young soldier watched his comrade with an air of satisfaction. He later produced an extensive handkerchief from his pocket. He folded it into a manner of bandage and soused water from the other canteen upon the middle of it. This crude arrangement he bound over the youth's head, tying the ends in a queer knot at the back of the neck.

"There," he said, moving off and surveying the deed, "yeh look like the devil, but I bet yeh feel better."

The youth looked at his friend with grateful eyes. Upon his aching and swelling head the cool cloth was like a tender woman's hand.

"Well, come now," continued his friend, "come on. I must put yeh t' bed an' see that yeh get a good night's rest."

The other got carefully erect and the loud young soldier led him among the sleeping forms lying in groups and rows. Presently he stopped and picked up his blankets. He spread the rubber one upon the ground and placed the woolen one about the youth's shoulders.

"There now," he said, "lie down an' git some sleep."

The youth with his manner of doglike obedience got carefully down like a crone stooping. He stretched out with a murmur of relief and comfort. The ground felt like the softest couch.

An exquisite drowsiness spread through him. The warm comfort of the blanket enveloped him and made a gentle languor. His head fell forward on his crooked arm and his weighted lids went down softly over his eyes. Hearing a splatter of musketry from the distance, he wondered indifferently if those men ever slept. He gave a long sigh, snuggled down into his blanket and in a moment was like his comrades.

CHAPTER XIII.

When the youth awoke, it seemed to him that he had been asleep for a thousand years and he felt sure that he opened his eyes upon an unexpected world. Gray mists were slowly shifting before the first efforts of the sunrays. An impending splendor could be seen in the eastern sky. An icy dew had chilled his face and immediately upon arousing he curled further down into his blanket. He stared for awhile at the leaves overhead, moving in a heraldic wind of the day.

The distance was splintering and blaring with the voices of fighting. There was in the sound an expression of a deadly persistency as if it had not begun and was not to cease.

About him were the rows and groups of men that he had dimly seen the previous night. They were getting a last draught of sleep before awakening. The gaunt, careworn faces and dusty figures were made plain by this quaint light at the dawning, but it dressed the skin of the men in corpse-like hues and made the tangled limbs appear pulseless and dead.

He heard the noise of a fire crackling briskly in the cold air, and, turning his head, he saw the loud soldier pottering busily about a small blaze. A few other figures moved in the fog, and he heard the hard cracking of ax blows.

Suddenly there was a hollow rumble of drums. A distant bugle sang faintly. Similar sounds, varying in strength, came from near and far over the forest. The bugles called to each other like brazen gamecocks. The near thunder of the regimental drums rolled.

The body of men in the woods rustled. There was a general uplifting of heads. A murmuring of voices broke upon the air. In it there was much bass of grumbling oaths. Strange gods were addressed in condemnation of the early hours necessary to correct war. An officer's peremptory tenor rang out and quickened the stiffened movement of the men. The tangled limbs unraveled. The corpse-hued faces were hidden behind fists that twisted slowly in the eye-sockets.

The youth sat up and gave vent to an enormous yawn. "Thunder!" he remarked, petulantly. He rubbed his eyes, and then putting up his hand felt carefully of the bandage over his wound. His friend, perceiving him to be awake, came from the fire. "Well, Flem, ol' man, how do yeh feel this mornin'," he demanded.

The youth yawned again. Then he puckered his mouth to a bitter pucker. His head in truth felt precisely like a melon, and there was an unpleasant sensation at his stomach.

"Oh, Lord, I feel pretty bad," he said.

At the fireside, the loud young soldier watched over his comrade's wants with tenderness and care. He was very busy marshaling the little black vagabonds of tin-cups and pouring into them the steaming, iron-colored mixture from a small and sooty tin-pail. He had some fresh meat which he roasted hurriedly upon a stick. He sat down then and contemplated the youth's appetite with glee.

"Th' reg'ment lost over half th' men yesterday," he remarked, eventually. "I thought a course they was all dead, but laws, they keep a-comin' back last night until it seems, after all, we didn't lose but a few. They'd been scattered all over, wanderin' around in the woods, fightin' with other reg'ments an' everything. Jest like you done."

A sputtering of musketry was always to be heard. Later, the cannon had entered the dispute. In the fog-filled air, their voices made a thudding sound. The reverberations were continual. This part of the world led a strange, battleful existence.

The youth's regiment was marched to relieve a command that had lain long in some damp trenches. The men took positions behind a curving line of rifle-pits that had been turned up, like a large furrow, along the line of woods. Before them was a level stretch, peopled with short, deformed stumps. From the woods beyond came the dull popping of the skirmishers and pickets, firing in the fog. From the right came the noise of a terrific fracas.

The men cuddled behind the small embankment and sat in easy attitudes awaiting their turn. Many had their backs to the firing.

The youth leaned his breast against the brown dirt and peered over at the woods and up and down the line. Curtains of trees interfered with his ways of vision. He could see the low line of trenches but for a short distance. A few idle flags were perched on the dirt-hills. Behind them were rows of dark bodies with a few heads sticking curiously over the top.

Always the noise of skirmishers came from the woods on the front and left, and the din on the right had grown to frightful proportions. The guns were roaring without an instant's pause for breath. It seemed that the cannon had come from all parts and were engaged in a stupendous wrangle. It became almost impossible to make a sentence heard. Among the men in the rifle pits, rumors again flew like birds. However, they were now, for the most part, croaking creatures who flapped their wings drearily near to the ground and refused to rise on any wings of hope. The men's faces grew doleful from the interpreting of many omens. Tales of hesitation and uncertainty on the part of those high in place, and responsibility, came to their ears. Stories of disaster were borne in to their minds with many proofs. This din of musketry on the right, growing like a released genie of sound, expressed and emphasized the army's plight.

Before the gray mists had been totally obliterated by the sunrays, the regiment was marching in a spread column that was retiring carefully through the woods. The disordered, hurrying lines of the enemy could sometimes be seen down through the groves and little fields. They were yelling, shrill and exultant.

The youth's friend had a geographical illusion concerning a stream, and he obtained permission to go for some water. Immediately canteens were showered upon him. "Fill mine, will yeh?" "Bring me some, too." "And me, too." He departed, ladened. The youth went with his friend. Upon their return they looked over their own troops, and saw mixed masses slowly getting into regular form. The sunlight made twinkling points of the bright steel. To the rear there was a glimpse of a distant roadway as it curved over a slope. It was crowded with retreating infantry. From all the interwoven forest arose the smoke and blaster of the battle. The air was always occupied by a blaring.

Near where they stood, shells were flip-flopping and hooting. Occasional bullets buzzed in the air and sparged

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PRISON LABOR.

Planning To Put in Operation the New Empire State Constitution.

Albany, Nov. 14.—The state prison commission has received word from Supt. Brockway of the state reformatory at Elmira that under the new constitutional provision going into effect on January 1 next, which prohibits prison labor from coming into competition with outside labor, that he can keep the inmates of that institution fully employed within the provisions of the constitution. There are 1,200 prisoners in Elmira reformatory, but half of them are now employed on work for the institution. Many persons interested in solving the prison labor problem in pursuance of the provisions of the new constitution have an impression that work will have to be provided for several thousand prisoners after January 1. The state prison commission, which is considering this question, finds that this is not so. It has been learned that work will have to be provided for only 1,800 and they are all in the three state prisons. There are now employed in productive industries 700 in Sing Sing prison, 700 in Auburn prison, and 400 in Clinton prison. The total population of the three state prisons is about 3,200, and the remaining prisoners are now employed in working about the institutions and in various other ways, so that their labor does not now compete with outside work.

GEORGIA SENATORIAL CONTEST

Gov. Atkinson Withdraws, But This Does Not Break the Deadlock.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14.—Gov. Atkinson's withdrawal from the senatorial race was announced in the democratic caucus which met late yesterday afternoon. A letter from his friends to the governor was read, and Mr. Meldrim of Savanah stated that he was authorized to inform the general assembly that the governor was out of the race. This practically narrowed it down to Clay and Howell. The Clay people claimed that they would nominate their man on the first ballot, but that ballot resulted: Clay, 81; Howell, 54; Lewis, 17; Garrard, 11. Mr. Lewis was withdrawn Thursday, but his friends put him back yesterday. The second ballot resulted: Clay, 77; Howell, 56; Lewis, 25; Garrard, 4; Berner, 4. Necessary to choice. 89. Immediately after this ballot the caucus adjourned until 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Salts Textile Company's Threat.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 14.—The Salts Textile company has announced that if the weavers' strike at their factory is not settled soon they will remove their plant to Paterson, N. J. The 100 strikers are being supported by subscriptions made by the merchants of the city. The men claim that under the new schedule adopted by the company they could not average $7 per week. The company has another factory in Paterson and has no trouble with the men there.

Lost His Reason over the Election.

Philadelphia, Nov. 14.—It was stated to-day that Peter M. Wertemberg of this city, who committed suicide by drowning at Atlantic City, N. J., several days ago, and whose identity was established by a tax receipt found upon him, lost his reason over the defeat of Bryan. His wife informed the police that he became violent upon learning the result of the election, and declared that the politicians were holding back the returns from the western states.

To Restrain a Publishing Company.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 14.—An application was made in this city before the supreme court yesterday for the appointment of a day to hear the application for an injunction restraining the newly organized corporation known as the "Democrat Publishing company," from conducting the business formerly under the management of C. & M. T. Maloney. Next Friday has been set for the hearing.

Explosion of a Gasolene Stove.

Philadelphia, Nov. 14.—A gasolene stove in the bakery and dwelling of August Markowitz, at Hancock and York streets, exploded yesterday and set fire to the place. Mrs. Rose Markowitz, aged 39 years, and her children, Mary aged 16, and Harry, aged 18 months, were all badly burned. They were taken to a hospital where they are in critical condition and may not recover.

McKinley Gets Delaware's Three Votes.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 14.—Gov. Watson has issued his election proclamation. In it he declares that the three McKinley electors, Shaw, Fooks and Wilson, were chosen. He decided to consider the votes cast for James G. Shaw and for James C. Shaw, sr., as cast for one man. This gives the republicans all their electors.

Perils of the Deep.

London, Nov. 14.—The British steamer Durham City, Capt. Patterson, at Havre from Montreal, lost seventy-two head of cattle and thirteen sheep during the passage. The Italian bark Sacre Cuore, Capt. Corbo, from Fowey, Oct. 31, for Philadelphia, has been wrecked off Lagos, Portugal. All of the ship's company landed in safety.

$8,000 for Personal Injuries.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 13.—In the United States court a jury gave a verdict for $8,000 damages in the case of David F. Craig against F. Blumenthal & Co. of New York. Craig was a boy employed in the company's morocco factory here and lost an arm while working a machine.

Passed an Upturned Derelict.

London, Nov. 14.—The British steamer Alberta, from New Orleans for Hull, now at Queenstown, reports having passed an upturned derelict vessel, name unknown, in mid-ocean.

VENEZUELAN AFFAIR

Complete Summary of the Agreement Arrived At.

AS PUBLISHED BY A LONDON PAPER

How the Arbitration Tribunal Is To Be Selected, Their Duties and Rules Under Which They Are To Be Governed.

London, Nov. 14.—The Chronicle today publishes what it claims to be a complete summary of the agreement regarding the Venezuelan question. The article is entitled "Heads of a proposed agreement between Venezuela and Great Britain for the settlement of the Venezuela boundary question, as agreed upon between Great Britain and the United States of America." There are four heads. Under the first the appointment of an arbitration tribunal to determine the boundary is provided for. Under the second head provision is made for the appointment of a tribunal of five members, two to be nominated by the supreme court of the United States, two by the supreme court of Great Britain, while the fifth member is to be a jurist selected by the other members. In the event of these four members failing to agree upon the selection of the fifth member, King Oscar of Norway and Sweden will select him. The fifth member will be president of the tribunal, and he may be a judge of either the supreme court of the United States or the similar court of Great Britain. Under the third head the tribunal is directed to examine all the facts necessary to decide the controversy regarding the territory known to belong to the United Netherlands and the kingdom of Spain when Great Britain acquired Guiana. Under the fourth head it is provided that the arbitrators shall ascertain all the facts necessary to arrive at a proper decision. They must be governed in their findings by three short rules, the most important of which provides a prescription of fifty years. The arbitrators may give effect to the rights of settlers. In establishing the facts the ordinary rules of law shall prevail. The agreement is dated Nov. 12, 1896, and is signed by Secretary of State Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador to the United States. The Chronicle adds that the foregoing will be the basis of the Anglo-Venezuelan treaty.

THE CUBAN INSURRECTION.

Gen. Weyler Again on the March and Great Anxiety Exists in Havana.

Havana, Nov. 14.—Since Gen. Weyler's engagement with the rebels at Rubi heights there has been no fighting reported. Great anxiety prevails and news from the front is eagerly awaited, as it is felt that upon the success of Gen. Weyler's campaign vast results depend. Unofficial advices show that Gen. Weyler is again on the march, and it is believed that his force is now temporarily encamped in the Brujo hills. A delegation of colonels of the Havana volunteers have called upon the lieutenant governor and have offered to furnish the government with 2,000 volunteers for employment in Gen. Weyler's campaign. Celedonio Saez, a prisoner of war, will be shot to-day in the Cabana fortress.

Alleged Filibuster Arrested.

New York, Nov. 14.—Joaquin Castillo has been arrested and held in $2,500 bail by Commissioner Shields on a charge of having participated in a filibustering expedition to Cuba which sailed on the steamship Laurada, May 8 last. The complaint was made by Arturo Baldasano y Topete, consul general of Spain in the United States. Castillo is a physician.

Election Expenses in Connecticut.

Hartford, Nov. 14.—Chairman Alexander Troup, of the democratic silver state committee, filed his sworn statement of the expenditures in the recent election in the state secretary's office yesterday. He received $3,778 and expended $2,896, leaving $892 on hand. Chairman James Campbell of the Hartford silver democratic committee received $370 and spent $432.

Transvaal Indemnity Matter.

London, Nov. 14.—The Telegraph's Pretoria correspondent telegraphs that in an interview President Kruger said that the executive wanted time to consider the question of the demand to be made upon the British South Africa company for indemnity for the raid into the Transvaal. No decision had yet been reached, but one would probably be arrived at early in December.

Snow in New York City.

New York, Nov. 14.—The first snow of the season fell in the upper part of this city at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fall lasted only a few minutes, and though followed by rain the temperature receded several degrees.

Cronne May Recover.

Boston, Nov. 14.—The condition of Frederick Cronne of Worcester, who shot himself on a train on the Boston & Albany road Thursday night, is improving, and the city hospital authorities think he may recover.

Bicycle Records Broken.

London, Nov. 14.—At Catford yesterday the Chase brothers, riding a tandem bicycle, broke all records for from thirty-five to fifty miles. They covered the letter distance in 1 hour, 38 minutes, 14 2-5 seconds.

Recount of Votes Ordered.

Buffalo, Nov. 14.—Judge Titus has granted an order directing a recount of the votes cast in the fourth district of the Nineteenth ward on the ground that clerical errors had been made.

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GOLF.

There will be match playing on the golf links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club this afternoon. The finals for the Reinhart handicap cup between Dr. F. C. Ard and J. Ashley Grace will be played and H Reeve Stockton will be presented with the Chapman Club championship cup which he won last Saturday.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

William Beekman, Stillman Randolph and George VanNest went hunting last Wednesday and had a merry day of it. Twenty-six rabbits and four quail drew their last breath as a result of their good shooting.

WHIST.

Monday night at the Park Club will be devoted to Compass Whist. This will be the second evening of this enjoyable game which is proving very popular.

Borough Luncheon Party.

The luncheon club of Washington Park was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Myrtle avenue. There are twelve members in the club and they meet every two weeks at the home of a member, and after luncheon is served the members usually devote a certain amount of time to sociability and the making of fancy articles.

Fell and Hurt Himself.

Clarence Angleman, aged twelve years, of East Fourth street, accidentally fell through an opening in front of Lederer's dry goods store this morning and received a severe deep cut in the fleshy part of the left leg. The boy was taken to Dr. Hedges who was obliged to take several stitches in the laceration. The injury will confine the boy for several days

Tonight will end the successful engagement of the Kennedy Players at Music Hall, where they have played to good business nearly every night this week. The excellent merit of the acting has been maintained in all of the pieces, and another season they should pack the house to the doors at every appearance. The bill tonight is an attractive one, and interspersed with the specialties in song, jest and dance, will provide a pleasant ending for the week to those whose tastes are theatrical.

—Robert Love will lead the East Third Street mission Gospel services at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

—M. Weinberger, of the New York Clothing Co., 214 West Front street, says that he hopes this weather continues as he sold sixteen overcoats and a number of suits last night.

—The bridge committee of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders inspected the Grove street bridge yesterday with an idea to making repairs, but it was decided not to do anything until next spring.

—In order to prevent possible disappointment to those holding white tickets for Maclaren's lecture, for exchange, the further sale of reserved tickets has been stopped until Thanksgiving morning, at which time all unclaimed seats will be sold.

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SAMPLE JERSEY JUSTICE

BULLDOZING, INOFFENSIVENESS AND OFFICIOUSNESS THE INGREDIENTS

Because a Man is From the Country it is No Reason Why He Should be Made Responsible for Trouble Forced Upon Him.

Here is a sample of Jersey justice, Plainfield brand.

The time was last night a little after 8 o'clock. Two Frenchmen from Mt. Bethel were driving down North avenue from Watchung avenue. The wagon was a rickety one, the horse old and raw boned, and everything about the rig showed the lack of prosperity. The street was dark and as they drove by the hacks standing at the North avenue station, their rear wheel just grazed the rear wheel of a hack, possibly may have scratched it little.

In the background loitered several hackmen, naturally quarrelsome as the police records show. As soon as it was noticed that the Frenchmen had driven dangerously near the Jehu's rig, the owner of the hack rushed out and in a flannel mouth tone insisted that his vehicle had been damaged $5 worth; five cents would have been nearer, if there was any damage at all.

The Frenchman protested that they had done no injury and in a moment there was a hullabaloo of jabbering voices, angry threats being ejaculated on the part of the hackman. The Frenchman was either pulled out of the wagon or else hastily tumbled out, and the quarrel continued face to face and with gyrating arms in gesticulation. The Frenchman wanted to see how much the hack was damaged, but the owner, prompted by a spirit of buldozery, insisted on having $5 or else he declared he would have the Frenchman, who was driving, arrested. Disgusted and mad clear through now, the Frenchman started to get into his wagon, when the hackman made an attack on him. The Frenchman tried to avoid trouble, but the Jehu kept advancing on him and finally the Frenchman kicked him in the stomach—just what any body else would have done under the circumstances.

"Get a policeman," yelled some of the hackman's friends, and off ran someone for the cop. By this time the Frenchman had circled around to the other side of the wagon and climbed into the vehicle. He attempted to drive off, but the hackman who wanted $5 for five cents worth of damage to his rig, grabbed the head of his horse and prevented his going. By this time the policeman came upon the scene.

"What's the matter here?" he demanded.

"Arrest that man, he kicked me in the stomach," whined the hackman, pointing his finger at the Frenchman in the wagon. "He kicked me in the stomach," again whined the hackman in a tone as if to create sympathy.

The Frenchman and his friends tried to explain in broken English while all the hackmen joined in and made a veritable Bedlam. Someone struck a match and showed the hack wheel to the policeman. He couldn't see any scratches on it, but he seemed to act as if he must arrest someone. So he grabbed the man who had struck the match.

"Come along with me," was the gruff command. The man, who happened to be the Frenchman's friend (what a discerning eye the policeman had) tried to say that he hadn't done nothing. But excuses didn't go. The policeman lugged both Frenchmen off to jail. He had just as much business to arrest some peaceable citizen a block away as to arrest the man who had struck the match. The whining hackman, who was more to blame for the scrap than anyone else, was left behind, a free man.

But it seems that the policeman realized that the men whom he had made prisioners were not so bad after all, so he let them go on their own own promise to appear in court this morning—prima facie evidence that he knew nothing could be proved against them, or else he would have locked them up.

If the Frenchmen are not discharged after the judge hears the case it will be strange sort of justice.

—Rev. M. E. Dwight, of North Plainfield, will preach at the Congregational church tomorrow.

—Dr. Stearnes, of Philadelphia, will meet his Bible class Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building at 7:30.

—This evening at the Y. M. C. A. building a short meeting in connection with the Week of Prayer will be held and will be led by H. E. Needham.

—The firm of Kohn & Young, of Broadway, New York, manufacturers of men's fine buck and dog skin gloves, failed last month. Their goods were sold at 50 c. on the dollar. Crane & Clark, 120 West Front street, secured over 500 pairs and will give some great bargains in gloves this winter.

—The three cent wall paper racket inaugurated in this city by Edward Love has been a great success. Never before, not even in the busy spring, have so many people been in the store for wall paper. Of course not everything is three cents, but there are some exquisite little patterns at this price and more at 5c and 8c right up to $2 a roll.

Arthur E. Crane, of Carlton avenue, left his position as manager of the wall paper store of Edward Love today and will assist his father, Rev. Arthur Crane, in his evangelistic work.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck has secured Rev. George Luckenbill to preach in the Trinity Reformed church tomorrow, morning and evening. Mr. Schenck's health is greatly improved, but his physician will not allow him to preach tomorrow.

Fourth Ward Councilman.

It is said that it is now definitely settled that Isaac S. Randolph, of West Front street, will be the Republican nominee for Councilman in the Fourth ward.

HOW HIGH CAN MAN GO?

Human Feet Will Probably Never Press the Peak of Mount Everest.

Prof. Ugolino Mosso, of Turin, has made some interesting experiments on the effects experienced in ascending to high altitudes. All climbers of lofty mountains are aware that at great heights, such as the summit of Mont Blanc, respiration becomes more or less troublesome, the heart beats rapidly and sometimes irregularly, and a feeling of exhaustion, often accompanied by nausea, is experienced. These effects arise largely from the rarity of the air, and since the atmosphere becomes less dense the higher one goes, it is evident that a limit must soon be reached above which man cannot ascend. Prof. Mosso made his first experiments on Monte Rosa, next to Mont Blanc, the highest peak of the Alps, where he ascended to an elevation exceeding 15,000 feet without serious inconvenience. Returning to Turin he made his next ascent, so to speak, without ascending at all. In other words, he produced an imitation of the rare atmosphere of a very lofty mountain top by partially exhausting the air from a large pneumatic chamber in which he had shut himself. When the air in the chamber corresponded in density with that which would be found at a height of 24,272 feet above sea level, he suffered such ill effects that he could not carry the experiment further. The height to which Prof. Mosso thus simulated an ascent is almost a mile less than that of Mount Everest, so that it seems improbable that man will ever be able to set his foot on the loftiest peak of the earth.

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TAXATION!

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation will meet in the Council Chamber on

The Fourth Tuesday in November,

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PIG SKIN INVINCIBLES.

PLAINFIELD AGAIN EASILY DEFEATS WESTFIELD AT FOOTBALL.

The Game Played at Westfield, But the Plainfield Boys Put Up a Great Game on the Strange Field—The Lineup.

There is no doubt whatever now as to the superiority of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. football eleven over the Westfield team. The few faint ideas that the Westfielders had that they could defeat their rivals from up the road disappeared Saturday afternoon under the crushing defeat that the Plainfield eleven administered on the Westfield grounds. The Plainfield boys won easily by a score of 30 to 0.

Even the most sanguine had not expected that such a large score would be rolled up by the Y. M. C. A. team, as it was well known that Westfield had strengthened her team and the team was hard at work practicing for the game. But they failed to figure on any improvement among the Plainfield eleven. The Westfield team did put up a better game, especially on the line, but the team play of the Plainfielders was far ahead of their previous efforts, while the men were all in good condition for individual work. The new plays that Waring has been teaching the team proved very effective and several of the best plays were not used at all. The game was free from slugging, and although there was some kicking on the part of the Westfielders, Freeman and Waring agreed to anything so that the game might go on before it became too dark to play. As it was, only five minutes instead of thirty minutes were played in the second half and had the game been played to an end the Plainfield team's score would have been dangerously near 50

The teams lined up as follows:

Plainfield.		Westfield
Serrell	right end	Richardson
Dupee	right tackle	Crooks, Wherry
Brown	right guard	Woodruff
Cuming	center	Ayres
Milne	left guard	Bussing
Lovell	left tackle	Randolph
Peck	left end	Griswold
Waring	quarterback	Sunday
Freeman	right halfback	Carberry
Cathcart	left halfback	Harbison
Darling	fullback	Voight

Score—Plainfield, 30; Westfield, 0. Touchdowns—Milne, 1; Cathcart, 4; Peck, 1. Goals from touchdown—Darling, 3. Referee—N. R. Titsworth, of Plainfield. Umpire—Mr. Ayres, of Westfield. Linesmen—P. Q. Oliver, of Westfield, and A. Willis West, of Plainfied. Time—first half, 30 minutes; second half, 5 minutes.

Plainfield won the toss and Freeman chose the northern goal with the wind at their backs. Westfield kicked off. Serrell caught it and ran nearly to the center. Freeman ran for 8 yards and then several small gains and a 30-yard run by Cathcart brought the ball dangerously near Westfield's goal line. Westfield took the ball on a fumble and Voight tried to kick it out of danger. The kick was a poor one and the Plainfield boys began to make steady gains through the line. Three times the ball was carried over the line by Milne, but the Westfielders made a kick each time. Plainfield lost five yards for offside play and Brown carried the ball eight yards to within a foot of the goal line, and then Milne drove through the line for the first touchdown. Lovell missed the goal. Score—Plainfield, 4; Westfield, 0.

Freeman circled the right end for 30 yards and Waring on a quarterback trick and aided by excellent interference carried the ball 65 yards. Cathcart then cleared the remaining five yards around the right end for a touchdown. Darling kicked the goal. Score—Plainfield, 10; Westfield, 0.

Brown bucked center for eight yards and then Dupee kicked the ball far down the field and out of bounds, where a Plainfield man fell on it. Line plays took the ball to within five yards of Westfield's goal line and then with the backs at right end formation Cathcart made another touchdown. Darling kicked the goal. Score—Plainfield, 16; Westfield, 0.

Dupee made a long kick out of bounds. Peck upset the Westfield fullback and Serrell fell on the ball. Freeman circled the left end for a 30-yard gain, and Cathcart ran the remaining five yards in his usual manner and made another touchdown. Darling missed the goal. Score—Plainfield, 20; Westfield 0.

Westfield got the ball on Dupee's long kick only to lose it on four downs. Cathcart took the ball from Freeman on a double pass and ran 35 yards for another touchdown. Darling missed the goal. Score—Plainfield, 24; Westfield, 0.

Crooks was injured in this play and R. Wherry took his place. This ended the first half.

Plainfield had the kickoff in the second half and Voight tried, on the first play, to kick back. The kick was blocked and a Westfield man fell on the ball for a ten-yard loss. Plainfield captured the ball on four downs and pushed the ball down the field. The signal was given on the one-yard line for a quarterback trick, but the ball

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CITIZENS' TICKET TALK.

NATIONAL DEMOCRATS WILL NOT NOMINATE FOR CITY ELECTION.

Members Will Act as Individuals and the Talk is Strong for an Opposition Ticket to the Republicans

The National Democratic Club of this city met at the Revere House Saturday evening for the purpose of taking a retrospective view of the work accomplished during its existence. A. H. Atterbury, president of the club, occupied the chair and those present were James Clark, Col. Sterling, John Mortimer, Howard Huntington, Samuel Huntington, W. P. Lord, Charles Bullman, W. K. McClure, Otto Ahrens, C. P. Bull, E. W. Conklin, Geo. B. DeReve, E. C. Pearson, Carl Pfeiffer, Edward Wilson, Isaac Field, Alfred Cocks and H. C. Tracy.

In calling the meeting to order Mr. Atterbury gave a brief sketch of the club's history and work during the past campaign. He thought that the meetings held during the campaign in the west end had resulted in much good as the number of Palmer and Buckner tickets voted, show. The expense of the meetings, the speaker said, had been nominal, and good addresses were made twice every week. The future of the club, Mr. Atterbury thought, was an important question, and upon the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Pfeiffer offered a resolution that steps be taken toward effecting a permanent organization and that the matter of enrollment be looked after by a committee to be appointed by the chair.

Another resolution was offered by the same members, the intent and purpose of which was that a committee be appointed to arrange for a ticket to be placed in the field at the coming municipal election providing the club thought it advisable. This resolution brought forth a lively discussion on matters strictly local. Mr. Pearson thought that it was poor policy for the club to place a ticket in the field when defeat was almost sure, considering the strength of the club. He thought that Plainfield was in need of a change in officers along certain lives and mentioned the Board of Education as one of the poorest managed institutions in the city. Mr. Lord agreed with Mr. Pearson and his idea expressed was that those now in office had formed themselves into a mutual admiration society which transacted its business in going to and from New York.

Mr. Bullman felt confident that a straight citizens ticket could be elected in this city considering the present state of affairs. Mr. Bullman mentioned the fact that he thought the city officials had an object in view in not making known the sewer assessment previous to the city election, and he also said that he did not think that there were many people who, at present, could tell what Plainfield's indebtedness is.

It seemed to be the general opinion of all present that a good citizens ticket would poll a large number of votes, and it was decided by a vote that the club should not place a ticket in the field as a club, but that each member could act free and independent in the matter of running a citizens ticket. This decision resulted in the defeat of the resolution offered by Mr. Pfeiffer.

Mr. Ahrens offered a motion which was adopted unamiously that Mr. Atterbury be thanked by the club for his earnest efforts during the past campaign. Treasurer E. W. Conklin read his report which showed an expenditure of $192, and a balance of $27 in the treasury.

After the meeting several members remained and discussed muncipal affairs, chiefly regarding the condition of Plainfield streets. It was expressed that work done on the streets during the past year had very little to show for it.

Mr. Lord brought out another point in the meeting. He said that when he secured a hackman to take him to his home at Netherwood he was charged 50 cents and when he asked the driver why that amount was demanded the latter replied that he lived out of the city limits. Mr. Lord said that he noticed, however, that when tax bills were sent out they seemed to think that he lived in the city limits.

It is very probable that steps toward the formation of a citizens ticket will be taken.

Odd Ladies to Meet.

There will be an informal meeting of the ladies of Plainfield and surrounding towns in the pariors of the Hotel Grenada on Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5. Mrs. S. E. Mitchell, of Worcester, Mass., will talk on the subject of "Odd Ladyship." All ladies between 18 and 60 years of age who are interested in the subject are invited to attend.

GOLF CUP CONTESTS END

THE REINHART AND THE CHAPMAN TROPHIES DECIDED.

Both Are Challengable, However, and They Will be Contested For Again in the Spring—The Presentations Made.

There was not as many persons present at the golf links Saturday afternoon, as usual, owing to the sudden change in the weather, but the interest in the finals of the match play between Lee Ashley Grace and Dr. F. C. Ard, for the Reinhart cup, did not diminish with those who were present. After a very exciting game, Dr. Ard beat Mr. Grace two up and one to play. The former's handicap was 34 and the latter's 27. This places the cup in Dr. Ard's possession until next spring when he will have to defend it in a similar match play.

A pleasant feature of the afternoon was the presentation in the clubhouse of the Chapman cup to H. Reeve Stockton, the winner, by the donor, Geo. H. Chapman. The fact that when Mr. Stockton won the cup, which was on election day, he celebrated the anniversary of his eighteenth birthday, made the event one of peculiar interest. Another fact worthy of note is that Mr. Stockton was born on election day eighteen years ago.

Mr. Chapman, in a neat and appropriate speech, presented the cup to the winner. He expressed a hope that it would prove an incentive to the good golf players to become better players, so that they could compete with the best clubs in the country. He paid a compliment to Mr. Tracy, through whose efforts the club was now occupying comfortable quarters. Hearty applause greeted Mr. Chapman's remarks, and Mr. Stockton accepted the cup with thanks. He was too much overcome to make a speech, though it was called for. Mr. Stockton will hold the cup until next Decoration Day, when it will again be placed in competition. The one winning it three times becomes the permanent owner.

The tea was, as usual, an enjoyable part of the afternoon, and Mrs. C. J. Fisk poured tea, assisted by Mrs. Wm. T. Kaufman, Miss Walz, of Plainfield, and Miss Fisk, of New York.

EVENTFUL LIFE ENDED.

WALTER A. BASS PASSES AWAY AFTER A MONTH'S ILLNESS.

He was the Originator of the famous "Bull Durham" Tobacco and Has Been Prominently Connected with the Tobacco Trade

Death came quietly to one of Plainfield's old residents, Walter A. Bass, last evening after an illness of about five weeks. He passed away at the home, 638 West Eight steet, which he and his family have occupied for the last twenty-five years.

Mr. Bass was a native of Baltimore. Before the war he was engaged in a flourishing tobacco business in New York and Baltimore and owned a tobacco plantation in the south. The plantation was seized during the war.

He then assisted in the forming of the Blackwell's "Bull Durham" Tobacco Company, of Virginia, and was the originator of that famous brand. About twenty-five years ago he moved to this city and continued in the tobacco business in New York. Five years ago he retired from business. Three years later his wife died. He has not been in good health for some time.

He leaves two sons, Walter A. Jr. and William F., both of whom do business in New York. He also leaves four daughters, two of whom are now teaching in the Plainfield public schools.

He was about seventy years of age.

Mrs. Townsend Surprised.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend, of Coddington avenue, was given a surprise party Saturday evening by her husband, J. E. Townsend, and William A. Crawford. It was a complete affair in every respect and the evening was devoted to the playing of all sorts of games. after which refreshments were served in abundance. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Corra Ryno, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend, Miss Elizabeth Dunn, Miss Ella K Fenner, Miss Mabel Wilson, Mrs. Bertha Richards, of Plainfield; Mrs. Townsend, of Westfield; Horace J. Martin, William A. Crawford, Fred Townsend, Harry Canfield and Willard Martin.

Mrs. Hall to Lecture in Newark.

Mrs. Florence Howe Hall will deliver a series of lectures in Newark on December 1st, 8th and 15th. Her subjects are: "Personal Reminiscences of Distinguished People," "General Francis Marion and the Huguenots of North Carolina," "Byron and the Heroes of the Greek Revolution."

"CONVENTION ECHOES."

REV. C. E. HERRING TELLS OF THE GOOD IT HAS DONE.

Many Are Prone to Criticise When There is No Need For it, and Mr. Herring Points Out the Error of Judgment.

"Convention Echoes" was the text chosen last evening by Rev. C. E. Herring for his sermonette, and the speaker in his usual plain and forcible manner told something of interest regarding the recent Christian Endeavor State convention held in this city. Mr. Herring's remarks were of interest and to the point. He said:

"It is customary at the close of Christian Endeavor conventions, when the delegates reach their homes, to have echo meetings. Such meetings have been held all over this State. The convention does not stop at adjournment. The delegates, filled with new ideas and spirit, go home to their own societies to impart the enthusiasm they have received at the convention, organize new societies and encourage weaker ones until every town and hamlet feels, at least, something of the impulse. That is the meaning of the convention. That was the object of the Plainfield covention, and from report the object has been realized. Some of the echoes we have heard have a discordant sound. There have been echoes in this city which were not all that one would desire.

"One criticism is, the convention was a dress parade. The criticism is probably sincere, but very indefinite. There is nothing tangible to answer. The programme committee sought to bring to this city the purest minds to stimulate the young people to greater activity.

"The prime object of conventions are to educate, and that along definite lines—evangelistic, missionary and patriotic. Methods of work are suggested that otherwise would never be learned. The convention is a university-extension course. This was the plan of the committee and surely it is not to be criticised for securing the best speakers possible. To secure the worst would make it a fizzle; to secure the best a dress parade. It is so easy to criticise.

"Another criticism was good—The convention showed the power lodged in millions of young people. The general movement is right. Two or three millions of young people organized in Christian Endeavor has signs of hopefulness. We do not recognize the young people sufficiently. They are enthusiastic and we are setting on the safety-valve. Thirteen millions of young men in the United States with only one million church members should stir us to do all in our power for young people.

"Another criticism—That this convention had value only for the time it existed, the moment it dissolved it left nothing of real value. It bore no fruit. If you could hear the echoes all over the State you would not make the criticism.

"If Moody's sermons, his talks to the public of Plainfield on how to get men to church, and on his Enduement of the Spirit, had no effect on this city, I am at a loss to know what agency would affect it."

Transfers and Contracts.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in Union County Clerk Howard's office, from November 4th to 12th inclusive:

Charles T. Lynch to Jane B. Taylor, of Brooklyn, lot, Watchung avenue, Plainfield, $1.

Jane B. Taylor to John F. Rutman, of New York, lot, Watchung avenue, Plainfield, $1.

Mary R. Loomis, of North Plainfield, to Emma Goodfellow, of Plainfield, lot, Netherwood avenue, $350.

The following contracts were filed from November 4th to 12th inclusive:

Joseph Galbraith, of Plainfield, with W. H. Brokaw, carpenter, addition and alterations, house Second street, 480.

A. D. Philips with the Plainfield Board of Education, electric wiring Lincoln Schools, 52 volts, $327.

Buy Your Stamps Here.

There are probably many Plainfielders who believe that the supply of stamps to be purchased at the local post office is limited, and that if they want 3,000 or 4,000 at one time they must go to New York for them. This is not so. Postmaster Hetfield says that his office can supply any quantity on demand.

New Law Offices.

Rob't M. Clark will open law offices in the new City National Bank building as soon as it is completed.

Irving Brady will soon open his law offices in the First National Bank building, in the rear of the offices of Counsellor W. K. McClure.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret E. Meredith, of "The Chestnuts," West Seventh street, and Dr. Howland, of Boston.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

REPUBLICAN PROSPECT.

CERTAIN THAT MR. FISK WILL BE THE MAYORALTY CANDIDATE.

Mr. Bird Slated for Collector—S. R. Struthers Talked of for City Treasurer, but Mr. Titsworth Also a Candidate—Councilmen.

Republican political circles have been busy since the National election in preparing for the city election to be held December 8. The ward primaries will take place to-morrow evening, and the city convention on Thursday evening. The officers to be elected are a Mayor, Treasurer, Collector and one Councilman from each ward.

As already announced in The Press, Charles J. Fisk will receive the unanimous nomination for Mayor. Owing to business engagements Mr. Fisk preferred to have the office go to some other of the prominent gentlemen named, but one after another declined. Pressure was again brought upon Mr. Fisk, and he has finally consented to stand.

Alexander Titsworth, the present Treasurer, is also a candidate. Mr. Titsworth has been the incumbent of the office for ten or more years, and has a host of friends who will insist on his choice.

For the office of City Treasurer, many of the business men of Plainfield are suggesting to-day the name of Stepen A. Struthers. This gentleman has been identified with Building and Loan Associations and is known to be an excellent bookkeeper.

Ex Councilman Elias H. Bird, who was elected a year ago to the office of Collector of Taxes, will be re-nominated, and Mr. Johnson will retire from the office he has filled for the past twenty years. The arrears of taxes amount now to over $70,000, and it is very probable that the provisions of the Martin act will be taken advantage of at an early date to collect these arrears. The Martin Act was originally passed for the relief of Elizabeth and Rahway, and it was also only recently in the case of Bayonne. Owing to the retirement at the close of the present year from the Common Council of Stephen A. Ginna, Mr. See and Mr. Fisk, it is very necessary, the present leaders think, that at the coming election gentlemen of high ability and business standing be selected to carry out the ideas of municipal improvement as now regarded by the present administration.

The prominent candidates for the Common Council who will be selected to-morrow evening from the several wards are:

In the First Ward Charles Newman is prominently mentioned.

In the Second Ward, E. H. Ladd, of Franklin place, will probably get the nomination. He is treasurer of the Muhlenberg Hospital Board, a good business man and presumably a good financier.

In the Third Ward, John T. Baker is the leading candidate named, and doubtless will receive the nomination unanimously.

In the Fourth Ward Isaac Randelph seem to be the favorite, and will doubtless be nominated.

His Loss Was $2.98.

A Kusky, of Lake street, came to town Saturday and went to an auction room on Somerset street, where he purchased a quantity of chinaware, cooking utensils and other things needed in his household. At 5:30 o'clock he stood on the corner of Watchung avenue and Front street, waiting for a car, when his bundles broke away and fell with a crash on the sidewalk. The chinaware was broken into a thousand pieces, and the pots and kettles were cracked and rendered useless. Mr. Kusky felt his loss keenly, and took a philosophical view of matters by boarding a car and going home. He estimated his loss at $2.98.

Philharmonic Concert.

The Philharmonic Sextette, with Richard Arnold, first violinist, of New York, will give three concerts in the Casino in December, January and February. These concerts will probably furnish the best music that will be heard in Plainfield this winter. There will be special soloists at each concert.

Liberal Women to Meet.

The first meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and other liberal Christian women will be held in All Soul's church tomorrow at 3 p. m. Subject for discussion, "The Aim of Life." All woman interested are most cordially invited to attend and take part.

To Bring Suit for Damages.

Miss Adelaide Phelps, daughter of Prof. Phelps, who was injured in a collision with the delivery wagon of R. O. Howell on North avenue sometime ago, has brought suit against Mr. Howell for damages, and retained Craig A. Marsh to represent her.

WAS A HUMAN TORCH.

MRS. PHILIP RADIN HORRIBLY BURNED ABOUT HER BODY.

Her Clothes Caught Fire From a Kitchen Stove—Thought at the Hospital That She May Not Recover From Her Injuries.

A most horrible accident, which will probably prove fatal, occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irenaeus Allen, 97 Jackson avenue, Saturday evening about 5 o'clock, when Mrs. Philip Radin, a boarder, was frightfully burned from her waist to her head. Mrs. Radin has been living with Mr. and Mrs. Allen about a month, and her many peculiar acts caused Mrs. Allen to watch her very closely. On Saturday the latter went out riding for a little while and returned about 4:30. She made no special effort to find Mrs. Radin, and as she had some work upstairs to look after she hastened to perform it. Presently Mrs. Allen's children ran to her calling for help. They were excited but she could understand in the childish talk that Mrs. Radin's clothes were on fire.

She very quickly returned with the children and found Mrs. Radin in the back yard with her clothes in a mass of flames. Mrs. Prentice, a neighbor, was near by, and she ran to a carriage, grasped a horse blanket and wrapped it around the unfortunate woman. This smothered the flames, and in the meantime Dr. Adams, who was summoned, arrived and gave proper treatment.

Mrs. Radin was taken in the house when an examination proved that there was scarcely any flesh left on the body from the waist to the head. The woman apparently did not suffer any pain and she retained consciousness. On the advice of the doctor Mrs. Radin was at once taken to the hospital, where she now lies in a critical condition, and there are slight hopes for her recovery.

The details of the horrible affair are that Mrs. Radin was left alone in the house with Mrs. Allen's children. She discovered that there was no fire in the kitchen stove and acting on the impulse of the moment, started to build one. She placed a quantity of paper in the stove and after lighting it placed some wood on top. While doing the latter the stove-lifter dropped into the fire, and in her attempt to rescue the lifter her apron caught fire. Quicker than a flash her clothing was in a blaze and in her frantic efforts she rushed through the back door into the yard, which was the worst thing she could do, as the air only caused the flames to burn more fiercely. A somewhat singular incident in connection with the sad affair is that a pair of corsets worn by Mrs. Radin were so tightly laced that the heat from the steels burned the flesh to an alarming degree. As soon as Mrs. Radin was taken to the house Mrs. Allen removed the unfortunate woman's clotnes and in doing so large pieces of burned flesh came off. Mr. Ga Nun, a neighbor, offered his assistance, which was appreciated.

Mrs. Radin is better known by her maiden name, Miss Theresa DeFario. She was a granddaughter of the late ex-Governor Bedloe, of New York, and now receives an income of $430 every three months from the estate.

She is a well-known person about town, due to the fact that she is very eccentric.

Skandia Junior's Dance.

Another of the regular Saturday night hops, given under the auspices of the Skandia Junior Society, was held in the hall over the Republican headquarters on East Front street, Saturday evening, and some fifty to seventy-five young poople were present and danced to Prof. Guttman's music until the hour of closing—midnight. The committee in charge of the entertainment consisted of Messrs. Charles Gulberg and Charles Rydell. These dances are becoming very popular, and they are to be continued every Saturday evening from now until spring.

Foreign Missions Discussed.

The first missionary meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church, since the summer vacation, was held last evening. Miss Anna E. Manktolow acted as leader. Short talks were given by Miss M. G. Morse, Philip L. Suffren, Miss J. Louise Jenkins and A. C. La Boyteaux. The subject of foreign missions was taken as a general theme and the ground of missionary work, its rewards and ways of assisting it, were spoken of. The Endeavorers assisted in the meeting by reading different Scripture references relating to the subjects.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

THE 55TH CONGRESS.

Forecast of the Complexion of House of Representatives.

REPUBLICANS WILL BE IN CONTROL

They Will Have 207 Members, Against 137 Democrats and 13 Populists---Division on Free Silver: Against, 204; For, 143.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Although the official figures of the recent election have not in all cases reached the republican congressional headquarters, the result of the contests in the various congressional districts is known with sufficient exactness to warrant the announcement of a summary of the political divisions in the house of representatives in the Fifty-fifth congress. This shows 207 republicans, 137 democrats, and 13 populists. In making this division, the committee has placed among the populists, Messrs. Hartman of Montana, Newlands of Nevada, and Shafroth of Colorado, who were elected to the present congress as republicans; also Jehu Baker of Illinois, who was a republican representative in the Fifty-first congress. The other populists come, four from Kansas, three from North Carolina, one from Colorado, and one from California. Upon the question of silver the division is said to be as follows: For free silver, 153; against free silver, 204. Two of the democrats are opposed to the free coinage of silver—Messrs. McAleer of Pennsylvania, and Elliott of South Carolina; and five republicans favor it it—Messrs. Hitchborn of California, Broderick and Curtis of Kansas, Tinney of California, and Beach of Ohio. A study of the mortality among the present committees of the house reveals some interesting facts. Not a single one of the eleven members of the majority of the ways and means committee failed of re-election, while of six members of the minority, two were not returned — Messrs. Turner of Georgia and Cobb of Missouri. The minority also lost its leader, ex-Speaker Crisp, by death. However, he was not a candidate for re-election. The committee on appropriations loses Messrs. Arnold of Pennsylvania, Hainer of Nebraska, Blue of Kansas and McCall of Tennessee, republicans, and Layton of Ohio and Bartlett of New York, democrats. Other leading committees lose the following [illegible] republicans, including Chairman Daniels of No. 1, and three democrats: judiciary, five republicans and three democrats; banking and currency, three republicans and two democrats; coinage, weights and measures, five republicans and one democrat; interstate and foreign commerce, three republicans and five democrats; rivers and harbors, five republicans and one democrat; merchant marine and fisheries, three republicans and three democrats; agriculture, four republicans, one populist and one democrat; foreign affairs, two republicans and four democrats; military affairs, three republicans and four democrats; naval affairs, three republicans and three democrats; postoffice and post roads, five republicans and three democrats; public lands, five republicans and one democrat; Indian affairs, seven republicans and two democrats; territories, eight republicans (including Chairman Scranton of Pennsylvania) and three democrats; railways and canals, three republicans and one democrat; Pacific railroads, five republicans and four democrats; labor, three republicans (including Chairman Philips of Pennsylvania) and one democrat; invalid pensions, eight republicans (including Chairman Pickler of South Dakota) two democrats and one populist; claims, four republicans, one populist and four democrats; war claims, four republicans and two democrats; reform in the civil service, one republican, one populist and three democrats; immigration and naturalization, one republican and three democrats; accounts, four republicans (including Chairman Aldrich of Illinois) and three democrats; rules, one democrat.

FREE SHIP BILL.

Navigation Commissioner's Report Urges the Passage of Such a Measure.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Despite the fact that there is no probability of either this congress or the next passing a free ship bill, the commissioner of navigation in his annual report, just given to the press, refers prominently to the subject and urges the necessity for the passage of such an act. He invites attention to the fact that our maritime rank on the Pacific is now threatened by a new rival, Japan, which has just established a trans-Pacific steamship line, and with the cooperation of American capital is preparing to rapidly extend the service. Before our carrying trade is altogether lost, Commissioner Chamberlain suggests that congress inquire into the conditions of trans-Pacific transportation. Within the last five years Japan's sea-going steel steamers have increased from thirteen of 27,701 tons to fifty-three of 106,383 tons. The number of American steel or iron steamers on the Pacific coast is forty-three of 68,625 tons.

Gleason May Be Tried in December.

New York, Nov. 16.—Patrick Jerome Gleason, mayor of Long Island City, who was indicted Saturday for election frauds by the grand jury, may be tried in December before Justice Gaynor. The extreme penalty for the offense is three years in prison and a fine of $3,000.

Col. Wm. S. Jay Dead.

Binghamton, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Col. Wm. S. Jay, a prominent member of the G. A. R. and formerly state commander of the Union Veteran union, died here yesterday.

CABINET MAKERS.

Forecasts Made by Newspapers and Others Without Any Authority.

Canton, O., Nov. 16.—President-elect McKinley looked the picture of good health this morning as he sat chatting pleasantly with a small group of friends in his library. Although various newspapers have published complete cabinet outfits for the incoming administration, it is safe to assert that none of them has been built upon anything resembling an authoritative announcement from Major McKinley or those who are closest to the president-elect. Major McKinley delights in reading the newspapers. He has displayed unusual interest in the speculations and anticipations of the cabinet makers of the country, but he retains a marked reticence upon the suggestions as to the probable make up of his official associates. It is evident the president-elect has not made up his mind as to the formation of his cabinet, nor even decided upon the geographical allotment of places therein. It is further apparent that Major McKinley will not consider cabinet candidates until after his return from his visit to Cleveland. According to present arrangements, President-elect and Mrs. McKinley will leave for Cleveland on Wednesday morning. Since Chauncey M. Depew has ceased to be talked about so frequantly for secretary of state, there has been a good deal of discussion here of the probability of his being ambassador to England. It is known that Major McKinley has a very kindly feeling for Mr. Depew, and the latter's friends here assert that he would find life at the court of St. James extremely agreeable. It may be set down for certain, unless the unexpected happens, that Benjamin Harrison will not be urged to take the portfolio of state in Major McKinley's cabinet. Gen. Harrison is not thought to desire this appointment, and the belief here is that the president-elect has about decided to offer it to some one else.

Historic Summer Home for McKinley.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 16.—J. Wyman Jones, Englewood, N. J., brother-in-law of Hon. M. A. Hanna, has purchased the Sampson Wilder place on Waltoquoltee hill, Bolton. The purchase was made conditional on McKinley's election. Great secrecy was observed in the transaction, and Bolton people think the place is purchased for a summer home for President McKinley. Lafayette once stopped over night at the house, and it was arranged that Emperor Napoleon should made it his place of refuge after the battle of Waterloo.

Depew May Succeed Bayard.

London, Nov. 16.—The possible appointment of Dr. Chauncey M. Depew to succeed Mr. Bayard as American ambassador to Great Britain is hailed here with much satisfaction. It is said that Dr. Depew, while speaking recently with an English politician, admitted his willingness to accept the post if it were offered to him. Mr. Depew would certainly be persona grata in the higer circles.

NIAGARA'S GREAT FORCE.

Electric Power Now Transferred to Buffalo, over Twenty-two Miles Away.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Nov. 16.—At one munute after Sunday midnight secretary W. B. Rankins of the Niagara Falls Power company turned the switch in the main power house of the company, connecting the monster 5,000-horse power dynamos with the transformers in the transformer house, which are in turn connected directly with the Buffalo power transmission line, and at that same instant the electric power of Niagara was for the first time sent out beyond the confines of the city and on direct to Buffalo, a distance of some twenty-two miles. It was the grand finale in the long heralded power transmission to Buffalo, and it was a success in every sense of the word. The transformers and line had been previously tested, and on being found to be satisfactory and in perfect condition were turned over to W. A. Brackenridge, the engineer of the company. Mr. Rankins then went to the main power house and threw the switch as stated.

A Wonderful Rotary Engine Invented.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 16.—A small rotary engine of novel design has been invented by Grant Brambel of Sleepy Eye, Minn., for the patent of which, H. F. Allen of London, president of an engineering syndicate, has offered him $1,600,000. The engine does away entirely with the crank motion of the steam engine, a most desirable, but to all intents and purposes, an impossible, thing to do. The engine uses its own plunger for a cut-off.

Abyssinia and Italy.

Rome, Nov. 16.—It is officially stated that King Humbert has received a telegram from Menelik, emperor of Abyssinia, stating that a treaty of peace between Abyssinia and Italy had been signed on Oct. 26. Menelik declares free all the Italian prisoners taken by the Abyssians in the recent campaign, but Italy will have to indemnify him for their support while in captivity.

Death of a Wealthy Sponge Merchant.

Nassau, N. P., Nov. 16.—W. R. Pyfrom, the oldest and largest sponge merchant in this colony, died yesterday suddenly of congestion of the brain. He was a native of the Bahamas, and owned a fleet of vessels numbering about sixty. He was well known in New York and Baltimore.

Business Boom at Spencer, Mass.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 16.—The town of Spencer has been touched by a special boom since election and thirty families have been moved to homes there to supply help for the double-time running of two of the Spencer Woolen company's mills.

THE OLDEST SPORT.

Hunting and Fishing Were Means of Livelihood to Primitive Man.

Somebody has asked which is the oldest sport and started a discussion that has already put the antiquity of games beyond the middle ages. Hunting and fighting were primitive man's chief occupations, says the New York Journal.

These, as civilization developed, were gradually converted from being means of livelihood into pastimes. But it is impossible to tell exactly when the change took place, for it is not even yet complete, and what is sport to the squire and amateur is necessary work to the gamekeeper and professional soldier.

Nimrod, Noah's great-grandson, was a "mighty hunter before the Lord," and as he was a "mighty one in the earth" he probably hunted for pleasure. This is the oldest record of a sport.

The stag and its kind, which make the greatest demand on the skill and endurance of the hunter, would probably be the first animal pursued for pleasure. To hunt the lion was kingly sport from the earliest times.

The Egyptian monuments show that all kinds of hunting, as well as fowling, were followed for pleasure. The Olympic games were probably the oldest athletic sports and their origin is lost in antiquity. They are said to celebrate Jupiter's defeat of the Titans.

Disgraced Russian Officers.

Eleven officers of the Bielogrod dragoons have been reduced to the ranks, and one lieutenant dismissed from the army for their share in a disgraceful riot at Mejibujie, in Podolia. Lieut. Bakounine, while drunk, grossly insulted and struck some Jewish civilians who were sitting quietly in a wine shop. After protesting for awhile they gave him a sound thrashing, whereupon he went to the barracks, got together some other officers and 150 dragoons, and set out to avenge the honor of the regiment. The wine shop and the adjacent houses were sacked and set on fire, a number of Jewish houses and shops were pillaged, and five Jews killed and thirty seriously injured. As the colonel of the regiment did not think the incident worth reporting the czar has ordered him to be placed on the retired list.

An Odd English Village.

Buckland-on-the-Moor, a secluded village of Devonshire, England, has no public house, parson, policemen or paupers. The squire owns all the land. The farms are small, but profitable. The farm laborers live in the squire's cottages. When they fall sick the squire pays their wages as usual, and when they are too old to work any more they are continued on the pay list, and potter about doing what they please.

Scott's Emulsion

Will Cure a Stubborn Cough when ordinary specifics fail. It restores strength to the weakened organs and gives the system the force needed to throw off the disease.

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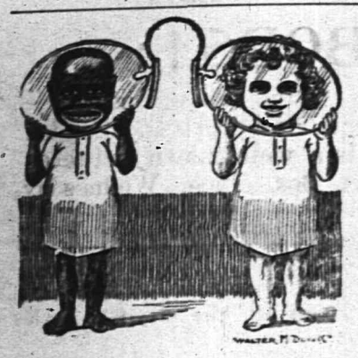

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"I gather from your remarks," he said, "that you would like to be my son-in-law."

"I don't care a continental about that," retorted the young man with considerable asperity. "Your daughter has enough money in her own right to satisfy me."—Chicago Post.

Seemed to Remind Him.

"Speaking of that yellow old humbug, Li Hung Chang"—

"By George, I'm glad you spoke of him. If he were here, he would probably ask me: 'How about that letter your wife gave you the other day? Have you mailed it yet?' I'll go and do it right now."—Chicago Tribune.

Business.

He—Miss Luella, I love you madly. Will you be mine?

She—This really is so sudden, Mr. Bitsnis. I must have time to think it over before I answer you.

He—Can't give you much. Last car goes in 15 minutes.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

BUTLER TO WATSON

The Danger He Saw in Printing the Letter of Acceptance.

MEANT THE SURE DEFEAT OF BRYAN

Declined the Responsibility of Making It Public Without Certain Changes Which He Suggested—Predicted Populists' Sure Defeat.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Senator Marion Butler, chairman of the populist national committee, has just made public the following letter, which he addressed to Mr. Watson two days after the receipt of his letter of acceptance: "Your letter of acceptance was received Saturday night. It had been detained in the postoffice for want of sufficient postage. You, in effect, advise populists not to support the joint electoral tickets that have been arranged in a large nnmber of states. Is it possible that you fully appreciate the effect of such advice? At least, upon raflection, you must know that if enough populists should follow your advice, it would mean the defeat of Bryan and the election of McKinley. Besides, if your advice should be followed by enough populists, the people's party would not have a single elector in the electoral college. In the states where we have joint electoral tickets, we will get every elector that we should get; and, besides, it is in those states where we will get the bulk, if not all, of the people's party congressmen. In your own state, and in other states which have followed your advice against electors, we will not get a single electoral, and I fear not many congressmen, if any. You certainly cannot mean, however much you may have favored a middle-of-the-road policy in the beginning, to advise your friends to do that which at this time would be the most effective agency in placing in power McKinley. Can any personal or party injustice, however great, justify us in being responsible, either directly or indirectly, for placing in power the monpolists. In the name of outraged and suffering humanity, whose prayers to-day go up from millions of homes for William J. Bryan in his struggle against corporate greed, let us sink every other consideration and hold up our hands and do the full duty of Americans and pariots. Let us remember that it is a suffering people, and not democratic politicians, that to-day call for our help and demand our services. Bryan will be elected and the government redeemed if every patriot does his duty. Let us do ours. Therefore, I beseech you to change at least that part of your letter which gives advice, which, if followed, would surely help the common enemy. If you do not, then you, yourself, must assume the responsibility of giving such a document to the public at this time. MARION BUTLER."

FOR A GREAT GAME PRESERVE.

Purchase of 200,000 Acres of Mountain Land in New Mexica Recommended.

Wichita, Kas., Nov. 16.—If the plans recommended by Charles Payne, of this city, the well known hunter and authority on wild game, are carried out, the greatest private game preserve in the United States will soon be established in northern New Mexico. Mr. Payne, at the request of several wealth men, recently took a trip through Colorado and New Mexico. His report recommends the purchase of nearly 200,000 acres of mountain land, which now belongs to the Maxwell Land Grant company, and which is located in northern New Mexico. Should it be used for a game preserve the entire tract will be inclosed with a high and strong wire fence and stocked with all manner of with game.

A Great Block of Marble.

Bellows Falls, Vt., Nov. 16.—Much inconvenience is experienced in finding a railroad route to New Orleans having bridges high enough for the largest block of granite ever quarried in Vermont. The block is fifteen feet square and three feet thick. It is intended for the noted Moriarty monument in that city. A special car is being built, on which it is intended to set the block on edge, letting the lower side swing through the bottom.

To Stop Adulteration of Beer.

Albany, Nov. 16.—The alleged adulteration of lager beer is to be brought to the attention of the coming state legislature. The state board of health some time ago was requested to urge the enactment of a law requiring that only malt and hops shall be used in the manufacture of lager beer. Such a law is already on the statute books, but is inoperative for lack of funds.

Woman Publisher Arrested for Libel.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—A special from St. Paul, Minn., says: A warrant has been issued for Miss Rebecca J. Taylor at the instance of Judge James Schoonmaker, charging criminal libel. The publication upon which the charge is made appeared in Truth, a weekly paper edited and published by Miss Taylor, on October 13 last, just prior to the republican county convention.

Modern Big Guns for Quebec.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 16.—An Ottawa correspondent says he learns that a number of modern big guns, about twenty-two tons each, have been ordered for the fortifications at Quebec It is said by experts that when these guns are mounted they will make the citadel one of the best fortified points on the western continent.

Diphtheria Epidemic in Indiana.

Laport, Ind., Nov. 16.—An epidemic of diphtheria is threatened in a number of localities in northern Indiana. The entire Tomlinson family, living near New Carlisle, six in number, have been wiped out by the deadly malady.

GOSSIP FROM BERLIN

Bismarck's Revelations To Come Up in the Reichstag To-day.

A VERY SPIRITED DEBATE EXPECTED

Centrist Leaders, It Is Stated, Will Not Push the Matter To the Extent of Embarrassing the Government—Count Herbert To Take Part.

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Berlin, Nov. 16.—Public interest has been greatly excited over the promised interpellation of the centrist leaders in the reichstag to-day, demanding that the government disclose the nature of the Russo-German neutrality treaty, the existence of which from 1884 to 1890 was revealed in Prince Bismarck's recent articles in his personal organ, the Hamburger Nachrichten, and an explanation why the agreement was allowed to lapse. Applications for admission to the galleries have been enormously in excess of the capacity of the space devoted to visitors and a full attendance of members of the reichstag is also assured. It was given out late last evening, however, that it is not the intention of the centrist leaders to press debate to the extent of embarrassing the government, but it is nevertheless certain that the debate will be a very spirited one and likely to lead to sharp exchanges of personalities. It is also understood that Count Herbert Bismarck, who, it has been suggested, was responsible to a great degree for the publication of the revelations—though nobody now believes that he was—will take part in the discussion of the centrist motion. An article in the Hamburger Nachrichten indicates that the line of the ex-chancellor's defense of his course in making the disclosures will be that it was in the interests of the country, which ought to learn the motives which actuated the late chancellor Count von Caprivi in covering the bond between Russia and Germany which existed from 1884 to 1890. If the government is able to explain this action on the part of Prince Bismarck's successor to the chancellorship, the Nachrichten says, it will be a very easy matter to tranquilize Germany by showing in what way German relations with the other foreign powers made a Russian alliance unacceptable.

Actuated by Patriotic Motives.

Prince Bismarck's persistent attacks upon his successors and the crown as well are supposed to be based upon the presumed leaning of the kaiser toward England and has a distinct connection with the ex-chancellor's old feud with the Empress Frederick, to whose influence he has attributed the thwarting of his Russo-German policy. Nobody suspects the prince of being actuated by other than patriotic motives, but his bias for his personal opinions has always made him intolerant of opposition. A majority of the press of all shades, while discussing the matter from their respective political points of view, are rather sympathetic with the old chancellor than otherwise. The speech recently delivered in Whitehaven, England, by Lord Lonsdale, who is an intimate personal friend of the emperor, in defense of the kaiser's course in sending a telegram to President Kruger of the Transvaal republic congratulating him upon his prompt and effective suppression of the Jamieson raid has added greatly to the anti-English feeling prevailing in Germany and has strengthened the suspicion that English family influence is still very much too strong in the German court.

Suppressing News of Military Abuses.

The sentence of lieutenant Baron von Brusewitz, the murderer of Herr Siebemann in a cafe in Carlsruhe, has been confirmed, and the disgraced lieutenant is now a prisoner in the castle at Ehrenbreitstein. Since the cropping out of a great number of military scandals of late, the authorities have endeavored to suppress all mention of them by the press, and the consequence is that they are not now permitted to be made subjects of free or general comment. The Treves Tageblatt has been seized by the authorities on account of the paper having published an article which was officially alleged to be insulting to the officers of the Germany army and other journals have been warned against continuing their comments upon current reports of military abuses.

Swindling Hotel Keepers.

A swindler, pretending to be a courier of the Vanderbilts of New York, has been conducting operations in Bremen and other ports with considerable success. His method is to engage rooms at the leading hotels for "Mr. Vanderbilt and party" who are to arrive on a certain steamer. He secures the best apartments in the establishment and draws up and signs an agreement for any sum that may be demanded, after which he borrows what he can from the landlord on the pretext of being temporarily embarrassed owing to the delay of his remittances, or for some other reason, and disappears.

President Cleveland's Cuban Attitude.

The Berlin papers comment freely upon President Cleveland's attitude in regard to Cuba, and agree that it is his intention to assert the right of the United States to dictate Spain's future policy toward Cuba. Some journals argue that the carollary of British submission in the Venezuelan dispute will be a strengthening of American pretentions on the lines of the Monroe doctrine.

Duchess Decazes Dead.

London, Nov. 16.—The Duchess Decazes is dead in Paris. She was formerly Isabella Blanch Singer of New York.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight and Tuesday; Slowly Rising Temperature.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 42 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 16--Compass Whist at Park Club.
Nov. 16--Meeting of Union County Branch State Charities Aid Association in the Crescent Avenue church at 8 p.m.
Nov. 17--Republican primaries.
Nov. 18--Crescent Wheelmen meeting.
Nov. 18--Spanish drill at the Church of the Heavenly Rest.
Nov. 19--Sociable at the Trinity Reformed church.

The Mercantile and Financial Times of New York has the following to say of Mayor Gilbert over his selection as President of the Market and Fulton Bank: "Mr. Gilbert is also a veteran of finance, having joined the bank when Mr. Bayles did. He is a man of conservative methods, of sound and accurate judgement and of thoroughly up-to-date methods, and it may be looked upon as a foregone conclusion that the business of the bank will continue to prosper and grow under his administration as it has done in times past."

THEATRICAL.

Prominent amongst the good attractions booked here is the Henshaw-TenBroeck Comedy Company that appears here at the Opera House. It comprises a picked lot of well-known comedians and comediennes and a comedy in "The Nabobs" that is considered one of the funniest on the boards. The fact that this is its sixth season and the twelfth of the organization, speaks volumes in its favor. John E. Henshw, who heads the company, is known all over this country as one of the most gifted and versatile comedians. This will be the only appearance of this famous organization here this season and it will be a treat for the lovers of fun and good music. Prices will be the same as usual and seats may be secured in time for "The Nabobs" next Saturday evening at the Opera House.

An Explanation Needing Explaining.

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—The Press did not say Mr. Noel is not a citizen of the United States, but that he had not been. The Press is right, as Mr. Noel admits. He says, in his letter to The Press, which was published Friday:

Possibly you may be desirous of knowing why then did I apply for papers if I was, as I state, a citizen. That matter is of no importance to the community in which I live, and the actions of an individual are free so long as he does not contravene the customs of the place in which he lives. In the desire to have the papers I applied for I followed out a wish of my own and for which I am not accountable to anyone.

The public does not at the present time care to know why Mr. Noel applied for papers, although it might at some future time be a very important matter. It is true, as Mr. Noel says: "The actions of an individual are free so long as he does not contravene the customs (i. e. laws) of the place in which he lives." But is it customary in the United States for citizens of this country to go before a court of record and swear they have been subjects of a foreign State and now desire to forswear that allegiance and become citizens of the United States? What a traverty on citizenship that would be. No! Mr. Noel, the public don't care, but just for fun, say now, did you or did you not swear that you had been a subject of "Her Majesty, the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, and Empress of India?" And if your answer is yes, then why did you subscribe yourself as alway a a citizen of the United States? S.

J. B. Coward's Father Dead.

Ex-City Clerk J. B. Coward, of East Front street, received word yesterday from his sister, Mrs. Arrowsmith, of Keyport, Monmouth county, that his father had died suddenly at her home yesterday morning. The decedent had not been ill at all and his death was very unexpected. He was 92 years old and had always enjoyed very good health, though he was subject to occasional trouble of the heart. He leaves two children, Mrs. Arrowsmith, with whom he lived, and J. B. Coward, of this city. Mr. Coward left for Keport yesterday afternoon.

The Editors Damage Case.

The case of J. Alfred Potter, editor of the Cranford Chronicle, against Hugo C. Fett, his landlord, for damages, was tried this morning before Justice Newcorn and a number of witnesses sworn for each side. The particulars of the suit have already been published exclusively in The Press, and the testimony was practically a repetition of them. Decision in the case was reserved.

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PIG SKIN INVINCIBLES.

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slipped over Brown's shoulder. Peck caught it and ran across the line for a touchdown. Darling kicked the goal. Score, Plainfield, 30; Westfield, 0

Westfield refused to play any more on account of darkness, and the Plainfield team left for home in Conover's stage amid the glare of colored fire, the bang of cannon crackers, and the lively Y. M. C. A. yell. The team continued to celebtate all the way home, and entered Plainfield as they left Westfield. It was not hard to tell how the game had gone.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Fred Breem, of Richmond street, is the guest of Brooklyn friends.

Rev. C.L Goodrich, of West Seventh street, has gone to Oswego, N. Y., on a visit.

Harry Bush, of East Second street, is spending today with relatives at Warrenville.

Miss Davis, of Lakewood, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Andrews, of Central avenue.

Miss Jennie Waters, formerly of this city, but now of Summit, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Estelle Coddington, of Somerset street, has returned after a pleasant visit at Bound Brook.

Theodore Randolph, formerly in the shoe business here, and now of New York city, spent Sunday in town.

Garrett Eick, of East Third street, has returned from a short visit with relatives at East Millstone.

Miss Adelaide Hillshouse, of Paris, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street.

Frank Drake, editor of the Independent Republican, Goshen, N. Y., was a pleasant caller at The Press office Saturday.

S. St.John McCutchen, of Rockview Terrace, spent Thursday night at New Haven with his son, Will, who is at Yale University.

Miss Lottie Messerschmith, of Washington street, is kept at home by illness and was unable to sing at the First Presbyterian church last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Newman, of West Fifth street, were favored yesterday by a visit from a dear friend, Miss Lillian M. Millspaugh, of Middletown, N. Y.

J. W. Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue, entertained a few friends from out of town yesterday by giving them a ride about Plainfield and the suburbs on his brake.

Samuel A. Vest, an employe of the Southern Railway Company, accompanied by his wife, from Haw River, N. C., are visiting J. C. Holder, at 207 West Fifth street.

George Firstbrook, of Elmwood place, has just returned from a business trip trough New York State. While at Rochester last week there was a heavy fall of snow.

William Townley, Bert Townley, Mifford Giles, William Schaeffer and William McClaine, enjoyed a spin on their wheels yesterday. They took in the northern part of the State.

Dr. L. G. Newman, a member of the Metropolitan Hospital staff, of Blackmill's Island, N. Y., paid a visii to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Newmrn, of West Fifth street, yesterday.

The aged father of Frank Linke, of West Front street, is expected to arrive in this country today from S. Elician, in the Province of Germany near Breslau. Mr. Linke is 67 years of age, and has never before visited the United States. He comes by one of the Hamburg-American Line steamers, and will probably remain here during the winter.

He Tried to Own the Street.

Short and sweet was the enebriated career of David Thompson, Saturday night. Hn sampled various kinds of drinks early in the evening until he reached a stage of roaring drunkenness. Then he tried to own Park avenue but Patrolman McCue was too much for him. He was lodged in jail and after an interview with City Judge DeMeza this morning he went down to see the Warden of the Elizabeth jail for 20 days.

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TANGLED IN JERSEY LAW

CASE OF A FARM HAND WHO SHOT A HENHAWK ON SUNDAY.

Peter Larson Has Been in Jail Two Months and May Have to Stay There Till February—Facts in the Case.

Peter Larson and Frisco Sorcisco occupied cells in the Somerset county jail on Thursday night as offenders against the Jersey game laws. By a freak of Jersey justice Sorcisco, the more serious offender of the two, was liberated Friday while Larson, who has already spent two months in jail, was left imprisioned for an indefinite period. His crime was shooting a hen hawk on a Sunday at his master's bidding.

Sorcisco was detected by Deputy Game Warden G. H. Stone with two robins in his possession which he had shot out of season. Justice Longstreet, of Rocky Hill, imposed a fine on him of $42.68, and committed him to the county jail in default of payment The township constable, who placed him in jail on Tuesday, made the mistake of leaving with the Sheriff the warrant, instead of the Justice's commitment. The Sheriff could not legally hold the prisoner on the warrant, and Sorcisco's friends had him released on a writ of habeas corpus.

Larson worked for a farmer named Nicholson near Bound Brook. One Sunday morning last July Nicholson ordered him to get a gun and shoot a chicken hawk that was hovering over the chicken yard. Larson did so. As he allowed the the butt of the gun to strike hard against the ground after the successful shot, the second barrel was discharged, tearing away his coat sleeve and the rim of his hat. Nicholson and a friend witnessed the incident.

Six weeks later the friend happened to tell of Larson's narrow escape to a crowd of loungers in a village store near Bound Brook. Among the listeners were Deputy Game Warden Sebring, who knew of a law imposing a fine of $20 and costs on any person hunting in the fields or woods or carrying firearms on Sunday. The law gives the game warden making the arrest one-third of the fine. Sebring made complaint against Larson for hunting on Sunday, and Larson was arrested and taken before Justice Coddington, of Bound Brook, who imposed a fine of $28, including costs. Larson was then patroled in charge of a constable to get money to pay the fine. The men stopped at a wayside inn, where Larson attempted to drown his indignation in drink. The constable joined him. In a short time the men had forgotten the relations they bore to each other and parted later swearing eternal friendship. Larson went back to the farm, the constable returned to Bound Brook, and Game Warden Sebring and Justice Coddington waited in vain for their share of the fine.

Two weeks passed, and no attempt was made to recapture Larson, as Justice Coddington was uncertain after all about the legality of the conviction for hunting on Sunday. Larson was unloading stone from his employer's wagon at Bound Brook about Sept. 1 when Warden Sebring again pounced on him. There was a gleam of indignation in Larson's eyes when he felt Sebring's hand upon him, and in a twinkling Sebring and his prisoner were rolling in the dust. They brought up against a stone wall, with Larson on top. Larson was finally subdued and taken before Justice Coddington. On his first appearance before the Justice he had been tried for killing the hawk. This time he was tried and convicted of carrying the gun that killed the hawk that stole Farmer Nicholson's chickens, and tacked on to this conviction was a serious charge of assault and battery upon an officer, which landed him in the county jail to await the action of Grand Jury. Larson lay in jail six weeks before he was convicted and tried for the assault. After hearing his case Judge Bartine ordered the jury to acquit him of the charge of assault, as his arrest and second conviction for practically the same offence were clearly illegal.

The Court, however, failed to decide whether Larson had violated the game laws or was imprisoned under any legal conviction, Judge Bartine not having the power to pass upon Justice Coddington's uncertain decision in the case. Then Larson found himself entangled in the legal meshes in such a way that he could not be released on payment of his fine or be bailed out until a higher court had passed on the legality of his conviction. His lawyer, Goorge W. Anderson, took the case before Justice Magie in the Circuit Court. Justice Magie has just given an opinion in which he states that the Circuit Court has no jurisdiction in the case and that it must go to the Supreme Court. The case cannot now be argued before the Supreme Court until its first meeting in February. In the meantime Larson must remain in the county jail unless some proceeding is found to release him. If the Supreme Court decides that Larson's conviction is illegal, Justice Coddington and Deputy Game Warden Sebring will be sued for damages for false imprisonment.—Sun.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

CITY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the city of Plainfield are requested to meet at the following places on Thursday evening, November 19th, at 8 o'clock to place in nomination a member of the Common Council, and delegates to the City Convention, to be held at the Bryan school on Saturday evening, the 21st.

		Delegates.
First Ward—Hoaglands office, North ave.		5
2d do	Bryant School.	4
3d do	Revere House.	2
4th do	Blimm's Hotel.	11

City Convention will place in nomination a Mayor, Treasurer, City Collector, two Comissioners of Appeal, one Member of the Board of Education. Each ward will nominate one Justice of the Peace, one Constable

J. E. MARTINE, Pres. Dem. Ass'n.
MICHEAL FLYNN, Secretary.

Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St.

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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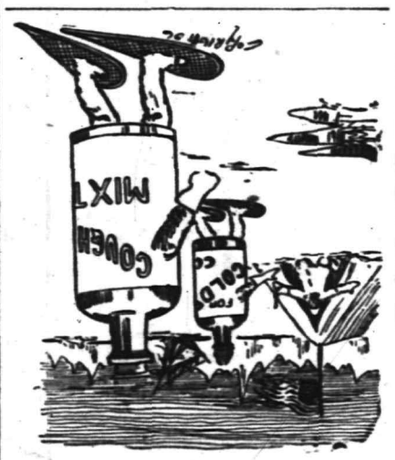

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Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.30; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Miss Hattie Fleet, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with Miss Florence Howard, here.

Conductor John Day, of train No. 19, has gone hunting, and Conductor Oscar Freeman is filling his place.

Dr. W. J. Nelson, of New Market, started for Maine on a hunting trip yesterday. He expects to be gone about four weeks.

W. Carman has been out hunting on three different occasions since the game laws were up, and his total catch was nine quail.

Newton Apgar is being congratulated on the arrival of a daughter, which was born Thursday night. Mother and child are doing nicely.

W. H. Judge, of Leonardsville, N. Y., arrived in town Saturday and went over to New Market to visit A. E. Curtis. Mr. Judge is a moulder by trade and will work in the Potter Press Words.

Brakeman A. F. Warden will exhibit some of his fancy stock of poultry at the poultry show which is to be held in Plainfield December 2d to 5th. Mr. Warden has some very fine stock and he will undoubtedly capture some of the prizes.

Court Dunellen, I. O. F., will give an entertainment and reception at Lincoln School Hall, on Thursday evening, the 19th inst. Rev. George Buckle, of Elizabeth, and others will entertain, and about one hundred invitations have been sent out.

DeWitt Lance, of Junction, and W. Kuhns and A. F. Warden shot forty-seven cottontails at Junction one day last week. "Gus" has already given away over twenty rabbits. "Gus" will next week make a trip for English pheasants in the lower part of the State.

Chief of Police Warden is getting a list of the young men and boys who make themselves obnoxious about the postoffice during the evening. The Chief has several names on his list already and they will be handed to Justice of the Peace Lucky for future consideration.

Conductor Charles Dinneen has arranged for a hunting expedition to Barktown, near Junction, today. "Charley" is accurate in his official capacity and it is said he is likewise so in his aim. But then, of course, he may not shoot any more rabbits than the law allows.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Annie Collins, of New York city, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. John H. Blimm.

The case on contract brought by Turton against Reed was on Friday adjourned by Judge Clark to the 20th instant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. E. Richards, of New York, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Blimm, at their well-known hostlery.

Eugene Gerry and John Reich are going out hunting tomorrow, so all other hunters should cancel future engagements.

Mrs. Mary Schwalbach, of Bartle avenue, aged sixty-nine years, has been ailing since Saturday with a complication of diseases.

This is pay day at the mountain crusher, and the workmen are happy in consequence, as their wages are only forthcoming once a month.

Benjamin Singer went out gunning for woodcock on the mountain, Saturday, and instead of getting the game he went after, came home with two raccoons, weighing 17 and 18 pounds.

Maj. Cramer, of the New Jersey Brigade, U. R. K. of P., is expected in town this evening to confer with some of the more influential members concerning the growth and other matters pertaining to the order.

The Scotch Plains and Rahway football teams played a game here on Saturday, and the Rahway boys were defeated by a score of 18 to 0. George Allen and Roy Day played the best on the Plains team, but they were entirely outclassed and played poor from the start.

There was a genuine chewing match between two colored men, over a colored girl, at the Fanwood station about 2 o'clock yesterday morning, and during the fracas that followed one of the colored girls was hit on the ear with a brick and a portion of the ear was torn away.

On Wednesday, at the residence of Wilbur Corey, at Mountainside, near here, a chicken supper was given for the benefit of the Locust Grove chapel. About 125 persons were present and enjoyed a most appetizing supper, and during the evening there was singing and recitations by members of the party.

Manager James Boyles, of the Electric Car and Construction Company's stone cracker on the mountain near here, and John H. Blimm are scheduled for a foot race from Blimm's Hotel to the meadow bridge and return, this evening, starting at candle light. The prize is a bottle of Mumm's Extra Dry and a rabbit supper.

The twenty-fourth annual reception and ball of Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., in Excelsior Hall, on the evening of Thursday next, with music by Prof. O'Reilly, will be a memorable event in the history of the society. As before stated in The Press, many of the Grand Lodge officers will be in attendance, and everything points to a gala night for the Knights.

Judge Clark has been notified by the Town Clerk of the bicycle ordinance, and he is requested to enforce the same. The ordinance imposes a penalty of $10 for riding on the sidewalks at night without a light, and it further inflicts a penalty of $5 for riding at all at night without a lamp. Judge Clark says he intends to enforce the ordinance without fear or favor.

Two dead horses were buried on Bartle avenue, the latter part of last week, and the animals' legs were left protruding from the ground, so that on Saturday night some vicious dogs went to the place, gnawed off the legs and carried them away, besides unearthing a large portion of the horses' bodies. One of the legs was found on a door stoop yesterday morning, and another was found party gnawed and lying in a doorvard. The attention of the Board of Health is to be called to the matter, and a radical change should be made very soon. On warm days the stench arising from this source is almost unbearable.

NO FEAR OF HARM.

Wm. Gray Says That Patrolman Totten is a Vigilant Officer.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—In your issue of Saturday I was very much pleased with your truthful and graphic account of the incident which occurred on Grant avenue in the early hours of Friday morning last. I never have had any fears of burglars entering my home, because there is no inducement for them to do so. Of course, the unexpected often takes place. Therefore, I was more than pleased when I heard the voice of the night patrolman challenging the party who had that moment left my house, but not in the terms reported by the News. The officers did not "threaten to shoot." Neither did I speak to him from my "bedroom window," but from the hall door, and I retired to my bed with greater feeling of security from midnight marauders, so long as Patrolman Totten is around.

This little incident should satisfy every resident in the West End that, although he may have bad streets and muddy sidewalks, his property is seeure, as Patrolman Totten neither slumbers nor sleeps, but is doing his duty well, during the silent watches of the night. W. G. Gray.

To the Ladies of Plainfield.

It has come to my knowledge that there are now two ladies canvassing for the treatment of ladies' hair, using my name to gain entrance to houses and the confidence necessary for the introduction of their new hair preparations. I desire to say no authority has been granted, and caution all the ladies to beware of the fraudulent efforts now being practiced.

L. W. Randolph.

The Firemen Thanked.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—I desire to express many thanks to the firemen for the worthy work tney done in saving my house and home.

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—The Ladies' Aid Society, of Warren chapel, will meet on Tuesday afternoon.

—William Woidt entertained A. Saltzman, of Plainfield, Thursday.—Westfield Standard.

—The fair recently held at Scotch Plains for the benefit of All Saints P. E. church, netted $100.

—The cellars for three new houses on LaGrande avenue have been excavated for Daniel Dugan.

—There were three baptisms in Hope chapel yesterday morning by the Rev. G. Kennedy Newell.

—George H. Fairchild and J. J. Stahl, of Grandview avenue, are having flag walks laid in front of their properties.

—Percy Cannon, the blind boy, is prepared to do chair caining at the corner of Watchung avenue and Second street.

—Smalley Bros. started their crusher on the mountain again Thursday, but their product, or most of it, is being sent out of town.

—A meeting of the Hope Chapel Mutual Improvement Association will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Important business will be transacted.

—The Physical Directors's Bible class usually holding meetings at 5:15 in the afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. building Sundays, will meet hereafter at 9:15 in the morning.

—An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church on Friday evening. It will be called "Living Dolls," and it will be given by the young people of the church.

—T. J. Carey's men who returned from Yonkers on Saturday where they delivered several loads of furniture, report that they found a considerable amount of snow at that place and for awhile they were obliged to stop work.

—The members of the W. C. T. U. feel much incensed over the article which appeared in the News recently regarding the coffee cart. The Union gave the cart to the Reform Club and the Ladies' Aid Society of Reform Hall. The Union does not know why it is not used.

—The members of the Skandia Junior Society, of this city, are making preparations for a grand blow out and dance the latter part of this month, when it is expected that many visitors will be present from neighboring cities.

—David Gray, an employe of the Pond Tool and Machine Works, sustained a slight injury to a toe Friday afternoon while at work by a piece of iron falling on his foot. Mr. Gray went to the hospital and had the injured member dressed and soon afterward returned to his work.

A Life Crushed Out.

A good sized yellow and black colored dog which had followed two ladies to the depot this morging, was struck by the engine on the 7 58 New York train and so badly injured that it was deemed necessary to shoot the animal to put it out of its misery.

Ignorance Was Not Bliss.

W. Goetz was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza Saturday afternoon for riding on the sidewalk on East Sixth street, near Richmond street. He said he didn't know the law.

Justice Nash's Court.

Justice Nash issued summons Saturday in the following contract cases, returnable on the 20th: Coddington against Becker, Pearson & Gayle against Cutillo & Petruccione.

Ernest Mallard, of North avenue, has accepted the position as manager of Manning's drug store, Bound Brook, and entered upon his duties today.

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COWARD, JOHN H.—At Key Port, N. J., on Sunday, Nov. 15, of heart failure, in the 52 year of his age.
Funeral services from the residence of his son Jose h B. Coward, No. 245 East Front St., on Wednesday, Nov. 18, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice. 11-16-2

LINDMARK—In this city Sunday, Nov. 15, 1896, Anna F., wife of Charles A. Lindmark aged 30 years, 10 months, 3 days.
Funeral services from her late residence, 211 Manson place, Tuesday, Nov. 17, at 2:30.

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into tree-trunks. Wounded men and other stragglers were slinking through the woods.

Looking down an aisle of the grove, the youth and his companion saw a jangling general and his staff almost ride upon a wounded man who was crawling on his hands and knees. The general reined strongly at his charger's opened and foamy mouth and guided it with dexterous horsemanship past the man. The latter scrambled in wild and torturing haste. His strength evidently failed him as he reached a place of safety. One of his arms suddenly weakened, and he fell, sliding over upon his back. He lay stretched out, breathing gently.

A moment later, the small, creaking cavalcade was directly in front of the two soldiers. Another officer, riding with the skillful abandon of a cowboy, galloped his horse to a position directly before the general. The two unnoticed foot soldiers made a little show of going on, but they lingered in the desire to overhear the conversation. Perhaps, they thought, some great inner historical things would be said.

The general, who the boys knew as the commander of the division, looked at the officer and spoke coolly, as if he were criticising his clothes. "The enemy's formin' over there for another charge," he said. "It'll be directed against Winterside, an' I'm afraid they'll break through there unless we work like thunder to stop them."

Then he began to talk rapidly and in a lower tone. He frequently illustrated his words with a pointing finger. The two infantrymen could hear nothing until finally he asked: "What troops can you spare?"

The officer who rode like a cowboy reflected for an instant. "Well," he said, "I had to order in the Twelfth to help th' Seventy-sixth an' I haven't really got any. Troops are scarce with me. But there's the Three Hundred and Fourth. They fight like a lot of mule drivers. I can spare them best of any."

The youth and his friend exchanged glances of astonishment.

The general spoke sharply. "Get 'em ready then. I'll watch developments from here and send you word when to start them. It'll happen in five minutes."

As the other officer tossed his fingers toward his cap and, wheeling his horse, started away, the general called out to him in a sober voice: "I don't believe many of your mule drivers will get back."

The other shouted something in reply. He smiled.

With scared faces, the youth and his companion hurried back to the line.

As they approached, the young lieutenant, who commanded the company, perceived them and swelled with wrath. "Fleming—Wilson—how long does it take yeh t' git water, anyhow—where yeh been—"

But his oration ceased as he saw their eyes which were large with great tales. "We're goin' to charge," cried the youth's friend, hastening with his news.

"Charge?" said the lieutenant. "Charge? Well, b'Gawd." Over his countenance there went a boastful smile. "Charge? Well, b'Gawd."

A little group of soldiers surrounded the two youths. "Are we, sure 'nough? Well, I'll be derned. Charge? What fer? What at? Wilson, you're lyin'."

"CHARGE? CHARGE?"

"I hope to die," said the youth, pitching his tones to the key of angry remonstrance. "Sure as shooting, I tell you." And his friend spoke in reinforcement. "Not by a blame sight, he ain't lyin'. We heard 'em talkin'."

They caught sight of two mounted figures a short distance from them. One was the colonel of the regiment and the other was the officer who had received orders from the commander of the division. They were gesticulating at each other. The youth, pointing at them, interpreted the scene.

The men settled back, then, in reposeful attitudes with airs of having accepted the matter. And they mused upon it, with a hundred varieties of expression. It was an engrossing thing to think about. Many tightened their belts carefully and hitched at their trousers.

A moment later, the officers began to bustle among the men, pushing them into a more compact mass and into a better alignment. They chased those that straggled and fumed at a few men who seemed to show by their attitudes that they had decided to remain at that spot.

Presently the regiment seemed to draw itself up and heave a deep breath. None of the men's faces were mirrors of large thoughts. The soldiers were bended and stooped like springers before a signal. Many pairs of glinting eyes peered from the grimy faces toward the curtains of the deeper woods. They seemed to be engaged in deep calculation of time and distance.

They were surrounded by the noises of the monstrous altercation between the two armies. The world was fully interested in other matters. Apparently, the regiment had its small affair to itself.

The youth, turning shot-quick inquiring glance at his friend. It was as if he had been stunned. The latter returned to him the same manner of look. They were the only ones who possessed an inner knowledge. "Mule-drivers—don't believe many will get back." It was an ironical secret. Still, they saw no hesitation in each other's faces and they nodded a mute and unprotesting assent when a shaggy man near them said in a meek voice: "We'll git swallered."

CHAPTER XIV

The youth stared at the land in front of him. Its foliages now seemed to veil powers and horrors. He was unaware of the machinery of orders that started the charge, although from the corners of his eyes he saw an officer, who looked like a boy a horseback, come galloping, waving his hat. Suddenly he felt a straining and heaving among the men. The line fell slowly forward like a toppling wall and, with a convulsive gasp that was intended for a cheer, the regiment began its journey. The youth was pushed and jostled for a moment before he understood the movement at all, but directly he lunged ahead and began to run.

He fixed his eye upon a distant and prominent clump of trees where he had concluded the enemy were to be met, and he ran toward it as toward a goal. He had believed throughout that it was a mere question of getting over an unpleasant matter as quickly as possible, and he ran desperately as if pursued for a murder. His face was drawn hard and tight with the stress of his endeavor. His eyes were fixed in a lurid glare. And with his soiled and disordered dress, his red and inflamed features surmounted by the dingy rag with its spot of blood, his wildly-swinging rifle and banging accoutrements, he looked to be an insane soldier.

As the regiment swung from its position out into a cleared space, the woods and thickets before it awakened. Yellow flames leaped toward it from many directions. The forest made a tremendous objection.

The line lurched straight for a moment. Then the right wing swung forward; it in turn was surpassed by the left. Afterward the center careered to the front until the regiment was a wedge-shaped mass; but an instant later the opposition of the bushes, trees and uneven places on the ground split the command and scattered it into detached clusters.

The youth, light-footed, was unconsciously in advance. His eyes still kept note of the clump of trees. From all places near it the clannish yell of the enemy could be heard. The little flames of rifles leaped from it. The song of the bullets was in the air and shells snarled from the sky. One tumbled directly into the middle of a hurrying group and exploded in crimson fury. There was an instant's spectacle of a man, almost over it, throwing up his hands to shield his eyes.

Other men, punched by bullets, fell in grotesque agonies. The regiment left a coherent trail of bodies.

They had passed into a clearer atmosphere. There was an effect like a revelation in the new appearance of the landscape. Some men working madly at a battery were plain to them and the opposing infantry's lines were defined by the gray walls and fringes of smoke.

It seemed to the youth that he saw everything. Each blade of the green grass was bold and clear. He thought he was aware of every change in the thin, transparent vapor that floated idly in sheets. The brown or gray trunks of the trees showed each roughness of their surfaces. And the men of the regiment, with their starting eyes and sweating faces, running madly or falling, as if thrown headlong, to queer, heaped up corpses, all were comprehended. His mind took a mechanical but firm impression, so that afterward everything was pictured and explained to him, save why he himself was there.

But there was a frenzy made from his furious rush. The men, pitching forward insanely, had burst into cheerings, mob-like and barbaric, but tuned in strange keys that can arouse the dullard and the stoic. It made a mad enthusiasm that, it seemed, would be incapable of checking itself before granite and brass. There was the delirium that encounters despair and death, and is heedless and blind to the odds. It is a temporary but sublime absence of selfishness. And because it was of this order was the reason, perhaps, why the youth wondered, afterward, what reasons he could have had for being there.

Presently the straining pace ate up the energies of the men. As if by agreement the leaders began to slacken their speed. The volleys directed against them had had a seeming wind-like effect. The regiment snorted and blew. Among some stolid trees it began to falter and hesitate. The men, staring intently, began to wait for some of the distant walls of smoke to move and disclose to them the scene. Since much of their strength and their breath had vanished, they returned to caution. They were become men again.

The youth had a vague belief that he had run miles and he thought, in a way, that he was now in some new and unknown land.

The moment the regiment ceased its advance the protesting splutter of musketry became a steadied roar. Long and accurate fringes of smoke spread out. From the top of a small hill came level belchings of yellow flame that caused an inhuman whistling in the air.

The men, halted, had opportunity to see some of their comrades dropping with moans and shrieks. A few lay under foot, still or wailing. And now for an instant the men stood, their rifles slack in their hands, and watched the regiment dwindle. They appeared dazed and stupid. This spectacle seemed to paralyze them, to overcome them with a fatal fascination. They stared woodenly at the sights and, lowering their eyes, looked from face to face. It was a strange pause and a strange silence.

Then above the sounds of the outside commotion arose the roar of the lieutenant. He strode suddenly forth, his infantile features black with rage.

"Come on, yeh fools," he bellowed. "Come on. Yeh can't stay here. Yeh must come on." He said more, but much of it could not be understood.

He started rapidly forward with his head turned toward the men. "Come on," he was shouting. The men stared with blank and yokel-like eyes at him. He was obliged to halt and retrace his steps. He stood then with his back to the enemy and delivered gigantic curses into the faces of the men. His body vibrated from the weight and force of his imprecations. And he could string oaths with the facility of a maiden who strings beads.

The friend of the youth aroused. Lurching suddenly forward and dropping to his knees, he fired an angry shot at the persistent woods. This action awakened the men. They huddled no more like sheep. They seemed suddenly to bethink them of their weapons and at once commenced firing. Belabored by their officers they began to move forward. The regiment, involved like a cart in mud and muddle, started unevenly with many jolts and jerks. The men stopped now every few paces to fire and load, and in this manner moved slowly on from trees to trees.

The flaming opposition in their front grew with their advance until it seemed that all forward ways were barred by the thin leaping tongues and off to the right an ominous demonstration could sometimes be dimly discerned. The smoke, lately generated, was in confusing clouds that made it difficult for the regiment to proceed with intelligence. As he passed through each curling mass, the youth wondered what would confront him on the further side.

The command went painfully forward until an open space interposed between them and the lurid lines. Here, crouching and cowering behind some trees, the men clung with desperation as if threatened by a wave. They looked wild-eyed, and amazed at this furious disturbance they had stirred. In the storm, there was an ironical expression of their importance. The faces of the men, too, showed a lack of a certain feeling of responsibility for being there. It was as if they had been drinking. It was the dominant animal failing to remember in the supreme moments, the forceful causes of various superficial qualities. The whole affair seemed incomprehensible to many of them.

As they halted thus, the lieutenant again began to bellow profanely. Regardless of the vindictive threats of the bullets, he went about coaxing, berating and bedamning. His lips, that were habitually in a soft and child-like curve, now writhed into unholy contortions. He swore by all possible deities.

Once, he grabbed the youth by the arm. "Come on, yeh lunk-head," he roared. "Come on. We'll all git killed if we stay here. We've only got t' go across that lot. An' the —"

The remainder of his idea disappeared in a blue haze of curses.

The youth stretched forth his arm. "Cross there?" His mouth was puckered in doubt and awe.

"Cer'ly. Jest 'cross th' lot. We can't stay here," screamed the lieutenant. He poked his face close to the youth and waved his bandaged hand. "Come on." Presently he grappled with him as if for a wrestling bout. It was as if he planned to drag the youth by the ear on to the assault.

The private felt a sudden unspeakable indignation against his officer. He wrenched fiercely and shook him off.

"Come on yerself, then," he yelled. There was a bitter challenge in his voice.

They galloped together down the regimental front. The friend scrambled after them. In front of the colors the three men began to bawl: "Come on! Come on!" They danced and gyrated like tortured savages.

The flag, obedient to these appeals, bended its glittering form and swept toward them. The men wavered in indecision for a moment and then with a long, wailful cry, the dilapidated regiment surged forward and began its new journey.

Over the field went the scurrying mass. It was a handful of men splattered into the faces of the enemy. Toward it instantly sprang the yellow tongues. A vast quantity of the blue smoke hung before them. A mighty banging made ears valueless.

The youth ran like a madman to reach the woods before a bullet could discover him. He ducked his head low like a football player. In his haste his eyes almost closed and the scene was a wild blur. Pulsating saliva stood at the corners of his mouth.

Within him, as he hurled himself forward, was born a love, a despairing fondness for this flag which was near him. It was a creation of beauty and invulnerability. It was a goddess, radiant, that bended its form with an imperious gesture to him. It was a woman, red and white, hating and loving, that called him with the voice of his hopes. Because no harm could come to it, he endowed it with power. He kept near as if it could be a saver of lives, and an imploring cry went from his mind.

In the mad scramble he was aware that the color sergeant flinched suddenly as if struck by a blow. He faltered and then became motionless, save for his quivering knees.

Then he made a spring and a clutch at the pole. At the same instant his friend grabbed it from the other side.

WRENCHED THE FLAG FROM THE DEAD MAN.

They jerked at it, stout and furious, but the color sergeant was dead and the corpse would not relinquish its trust. For a moment there was a grim encounter. The dead man, swinging with bended back seemed to be obstinately tugging in ludicrous and awful ways for the possession of the flag.

It was past in an instant of time. They wrenched the flag furiously from the dead man, and as they turned again the corpse swayed forward with bowed head. One arm swung high and the curved hand fell with heavy protest on the friend's unheeding shoulder.

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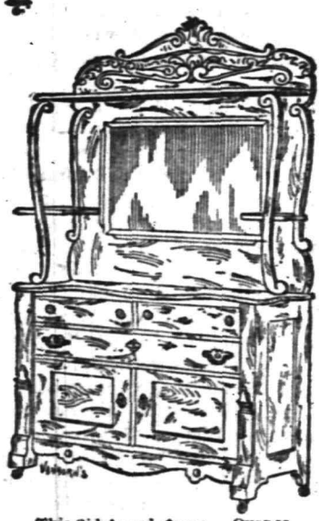

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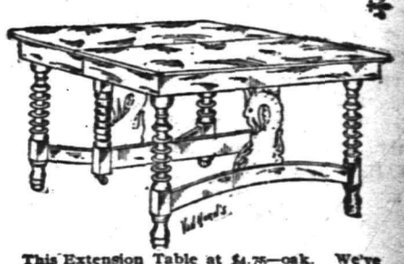

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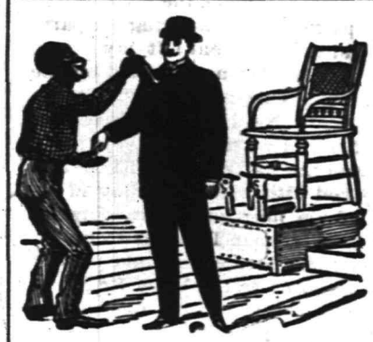

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 3 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night, Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10, am; 12 09, 1 15 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 25, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 2 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 9 11, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 8 30, 9 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43 5 14, 6 25, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 8 15, 9 09, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 55, 5 25, 6 06, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 30, 5 10, 6 35, 7 51, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 2 11, 3 51, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 6 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 24*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*. p. m. 1 17 night.

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WORK BEFORE PARLIAMENT.

Many Ports of the Empire To Be Strengthened---Other Measures.

London, Nov. 16.—The cabinet councils have decided upon opening business with the educational bill, followed by a military works bill, an elaborate measure dealing with the appointment of a masters' and workmen's concilation board. The military works measure was prepared for the last year, but was postponed owing to the exigencies of the parliamentary situation. Its proposals will attract the attention of the European governments concerned in the rapid progress of English armaments for both offensive and defensive purposes. The great military harbors in Britain are to have their armaments increased, and the works at Malta, Gibraltar, Hong Kong, Singapore and other stations are to be enlarged and strengthened. Conjoined with this military works bill is a scheme for aiding the colonial governments in the protection of their harbors. The government will ask the house to vote supply for a first part of this military works bill before the end of the current financial year.

FOR WORKING AGAINST BRYAN.

Nine Honorary Members of Omaha Jacksonian Club Dropped.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 16.—At a meeting of the Jacksonian club, the leading local democratic organization, held Saturday night, nine honorary members, including ex-Congressman McShane, were dropped from the membership list for open and active opposition to Bryan and Sewall, and for supporting the election of the republican presidential candidate. Formal charges were preferred against forty other members for conduct unbecoming members of the club for the same offense, which will be heard at the next meeting. The pictures of John G. Carlisle, J. Sterling Morton and George E. Prichett were removed from the walls of the club rooms.

Bryan Goes on a Hunting Trip.

St. Louis, Nov. 16.—W. J. Bryan arrived here this morning and will start this evening with a party for Tansy county, in southwest Missouri, where two weeks will be spent in hunting. Besides the ex-presidential candidate, the party will include Gov. Stone of Missouri, Senator Jones of Arkansas, Congressman Campau of Michigan, M. C. Wetmore of St. Louis and other Missourians.

The Famine in India.

London, Nov. 16.—The Earl of Elgin, viceroy of India, telegraphs to the home government that no rain has fallen in the famine stricken districts during the past week. The crops in the Punjab, the viceroy says, depend upon the winter rains. The prospects in the province of Behar are serious. Grain riots have broken out in Sholapore.

Leo XIII. Likes the Manitoba Compromise

Quebec, Nov. 16.—News has reached here from Rome that the pope has approved of the compromise recently made by the Dominion and Manitoban governments regarding the vexed question of Manitoba schools. The government officials' announcement of the terms of the compromise will be given out at Ottawa this week.

Fatal Fire at Syracuse.

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Fire yesterday afternoon that destroyed the Eureka Plaster company's works, the salt works of Michael R. Hayes, together with 4,500 barrels of salt, and a big barn, caused the death of Patrick Donally, an ex-employe of the plaster company, who was asleep in the barn at the time.

New Catholic Church Dedicated.

Rockville, Conn., Nov. 16.—The new Catholic church of the Sacred Heart at Vernon Depot was dedicated yesterday by Bishop Tierney for Hartford. Father McGuirk of Hartford delivered the dedication sermon. Many Catholic clergymen were present.

W. C. T. U. at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Nov. 16.—The pulpits of sixty-eight churches in this city were occupied yesterday by delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention. In some of them both morning and evening services were conducted by the ladies.

Thanksgiving in Berlin.

Berlin, Nov. 16.—A committee of American residents in Berlin, with Ambassador Uhl as chairman, have decided to celebrate Thanksgiving day by a banquet at the Kaiserhof hotel.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Market irregular and weak. Dec., 88c.; May, 88¼c.

Corn—Trade irregular and dull. Dec., 30½c.; May, 34½c.

Oats—Market is dull and weak. Dec., 23⅝c.; May, 25⅝c.

Pork—Spot firm; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Spot still firm; fair trade. Steam rendered, $4.35.

Eggs—Market steady; light receipts. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26c.; ice house, 16½@17c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 15@16.

Butter—Market quiet; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 19½c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

OUR COAST DEFENSES

The Work of Strengthening Them Pushed Rapidly Forward.

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY AT NAVY YARDS

No Trouble Is Anticipated, Officials Declare, But That the Old Maxim "In Time of Peace Prepare for War" Is Being Followed.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Many statements respecting the attitude of the administration on the Cuban question have been circulated during the past week, and various articles of a conflicting character have been distributed throughout the country. The facts warrant the statement that should an emergency arise requiring prompt and decisive action the several departments of the government will be found alive to the requirements of the occasion and amply provide for any emergency which may be encountered. Measures of a precautionary character have been taken to meet any critical condition which may arise. In other words, the United States is judiciously continuing the work of strengthening its fortifications and works of defense, which have been in progress for several years, and will thereby be prepared to change its policy should it be deemed advisable to do so. Investigation proves that army officers along the Atlantic coast are pushing the work in their several depatments with all possible despatch under orders to have certain classes of heavy ordnance ready for use at as early a day as possible. Every precaution for secrecy has been taken, and officers located at the navy yards decline to discuss their unusual activity, while Secretary Lamont says that he is trying to make some return in finished works of defense for the great expenditures which have been made in that direction. There is no doubt that the maxim: "In time of peace prepare for war," has been passed along the line. No well-informed official anticipates trouble, but, as one of them said this morning, "It is like a fire drill on board ship. We want to know that everybody would be ready if a fire should break out."

WEYLER'S CAMPAIGN.

Reported in Havana That Maceo No Longer Faces the Spanish Forces.

Havana, Nov. 16.—Advices reached here last night to the effect that after the encounter with the insurgents in the Rubi hills Gen. Weyler continued to advance into the hills, moving in the direction of Soroa. A scattering fire was kept up against the Spaniards by rebels hidden in the hills, and the troops lost one killed and three wounded. It is stated that Maceo no longer faces the Spanish forces. The rebels have again attacked the town of Condado, near Trinidad, and again used artillery in their attempt to capture the place. The garrison repulsed the insurgents, killing some of the rebel artillerymen. Later a force of local guerrillas started in pursuit of the insurgents.

SPANIARDS SUFFERED DEFEAT.

Story of Severe Loss to Rebels at Novaleta, Philippine Islands, Now Denied.

Madrid, Nov. 16.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Hong Kong states that the report from Manila that the Spaniards had won a brilliant victory over the insurgents at Novaleta, the latter losing 400 killed, was incorrect. The truth is that the Spaniards attacked the rebel positions at Novaleta on November 8, but could not carry them, the rebels being strongly fortified. Another attack was made on November 11, when the Spaniards were repulsed with a loss of 200 men.

Minister Taylor's Views.

London, Nov. 16.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Central News says that Hannis Taylor, United States minister to Spain, has given public assurance that the relations between Spain and the United States are friendly for the present, and that there is no reason to fear a conflict between the two countries. Mr. Taylor expresses his belief that President Cleveland will not alter his attitude of scrupulous avoidance of difficulties.

More Troops for Cuba.

Glasgow, Nov. 16.—The steamer Alaska, belonging to the Guion line, but with a Spanish crew, has left the Clyde for a Spanish port, where she will embark a number of troops for Cuba. She is under charter to the Spanish government.

X-Rays Effect in a Photograph.

Portsmouth, O., Nov. 16.—The remarkable result of a flashlight photograph taken at the office of Attorney W. B. Grice in this city is attracting considerable attention among photographers and the general public. In the picture Mr. Grice is sitting on a chair, and through him is distinctly seen the back and rounds of the chair with a newspaper that was on the chair's back. The outline of a safe is also shown through his body.

Woolen Mills Start Up.

Rockville, Conn., Nov. 16.—The mills of the Central Woolen company and the Riverside Woolen mills at Stafford Springs began running full time this morning. These mills have been closed some months. The Warren Woolen Mill company is also about starting new machinery.

Want Ladies To Remove Their Hats.

New York, Nov. 16.—The management of the Metropolitan Opera house have placed up notices asking that during the coming season of grand opera ladies occupying seats in the orchestra remove their hats during the performance.

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ROBBIE MORGAN FOUND.

The Missing Lad Was Working in a New York Express Office.

Robbie Morgan is home again under the protecting care of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morgan. But Robbie did not come home because he wanted to, but because his father made him. He was found working in an express office on Twenty-eighth street, in New York, which was next to the nearest thing in the railroad line, which was Robbie's pet fancy.

In the endeavor to find the whereabouts of the young lad, Chief Grant went to New York and made enquiries in the police circles, and a detective was detailed on the matter. Finally, the officer got trace of a boy who resembled Robbie's description and notified Mr. Morgan, who went to New York Saturday and found his missing son.

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Officiated a Brilliant Wedding.

A very large and brilliant wedding was celebrated in New York city last night when Miss Rosetta Keppler, of Eighth street, was united in marriage to John Vogt also of New York, by Rev. Mr. Hauser, pastor of the German Reformed church of North Plainfield. The groom is a brother of Mrs. Case, of Church street, this city. There were about 250 guests present and the large number present and the large number of gifts were elegant and costly.

Died at the Hospital.

The death of Mrs. Charles A. Lindmark, of 211 Manson place, occurred yesterday after a two weeks illness from enteric fever. The best medical aid was secured, but her condition rapidly grew worse until the end. Mrs. Lindmark was well known in the West End and enjoyed a large circle of friends who will miss her exceedingly.

Heavenly Rest Entertainment.

An entertainment, consisting of tableaux and fancy drills, will be given in the parish house of the Church of the heavenly Rest, next Tuesday evening, under the direction of Mrs. Buckley and Miss Etta Raybert.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W Randolph, 143 East Front st.

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ECCENTRIC MAN DEAD

ONCE RICH AND INFLUENTIAL, DIED POOR AND A MENTAL WRECK.

Jeptha Wagoner Succumbs to Injuries Received from Falling Off a Roof—Some of His Many Visionary and Erratic Ideas

If there was a man in this section of the country who enjoyed the distinction of being more eccentric and visionary than any other, that man was Jeptha Wagoner, of Warren township, and his death, which occurred at his home on Saturday, brings to mind many of his peculiar acts which made him a noted person in this locality.

About two weeks ago Mr. Wagoner fell from the roof of his house while making repairs, and sustained injuries from which he could not recover. He was about 80 years old and died in a most pitiable and impoverished condition. Years ago he was a wealthy man and was at the head of the Wagoner Fertilizing Company, of Syracuse, which concern is now owned by Mr. Wagoner's sons. While in his prime Mr. Wagoner was considered a sharp and shrewd business man. He secured many patents of more or less note, but the old story, the patentee getting left, was true in his case. His latter years were spent on his farm and the many reverses in his life left his mind in a weakened state. It will be remembered that a few years ago he was put off of a train on the D. L. & W. Railroad, and he sought redress by suing the company for $1,000,000. He did not realize anything from the suit. On another occasion he sought ex-Judge W. A. Coddington's law office and attempted to give the latter a horsewhipping, for some act which he held was an injury to him. Among his many peculiar ideas was one to erect a large hotel at Washington Rock and name the rooms after the various States in the Union. In connection with this he planned to erect an electric light of such large proportions that it would illuminate Plainfield so that a newspaper could be read in any part of the city. He submitted his plans to the Government but they failed to see the advantage in such a work. These set-backs all worked on his mind and caused him much trouble. He leaves a wife and four children. His wife is about 35 years old and the children Martha, Mary, Elsie and David are all under fifteen years of age. The funeral services were held today from his late home.

A Serious Fall.

Mrs. Thomas S. Harris, of Philadelphia, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. George F. Meschutt, of East Front street, met with a serious accident yesterday morning. She was coming down stairs when she tripped and fell spraining her shoulder and ankle. Dr. Zeglio was summoned and looked after the injured woman.

Stone Work Finished.

The stone work of the large dam for the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company is completed by the contractor, W. H. Smith, and about one-half of the earth work finished. The dam will not be completed until next spring, as the company state that they do not intend to use it this winter.

For Home Missions.

Sunday morning, November 8th, Rev. Dr. Richards, the pastor of the Crescent Avenue church, asked his congregation for $1,500 for Home Missions. Yesterday he announced that the collection amounted to $1,575, $75 more than was asked for.

—T. S. Armstrong, the druggist, has just received the most complete hot water apparatus for making hot soda in the city. It is one of Lowe's art tile heaters and works automatic so that the water is always of a given temperature. It is very handsome in appearance, and with it Mr. Armstrong hopes to serve his customers with the finest hot soda that can be found anywhere.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., meets tonight.

—Rev. M. E. Dwight preached at the Congregational church yesterday morning.

—The Woman's Sewing Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Soaring, on Westervelt avenue tomorrow afternoon.

—Meetings are going on at the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church and they seem to be very impressive. Rev. Mr. Groves is expected to preach tonight.

—There will be Danish service this evening at St. Peter's German Lutheran church on Grove street, at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock as usual. Rev. Mr. Mongers, of Philadelphia, will preach.

—Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., announced in the Crescent Avenue Church yesterday morning that the home missionary collection, taken the week before, amounted to $1,583.

—One of the most interesting and profitable meetings ever held at the W. C. T. U. rooms, was witnessed yesterday afternoon. It was conducted by the Rev. Mr Johnson, of the Grace M. E. church. Subject. "What Can We Do."

—At the Y. M. C. A. meeting yesterday the music was furnished by the choir of the First Baptist church, under the leadership of Chas. W. McCutchen. Wm. D. Murray gave an interesting and helpful address on Bible study.

—If you are thinking of purchasing a home you should consult J. F. McIntyre, of 171 North avenue, opposite the station, He advertises a few of the bargains he has in today's Press. He has others besides those enumerated, and is determined to sell some of his property at a great sacrifice.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders met at Somerville on Saturday and received bids for macadamizing Mountain avenue in the borough. There was a large number of bids and A. I. & N. B Smalley received the contract. Their bid was $26 lower than the lowest bid. The work will be started soon.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Bowers, of New York, spent Sunday with Plainfield friends.

Miss Janney, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of B. J. Shreve, of Grove street.

Raymond McGee returned from Yale College to spend Sunday, at his home on Orchard place.

C. E. Benedict, of Summit avenue, left yesterday for Texas on a business trip of about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hargrave, of Coddington avenue, are rejoicing over the arrival of an heir.

Fred Morse, of Brooklyn, was the guest of R. F. R. Huntsman, of Westervelt avenue, yesterday.

W. F. Maltby, of New York, the world-famed bicycle trick rider, spent Sunday with friends in Plainfield.

L. S. Bond, of Elm place, sang very acceptably yesterday in the choir of St. Luke's Episcopal church, Brooklyn.

L. S Bond, of Elm place, has resigned his position with Brodstreet's Mercantile Agency, and accepted a more lucrative one with the Jeweler's Mercantile Agency, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wenzel, of Flemington, spent Sunday with the family of Frederick Wenzel, of Clinton avenue. This morning they left for a short visit with friends in New York.

N. E. Greenridge, of East Fifth street, left Saturday afternoon for his home in the West Indies. He says that there is going to be another rebellion there. He has been employed at the Scott Press Works.

Monte McGrath, of New Brunswick, spent yesterday with friends in town.

Miss Elizabeth Gill, of Meadville, Pa., is visiting the Misses Martine, at Cedar Brook

George Jarvis Coe and the Misses Coe have leased the house of Mr. George Goddard are Third place.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Howe Hall gave a quiet family dinner last week to celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

J. A. Smith, Dr. J. H. Cooley, and H. N. Spencer have returned from their ten days hunting trip down in Virginia. They were after ducks and wild turkey and had first-class luck. They did not find it necessary to charter an extra train, however.

Masters Bertie and Willie Vail have left with the Kennedy Players as special singers for the remainder of the season.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

An Important Office.

To properly fill its office and functions, it is important that the blood be pure. When it is in such a condition, the body is almost certain to be healthy. A complaint at this time is catarrh in some of its various forms. A slight cold develops the disease in the head. Droppings of corruption passing into the lungs bring on consumption. The only way to cure this disease is to purify the blood. The most obstinate cases of catarrh yield to the medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla as if by magic, simply because it reaches the seat of the disease, and by purifying and vitalizing the blood, removes the cause. Not only does Hood's Sarsaparilla do this but it gives renewed vigor to the whole system, making it possible for good health to reign supreme.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation will meet in the Council Chamber on

The Fourth Tuesday in November,

the 24th instant, and sit from 2 o'clock, p. m., until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

E. C. MULFORD,
AUG. SALTZMAN,
J. B. COWARD,
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Dated Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 14, 1890—11 14 10

A BIG LACE SALE!

We have just made one of the LARGEST LACE PURCHASES we have ever made direct from a large importing house which gave us "cut" prices for this SPECIAL SALE for the purpose of making a SENSATION in our Lace Department. You never heard of such RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES before.

The newest in Butter Color Oriental in fine lace net-top, beautiful designs, 4-inches wide, at 10c, 12c, 13c and 15c.

Extra fine and handsome Butter Color Orientals, new patterns, 6 1-2 and 7 inches wide, only 15c. And in 7 1-2 inches wide, only 25c. And in 10 inches wide, only 29c.

EXQUISITE APPLIQUE LACES.

6 1-2 inches wide at only 15c. All Linen Torchon Laces, hand-made, new designs, from 8c. and up. An elegant assortment of Black Chentelle Laces, newest things out, 3 1-2 inches wide, all silk, 15, 18 and 24c.

Black Chentelle Lace Edgings, all silk, 10c and 15c a yd. The low prices will surprise you. Beautiful Dentelle Mousseline Butter Color Laces, 4 inches wide, at only 10c. 6 inch wide at only 12c.

Fine Point Lierre Butter Color Laces, 7 inches wide, only 35c. 8 1-2 inches wide only 45c.

A large variety new Butter Color Valencienne Lace Edgings from 3c to 14c a yard.

The Very Latest in Veilings.

Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, all silk, 14 inches wide, only 8c. Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, 18 inches wide, all silk, at only 20, 25 and 28c. Black Maline Veiling, all silk, 27 inches wide, 20, 25 and 30c yard. White Chiffon Veiling, black dot, 18 inches wide at 35c.

In connection with this BIG SALE of Laces, we are showing our new Fall and Winter purchases of elegant Hamburgh Embroideries, nicer and cheaper than anything we have ever shown before. Also a new line of ALL SILK Cheap Ribbons in all colors, from Nos. 5 to 22, at only 6c to 17c. A special JOB of black and colored Ribbons, in Satin and gros grain and double faced satin, and Moire gros grain, figured and plaids, Nos. 16 to 60. All to go at only 25c.

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PARKS WIN AT BOWLING

DEFEATED THE CRACK E. A. C. TEAM BY BIG SCORES.

Some Phenomenal Scores Were Chalked up in the Second Game by the Parks—The Features of the Game.

Excellent bowling won two more victories for the Park Club in the Journal League last evening. Their opponents were the strong team from the Elizabeth Athletic Club and they came to Plainfield with the intention of winning at least one and probably both of the games, but intentions don't always count. Good bowling in the first game and phenomenal bowling in the second gave the Parks both victories.

It was the first of the match games to be rolled on the Park Club alleys and quite a number of spectators were out to see the games. A counter attraction upstairs in the shape of "compass whist" kept many away until the end.

The Parks took the lead at the start in the first game and led by two pins in the first frame. That was speedily increased to 33 in the second and from that time on, the Elizabeth boys could not get any where near them. Van Buren started in at a lively pace and rolled 107 in his first five frames but he tumbled ere the close of the game and Matthews, who was acting as captain in the absence of Worth, capturned the high score, 187. Karr, of the E. A. C.'s, seemed to have unusually poor luck, for he had three splits in succession. That rather disheartened him and his score was low. The first game went to the Parks by forty-three pins.

The knowing ones prophesized that the Elizabeth team would learn the tricks of the alleys in time to come in strong on the second game. In the first frame, they obtained a lead of 17 pins and the faces of the Plainfielders grew several inches longer. Chamberlain started out with three strikes in succession but his club mates did not do so well. Then VanBuren waked up and tumbled over the pins at a lively rate. At the fourth frame, Matthews smiled one of his famous smiles, for the Parks had taken the lead by thirty-nine pins. 127 was Van Buren's score at the end of five frames and then he had a split. Every body began to wake up and the Elizabeth bowlers began to fight desperately for the lead. They reduced the Park's lead slightly but the Park Club men were on their mettle and strikes and spares were chalked up for them in great numbers.

Ball was rolling a steady game, not making a single break, while Taylor was a trifle wild. It was a vain struggle on the part of the E. A. C. team, for VanBuren had his eye on the head pin and the rest did their share in increasing the lead. Their fear of the Elizabeth team had worn off, while the latter were beginning to lose their heads. Chamberlain rolled a good game to the last, however, not making a break. Ninety-seven pins were made by the Parks in their ninth frame, and ninety-nine on the windup, which was a lively one, VanBuren and Matthews each making two strikes in the last frame.

The victors had increased there lead to 88 pins and made the remarkable score of 912, one of the highest that has ever been rolled by a team in a a match game in this vicinity. Of the team that made this great record, Taylor and Ball never rolled in a match game before last Thursday. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

PARK CLUB.	St.	Sp.	Sc.	E. A. C.	St.	Sp.	Sc.
VanBuren	4	3	171	Ogden	3	3	159
Taylor	2	7	181	VanDerv'er.	3	4	162
Matthews	4	5	187	Chamberl'n.	2	4	151
Ball	0	5	121	Karr	1	4	135
Sandford	1	4	132	Morrell	4	2	152
	11	24	802		13	17	759

Parks	66	143	239	326	412	437	567	649	733	802
E. A. C.	64	109	203	279	354	437	521	587	665	759

SECOND GAME.

PARK CLUB.	St.	Sp.	Sc.	E. A. C.	St.	Sp.	Sc.
VanBuren	8	2	236	Ogden	2	6	172
Taylor	0	5	131	VanDerv'er.	1	5	140
Matthews	5	3	179	Chamberl'n.	6	4	218
Ball	2	8	190	Karr	1	6	151
Sandford	1	7	176	Morrell	3	2	143
	16	25	912		13	23	824

Parks	81	176	279	375	450	538	638	710	813	912
E. A. C.	98	191	283	336	412	504	581	669	740	824

Largely Attended Bible Class.

The Bible class conducted by Rev. D. M. Stearns, last evening, was more largely attended than any previous session, about two hundred and fifty being present. Sunday-school teachers and all others interested in Bible study should not fail to avail themselves of the opportunity to sit under this remarkably gifted teacher.

A New Brunswick Marriage.

Miss Mary Agatha McFadden and William James FitzGerald, of New Brunswick, were married last evening in St. Peters church, New Brunswick. Both are well known in this city and a number from here attended the wedding.

The Crescent Wheelmen will hold their monthly meeting tomorrow evening at the clubhouse.

STATE CHARITIES' AID.

MR. PATTERSON, ELIZABETH, ELECTED SECRETARY FOR UNION COMPANY.

Rev. Mr. Lamb Explained the Work of the Children's Home Society With a View of Establishing a Branch Here.

A special meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities' Aid Association was held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church, with President, H. B. Newhall in the chair. H. P. Reynolds served as secretary pro tem. The meeting was called for the purpose of selecting a secretary in the place of Rev. Hobart Clark, who has moved out of the State.

Mr. Hobart's resignation was received with regret and the meeting proceeded to the election of a secretary. As no one present could accept the office, William R. Paterson, of Elizabeth, was chosen and Mr. Newhall was authorized to inform Mr. Patterson and secure his acceptance.

The routine business of no special importance having been disposed of Mr. Newhall made a verbal report of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the State Charities' Aid Association, which was held in Jersey City last week. He referred to the progress of the new reformatory now in course of construction at Rahway and stated that one wing was nearly completed. It was greatly wished, Mr. Newhall said, that the association should be well represented at the laying of the corner stone which will occur tomorrow afternoon beginning at two o'clock. He referred to the interesting reports on jails and alms houses throughout the State and said that the average condition was greatly improved through the efforts of the association. In this connection allusion was made to the fact that there are over 650 children in the alms houses in New Jersey, which condition calls loudly for remedy. In reference to this, Mr. Newhall, said that it was proper that Rev. M. T. Lamb, general superintendent of the Children's Home Society, who was present should be introduced. Mr. Lamb, explained the methods and objects of the Society. He said that the objects was to place homeless and orphan children in good christian homes in this state and the methods were that three officers, whose salaries together with incidental expenses amount to $4,000 annually, seek to organize local branches in every township in New Jersey. Thus far 180 such branches have been organized and there are yet 230 townships to be visited. Money for the support of the society is raised by private subscriptions, churches and societies. Last year the society provided good homes for seventy children. The average cost for each child is about $60, which is the only cost.

A discussion of the subject by those present developed the feeling that the children's Home in this city is prepared to do all the work in this city that is likely to come up, and it was evident that many present feared that Mr. Lamb's project would in a measure conflict with the already established work in Plainfield. The meeting adjourned without specific action regarding the Children's Home Society. Rev. Walter L. Mayo, assistant superintendent of the society, accompanied Mr. Lamb.

PROGRESSIVE WOMEN.

Monday Afternoon Club Hold a Profitable Session.

The regular meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club was held yesterday afternoon and there was a large attendance. The subject under discussion was "Religious Sects," and it proved to be of considerable interest. Miss Edith Leonard read a paper entitled "The Religious Influence of the Huguenots, Jesuits, Jansenists and Quietists." The paper was an exceedingly able one and was prepared by Mrs. John Leal. The discussion of the subject was most general and one-half of the members present had some note of interest bearing on the subject.

The paper on "Current Events" was prepared and read by Mrs. Wm. Stillman, and was very complete.

The fact that Mrs. Julia Ward Howe was present at the meeting gave an additional interest. Mrs. Howe has for years been a club woman, and her general remarks yesterday were very helpful to the members of the club.

The general discussion of the topics yesterday gave evidence that the members had made a complete and almost exhaustive research of them and were fully prepared to talk intelligently regarding the various religious sects of the world.

—The case of Griffin against Smith, on contract, was tried before Justice Huff, at Dunellen, yesterday, and judgment rendered for the plaintiff for $10 and costs.

JOE COONEY RESIGNED.

THE PATROLMAN DID NOT CARE TO STAND TRIAL.

His Resignation Accepted With the Understanding That the Pending Charges May be Withdrawn by Chief Grant.

The lobby of the City Council rooms was thronged last evening with a thoroughly disappointed crowd of people who expected that Patrolman Joseph Cooney would come before the Council for a public examination of the charges recently preferred against him. The matter was quietly dropped, however, when the officer tendered his resignation as Patrolman, the same to take effect December 1st, 1896. Accompanying the resignation was a communication from Chief Grant in which he stated that Patrolman Cooney had asked that the charges against him be withdrawn.

Mr. Barrows made a motion that Chief Grant be allowed to withdraw the charges againt Patrolman Cooney, and that the latter's resignation be accepted. The motion was adopted, all the members voting in the affirmative.

Councilman Fisk was made president pro tem in the absence of President See, and he greatly surprised the Council by offering a communication which proved to be the resignation of Mr. See as president of that honorable body, which was tendered owing to the fact that he had moved to Jersey City.

Mr. Fisk stated that he had served with Mr. See for three years and he found him to be a most genial and efficient president. He stated further that his rulings had been just and not in one instance had their been any objections. Mr. Fisk voiced the sentiments of many when he said that the city had lost a good citizen and Councilman.

Mr. Barrows moved that the resignation be accepted and that Mr. Fisk appoint a committee of three to draught suitable resolutions regarding it.

Mr. Fisk appointed Messrs. Barrows, Ginna and Moore to draught the resolutions.

Mr. Fisk then stated that it would be necessary to elect a new president, and Mr. Barrows moved that Mr. Ginna be selected. By a unanimous vote Mr. Ginna was chosen and after being escorted to the chair by Messrs. Barrows and Tolles, he thanked the Council for the honor conferred and regretted that such action was necessary. Messrs. Westphal and Stebbins acted as tellers when the vote for president was taken.

Mr. Frost said that Contractor John Siddall had asked that his bond be released, as he had completed his work in this city, and the City Clerk was authorized to write to the American Surety Company, of New York, and notify them to release the bond.

There being no further business the Council adjourned.

MUST SERVE HER SENTENCE.

Judge McCormick Refuses to Let Edith Behr Out of Jail.

Abner Kalisch yesterday morning made application to Judge McCormick in Elizabeth to reconsider the sentence of three months in jail imposed by him on Edith Behr last Saturday, and fine her instead. Judge McCormick denied the application, and told the lawyer that his duty in the matter was ended. Mr. Kalisch said that he would petition the Governor and the Court of Pardons, as he thought the sentence was too severe, as he believed the girl to be of unsound mind, the result of being thrown from a load of vegetables upon which she sat when a trolley car struck the wagon in September, 1895. Miss Behr was convicted on an indictment for assault and battery on William Bloy at Lyons Farms, the assault being made while Bloy was attempting to impound cattle belonging to her father. Miss Behr is frantic with grief over the sentence and paces the corridor of the jail wringing her hands and pulling her hair.

At the Plainfield High School.

There were three recitations at the morning exercises yesterday by Miss Mabelle B. Smith, '98, Miss Edith Clark, '98, and Henry W. Brower, '98.

Captain George Proctor Smith, of the High School cadets, called a special drill for yesterday afternoon.

Miss S. Lena Bass, teacher of the fourth class, is absent on account of the death of her father. Mrs. Knowlton is filling her place.

Entertainment at the Saengerbund.

To-morrow and Thursday evenings an amateur entertainment is to be given in Saenger and Turner Hall on Somerset street by local talent. A fire brigade will be one of the features that will probably interest the firemen in this vicinity. The proceeds will be devoted to the church fund.

THEY CHASED HUNTERS.

ALLEGED THAT THE LATTER ASSAULTED MRS. BARTLE WORMSER.

A Rabbit Took Refuge Under a Pile of Stones in Wormser's Yard and the Hunters Refused to Leave When Told.

Four hunters with a pack of hounds roamed over the fields near Union Village, yesterday, in quest of game. Along towards dusk they started a rabbit on the farm of Bartle Wormser. The "Cottontail" was an elusive little animal and got out of the reach of the dogs and guns by running across the fields and takep refuge under a stone fence in front of Wormser's house. The hunters hastened to the spot where the rabbit had disappeared and commenced to lift away the stones in the hope of capturing the game. They left their guns standing some distance away while they prosecuted the work.

The attention of Mrs. Wormser was attracted to the action of the strangers and she went out and demanded that they stop tearing the pile of stones down and get off the premises. The hunters, it is said, replied in an insolent tone and did not obey the command. This angered Mrs. Wormser and, on the impulse of the moment, she grabbed one of the guns and started for the house. They made a rush and wrenched the gun from her possession, and, she alleges, choked her. She screamed with all her might and attracted the attention of her husband, who was working in a field some distance from the house. He started on a run for the house and the strangers made off.

The screams of Mrs. Wormser had aroused several of the neighbors and a party immediately started to follow the men. The pursuit was continued through wood and field for quite a distance and the assailants were finally captured. Two of the men gave their names as Joe and Ed Thoms, living at Murray Hill, and the other two were New Yorkers who would not divulge their identity. There were a good many threats made by the posse of farmers, but temperate advice finally prevailed and the hunters were permitted to go, as there was no one who could make an arrest.

It is the intention of Wormser to have the Thoms boys arrested for trespassing and assaulting his wife. A valuable hunting dog, which was with the hunting party, was retained by Wormser.

MUSIC AND RECITATION.

Clever Entertainment to be Given at the Evons Church.

An excellent entertainment will be given tomorrow evening in the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest by the young people of the church. The affair is in charge of Mrs. Buckley and Miss Etta Raybert, who have been working hard to make it a success.

Following is the programme: Overture, Mrs. Lewis, piano; Mrs. Buckley, violin; Miss Korle, cornet; vocal solo, "Dream Faces," Harry Yaeger; trio, "Spanish Melodies," Mrs. Buckley, Miss Ethel McCullough, Miss Emma McCullough; vocal solo, "Happy Days," Miss Etta Raybert, with violin obligato, Mrs. Buckley; recitation, Mrs. Lines; trio, "Broadway Two-Step," Mrs. Lewis, piano; Mrs. Buckley, violin; Miss Korle, cornet; Spanish Drill, Miss Etta Raybert, Miss Kate Graves, Miss Mamie Hendri, Mrs. Grant, Miss Libby Dennick, Miss Etta Yaeger, Mrs. Lines, Miss Emma McCullough, Miss Ethel McCullough.

The proceeds will be devoted to work in the church.

No School in the Borough Next Week.

The Teachers' Institute of Somerset County, will meet at Somerville next week on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. As the Thanksgiving vacation lasts the rest of the week, there will be no school in the North Plainfield public school next week.

Appointed Guardian.

Albert G. Thorn has been appointed guardian of Mrs. Annie P. Thorn, his mother, by Judge McCormick, of the Orphans' Court, at Elizabeth. Application was made by Lawyer H. C. Suydam, as she was deemed not capable of taking care of herself.

Krewson Cleared of the Charge.

Joseph Krewson was discharged in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday afternoon on the charge of stealsng a harness from Tunis J. Carey. It was proven that the harness belonged to Krewson.

For Tomorrow.

White, of Plainfield, will put on sale tomorrow fifty long coats for children, just the thing for school wear. Have been $5 and $6. Now, $2.98.

Reception to Rev. Mr. Appleton.

Cards are out for a reception to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshank to introduce Rev. Floyd Appleton to the members of Grace church parish.

JUDGES CANNOT AGREE

CHANCELLOR'S DECISION IN WESTFIELD CHURCH CASE REVERSED.

A Church May Run in Debt, But the Land Cannot be Taken to Pay the Debt if Deed Says it is Not to be Encumbered

William Davison took an assignment of back salary due the Rev. J. B. Jennings and on it obtained judgement against Grace Church, Westfield. The church property had been mortgaged and the mortgage was under foreclosure after obtaining his judgement. Davison petitioned to have the surplus over the mortgage ordered applied to pay his judgment. Alfred Mills, a Morristown lawyer, filed a cross bill settling forth that he and Mrs. Mills had donated the land to the church and the deed provided that the land should not be sold or encumbered (except by the mortgage in question) or used for any purpose except religious worship. Craig A Marsh answered this by the contention that the condition against selling or encumbering was against public policy and void, or if it is good, there was no breach in this case because it was not the act of the church but the act of the law.

Chancellor McGill said this view was correct, and so say also Justices Magie, Garrison, Dixon, Hendrickson and Nixon in the court of last resort, but the other eight judges of that court yesterday voted to reverse the chancellor on the ground that the deed created a trust for a public charity and the surplus money must be applied to the religious purposes specified in the deed and not to pay the debts of the church.

Davison still holds the judgment against the church and Mr. Jennings still holds the church. Future proceedings will be watched with increasing interest by the public of Westfield.

BURGLARS AT WORK.

They Visit G. H. Strong's Partially Completed House and Steal Tools.

Local builders are feeling a trifle anxious as a result of a robbery that was committed last evening in the half-finished house on Central avenue which is being built for George H. Strong, of East Seventh street. Somebody entered the building during the night, forced open the carpenters' tool boxes and helped themselves to a varied assortment of saws, hammers, chisels, planes, etc. The visitation was discovered this morning and the police were immediately notified. There appears to be no clue to the thief.

The articles stolen were thirteen saws, four hammers, one level, sixteen chisels, seven planes, one try square, two braches and five bits. Some were stamped F. D. W. The tools were the property of Alfred Anderson, J. C. Miline, Mr. Apgar, Richard Mattis, Vincent Keldine, Fred Welch, Joseph Hourne and William Kirch. The thieves left a Jersey City Evening Journal, of November 14 and three brass keys similar to the kind used in the tool box. They would not fit, however, and the lock was smashed.

C. Sherwood West Performs a Brave Deed.

A destructive fire was narrowly averted in an Elizabeth residence Sunday night through the quickness of C. Sherwood West, of Central avenue. The window shade caught fire from a lamp and the next moment was all ablaze. Mr. West was in the room and realized the necessity of immediate action. He seized the burning shade and carried it to another window and threw it out. His hands and wrists were badly burned while the flames singed his hair and eyebrows. He will not be able to attend to his business duties for several days on account of the injuries he received but he has the consolation of knowing that his brave act probably prevented a dangerous conflagration.

Just Provide Room Enough.

A member of the Board of Education in speaking to a Daily Press representative about the Lincoln public school building now in course of erection, said that the school would just about provide for the present overflow, while it did not aim to take care of any future increase in the number of school children.

Live Dolls to Entertain.

A "live doll" musical entertainment will be given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church on Friday night under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society. The admission will be twenty-five cents and refreshments will be served after the entertainment.

School Teachers to Meet.

The Union County Teacher's Convention will meet at Elizabeth on Friday and Saturday. The Plainfield public schools will close Friday to allow the teachers to attend.

IT'S FORBIDDEN GROUND

JERSEY'S BEST GAME DISTRICT NOW PROHIBITED LAND.

Farmers Couldn't Stand Slaughter of Chickens, Horses, Etc., and Trespass Notices Now Cover 10 Square Miles.

There is no better hunting grounds for miles around than the fields and wooded lands along the base of the Watchung mountains and in the Washington Valley that lies between the first and second ridges. In the hills are to be found the cottontail, in great number, the partridge is plentiful and sometimes a few quail. Part of the land has been stocked with the German hare.

Every year when the hunting season opens, a horde of hunters, large and small, from New York and vicinity, swoop down on the fields of North Plainfield and Warren townships and tramp over the rich farming lands with their packs of dogs and either kill or drive away all the game. Then when the farmer and his friends want to spend a day in the field with their shot guns, they return at night empty handed.

The farmer's are now aroused. They are tired of seeing scores of men rush on to their farms and capture all the game, but the last blow that finally drove them to united action was the slaughter of their poultry and other barnyard livestock by the armed invaders, since the season opened. Jerrold Underhill, of Washingtonville, had a number of his chickens shot by unknown maranders last week, while some wandering so-called hunter emptied the contents of his shot gun into a horse belonging to Captain Parker, of Stony Hill, so that is was necessary to kill the animal to end his agony. Several others also lost property in the same way.

Newton H. Spencer, of North Plainfield, and H. W. Rogers, of Washingtonville, were the first to propose an organized opposition to this distructive invasion. Twenty five of their neighbors joined the movement and a farmers' protective society was formed several days ago. The land owned by the members of it includes almost all of North Plainfield township. It starts at Greenbrook road and takes in Washingtonville, Mt. Bethel, Union Village and Scotch Plains, making in all a section of about ten square miles of the best hunting grounds of the state.

All through this section, now forbidden ground to the wandering hunter, have been posted large notices stating that anyone shooting on the property will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law and signed by all the members of the protective association.

Many of the gunning contingent of this city has been accostumed to roam at will in this paradise for sportsmen and bring home their hunting bags filled with game but they can do so no more unless they happen to be well acquainted with one of the association.

Scores of hunters have started within the last few days to visit their old hunting grounds only to find the significent signs on every side. Parties have come out from New York and left very indignant at the farmers for thus spoiling their sport.

HURT IN AN ELEVATOR FALL.

A Plainfield Man Miraculously Escapes Death in New York.

An elevator car with thirteen passengers on board fell (officers of the company which built the elevator say "ran away") from the ninth story to the basement of the American Tract Society building, at Nassau and Spruce streets, shortly after 1 o'clock p. m. yesterday. Fortunately, no one was killed, but three persons were seriously injured, among whom was L. E. Leland, of this city, a compositor in the employ of the Evening Post in New York. His leg was crushed and his body bruised.

The Primary Teachers.

Miss Lambert, of Westfield, conducted the devotional exercises at the meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union held yesterday afternoon, and Mrs. Hurst taught the lesson. The topic "Thanksgiving," was discussed by Mrs. Baker. Next Monday afternoon and evening Dr. C. R. Barnes, of the First M. E. church, will give an illustrated talk on the "Tabernacle." The afternoon session will be held at 4:30 and the evening session at 7:45. All who are interested are cordially invited to attend.

Along Legal Lines.

The case of Hand against Harger has been adjourned in Justice Newcorns court for one week and the case of Kelly against Tobin has been adjourned to a time to be decided upon by the counsel on both sides. Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the cases of Schench against Arthur and Westphal against Muldowney, which are returnable November 23.

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ANXIOUS FOR WEYLER

Spaniards Alarmed at the Absence of News from the Field.

ALL MANNER OF RUMORS CURRENT

Latest Reports Stated That He Was Penetrating the Rubi Hills Under an Harrassing Fire from the Insurgents.

Havana, Nov. 17.—No definite news regarding the movements of Gen. Weyler, who is operating against the rebels under Maceo in the province of Pinar del Rio, has been received. The last reports stated that he was penetrating the Rubi hills under a harrassing fire from the insurgents, but since then nothing has been heard from him, and there is considerable anxiety among the loyalists here. Rumors of all kinds are current. The gunboat Magallanes, which has arrived here, brings information that Gen. Castellanos has arrived at Cascorro. He reported that he had had eight encounters with the rebels. Returning from Cascorro to San Miguel he had further encounters with the enemy, who were commanded by Garcia, Cebreco and other leaders. The rebels sustained heavy losses.

TOOK THEM FOR FILIBUSTERS.

Shipwrecked Sailors Saved in Cuba Only by Proving They Were Not Americans.

New York, Nov. 17.—Among the passengers who arrived on the Ward line steamship Yucatan, from Havana, were thirteen shipwrecked seamen. They were Capt. Nelson and twelve of the crew of the British steamship Coila, which ran ashore on the Colorado reef at 2 o'clock on the morning of November 4. Later, the steamship got off into deep water and Capt. Nelson attempted to run her across the strait to Key West, but the water gained so rapidly that at 5 a. m. they abandoned the vessel, which shortly afterwards sank in deep water. The shipwrecked seaman landed at 7 a. m. on the Cuban coast about sixty miles west of Havana, where they fell into the hand of Spanish soldiers. The Spaniards believing them to be filibusters from the American coast, treated the prisoners harshly, threatening to shoot all hands. Finally they were taken to Havana, where they were taken in charge by the British consul, who sent them to this city. Not having certificates of acclimatization they were sent to Hoffman island. One of the shipwrecked crew, speaking this morning to a reporter of his experience, said: "Soon after we succeeded in reaching shore after our perilous position on the sinking steamer we were taken in change by a troop of soldiers who escorted us to a sugar estate. Here they used us very kindly, but they had strong suspicion that we were American filibusters. Later in the day another troop of soldiers took us to Marial, where they insisted that I could speak Spanish. I was taken to the headquarters and questioned by a big Spaniard who asked if we were English or American. I answered: 'English.' 'No; American,' said he, striking me in the neck and over the head with a loaded cane, stunning me. The blood ran down my face and back, and as three soldiers pointed their guns at me I expected to be shot. Failing to learn that there were Americans among our crew, I was dismissed. We were compelled to sleep on the bare stone floor with soldiers on guard. We were then sent to Havana, where we were cared for by the British consul. If we had been Americans we would never have lived to tell the tale."

Say Weyler's Campaign Has Failed.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 17.—Prominent Cubans here state that no news has been received of the alleged battle between Weyler and Maceo. It was reported Saturday night that Weyler was at the trocha and sending out small detachments to locate Maceo. The Cubans claim that Weyler's plan of campaign against Maceo has failed.

To Test the Terror's Turrets and Guns.

Washington, Nov. 17.—A naval board, consisting of Capt. Purnell F. Harrington, chief engineer George W. Stivers, naval constructor John F. Hanscom and Lieut. Albert S. Gleaves, have been ordered to assemble on board the coast defense ship Terror in New York harbor to-morrow afternoon and test the pneumatic system for working that vessel's turrets and guns installed under contract of April 25, 1888. The vessel is to be taken to sea and subjected to the most exhaustive examination.

THE BARBERI TRIAL

An Unusual Defense To Be Offered in the Italian Girl's Case.

MORAL IRRESPONSIBILITY THE PLEA

Remarkable Change in the Prisoner Since Her First Conviction Over a Year Ago, When She Was Ignorant, Illiterate and Hardened by Vice.

New York, Nov. 17.—The outcome of the case of Maria Barberi, who was yesterday placed on trial for the second time for her life, will be watched with much interest, as it is understood that the defense will not be insanity, but will be in part moral and mental irresponsibility. In other words, the defendant might have been sane at the time she committed the act, and yet not have been capable of distinguishing between right and wrong. She was not morally responsible. Only twice before, it is believed, has such a defense been interposed in a homicide case. It is but a year and a half ago that Maria Barberi, with the death sentence ringing in her ears, was led from the court of Recorder Goff, a low, ignorant woman, illiterate, hardened by vicious surroundings, and obstinate in her belief that in killing her faithless lover, Domenico Cataldo, she but exercised a right. She has changed since then. Her very looks, as she appears in court now, shows that she has been surrounded by softening influences, even though her home has been in a prison cell. Her figure is more erect, her step firmer; her face is clearer and its lines softer; her eyes fearlessly meet all those turned upon her. She comes to her second trial confident that she will be acquitted; she went to her first hopeless and friendless, unable even to make herself understood except through an interpreter. To-day she has powerful friends, for 50,000 women signed the petition to Gov. Morton to grant her clemency. She speaks to those about her in English, which language she has learned to read and write with considerable ease. The year the young woman spent in Sing Sing, while the appeal from the sentence of death was pending, was an education to her. Only four jurors were in the box when the case was resumed this morning. It is believed the work of completing the jury will be accomplished before adjournment this evening.

FREAK WEATHER IN THE WEST.

Uncomfortably Warm in Chicago and a Blizzard Blowing in Montana.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Yesterday was the warmest November day for Chicago in the history of the weather bureau, and the oldest inhabitant has not been able to recall a similar freak of the weather since the infancy of the city. In the Auditorium tower, where lake breezes blew constantly and briskly all day, the thremometer registered 70 degrees at 3 p. m. In Montana it was 22 degrees below zero yesterday and blowing a blizzard. The cold in the west is coming towards Chicago steadily and freezing weather is due to-morrow.

Mrs. Merritt's Death Accidental.

London, Nov. 17.—The autopsy on the body of Mrs. Alma Merritt, wife of George William Merritt of New York, who died in this city Saturday night under circumstances that at first led to the belief that she had committed suicide, revealed the fact that death was caused by laudanum. It seems, from all that can be learned, that Mrs. Merritt had for some time suffered from neuralgia, and had been in the habit of taking laudanum to relieve the pain. It is supposed that she accidentally took an overdose of the drug.

Distinguished Hawaiian Visitors at Boston

Boston, Nov. 17.—The Hawaiian minister of foreign affairs, Hon. Henry E. Cooper, with his private secretary, Benjamin Lodge Marx, and Hon. F. M. Hatch of Washington and Hon. J. B. Castle, solicitor-general of customs at Honolulu, who is in Boston on a friendly visit, this morning called upon Gov. Wolcott at the state house. At the conclusion of a drive through the parks yesterday afternoon the distinguished visitors paid their respects to Mayor Quincy.

Newfoundland Bank Cases.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 17.—Attorney-General Whiteway has notified the counsel of the bank directors that he intends to prosecute the accused through official information laid direct to the supreme court, which opens Friday, thus obviating the necessity of presenting indictments by the grand jury, which, it is expected, will reject them.

Damage to Argentine Crop.

New York, Nov. 17.—In response to a cable inquiry, W. H. Crossman & Bros. of this city have received the following dispatch from Argentina: "Locusts have destroyed already one-third of the wheat crop. Further damage expected. Harvesting commences within a fortnigh'. No damage from drought yet."

New York Republican Clubs.

Albany, Nov. 17.—President Addison B. Colvin of the New York state league of republican clubs has appointed an executive committee of fifteen members, and the committee will meet at league headquarters in New York city on Friday to map out a plan of more thorough organization work.

$25,000,000 To Help the Sultan.

London, Nov. 17.—The Manchester Guardian says that the powers have agreed to guarantee a new Turkish loan of £5,000,000 to assist the sultan in carrying out the promised reforms in Asia Minor.

CLAY FOR U. S. SENATOR.

The Georgia Democratic Legislative Caucus Deadlock Broken.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 17.—Hon. A. S. Clay, who was nominated for United States senator by the democratic legislative caucus last night, breaking the deadlock which had existed for several days, is chairman of the democratic state committee and has held that position for the past four years. Clay received 94 votes in the caucus, 89 being the requisite number for nomination. He received 81 votes last Friday and received the benefit of the stampede on the first ballot last evening. He is 43 years of age, has been speaker of the house and president of the senate and managed the last two state campaigns.

Westinghouse-Boyden Case.

Washington, Nov. 17.—About three weeks ago the supreme court of the United States heard argument in a controversy between the Westinghouse Air Brake company and the Boyden Power Brake company, the Westinghouse people claiming an infringement of their patent. A full-sized brake was exhibited in the court room and the method by which it is worked was practically exemplified by the use of a series of chambers of compressed air. Yesterday the court ordered the case restored to the docket for a reargument.

Capture of Three Small Whales.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 17.—The whaler Kite has arrived home from Davis straits empty. She reports that the Dundee steamer Eclipse has taken one, and the Nova Zembla two, small whales. The American halibut catcher Cordova, which went ashore at Trepassey, has been floated with but slight damage. It will cost not over $800 to repair her.

Officers May Refuse to Fight Duels.

Munich, Nov. 17.—The prince regent of Bavaria has issued an order to all officers serving upon courts of honor instructing them that henceforth officers in the Bavarian army refusing to fight duels on the ground that they are opposed to the principle of dueling must not be forced to resign, as has heretofore been the rule.

Wright Irrigation Law Constitutional.

Washington, Nov. 17.—After litigation extendining over a period of five or six years the California statute locally known as the Wright irrigation law has been pronounced to be constitutional and valid by the supreme court of of the United States and the validity of $16,000,000 of bonds issued thereunder affirmed.

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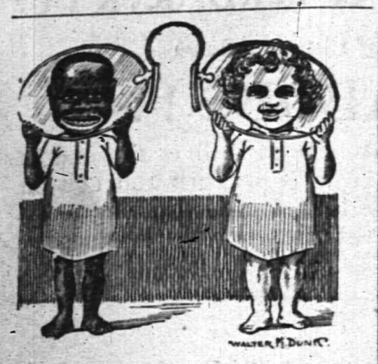

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Children's School Dresses made in dark Outing Flannel, 50c.

Children's Woolen Dresses made in fancy colors and plaid and plain colors, from $1 to $4

Children's Flannel Dresses sizes 1 to 4, 98cts.

Boy's Outing Flannel Waists, plaited front and back, 25c

Children's heavy black cotton Hose, 5c. Same, seamless, 10c.

Children's extra heavy black ribbed Hose, all sizes, 12c.

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1896 TAXES

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1896, are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal, in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,

Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1st, '96. 10 2 tf

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We will supply you with any amount you please, without trouble or loss of time.

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No kitchen is kept cleaner than the premises devoted to the manufacture of NONE SUCH Mince Meat. No housewife can be more fastidious in the matter of preparing food than we are in the selection and preparation of the materials of which it is made. The cleaning of the currants (for one thing) is more thoroughly done by means of perfected appliances, than it would be possible to do it by hand.

Its cleanliness, purity, wholesomeness and deliciousness are good reasons for using NONE SUCH Mince Meat. The best reason is its saving—of time, of hard work, of money. A ten cent package affords you two large pies, without trouble to you beyond the making of the crust. Makes just as good fruit cake and fruit pudding as it does mince pie. Sold everywhere. Be sure and get the genuine.

Send your name and address, and mention this paper, and we will mail you free a book—"Mrs. Popkins' Thanksgiving"—by one of the most famous humorous authors of the day.

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CUT THIS OUT.

Save this and wait until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring this with you to

214 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

Received the entire remaining fall and winter stock of a leading New York wholesale clothing house consigned to us to be sold at once without regard to cost which means an opportunity of buying Suits, Trousers, boys suits and mens suits and mens overcoats and ulsters at about one third of the actual value in order to prove what tremendous Sacrifices will be made. We mention a few of the extraordinary bargains, and we advise you to cut this out and bring it with you, so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here: 100 fine men's overcoats, that sold for $11.00, now $3.78; 100 extra fine men's over oats in latest style silk or satin lined at $5.98; men's fine all wool cassmere suits, $10.00, at $4 00; men's fancy worsted suits, worth $15.00, at $6.90; men's all wool English clay diagonol frock suits, worth $18.00, at $7 50; men's fine ulsters, worth $10 00, at $3 50; 450 men's pants, worth $3.00, at $1.25; 225 pair striped cassmere pants, worth $4.00, at $1.50. Hundred of other styles of goods, space will not allow to mention all we say is come and judge for yourself. Boys suits, $1.65, worth $4.50; boy's winter overcoats, at $1 65, worth $3.50. Now don't delay, for these bargains are not like the sun to last for evermore, but come at once to the

New York Clothing Company,

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IS YOUR EYESIGHT DEFECTIVE?

There is no safer, surer or cheaper method of obtaining proper relief for over strained and defective eyesight, headache and so forth than to consult this Specialist. The happy results from correctly fitted glasses are a grateful surprise to persons who have not before known the real profit to themselves in wearing good glasses. No charge to examine your eyes. All glasses guaranteed.

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H. A STILES will be at 107 East Front street, Dunham's real estate office, every THURSDAY, from 10 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

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Communications pertaining to the business mentioned, either by letter or otherwise, will receive prompt attention. Carriage service supplied.

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We are closing out some very desirable patterns of PARLOR and BEDROOM suits and odd pieces of STOCK. A chance for good bargains.

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"THE EVER BUSY STORE."

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

A Great Sale of Hosiery,

Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.

Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.

Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.

Infant's wool hose at 10c.

Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.

Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.

Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.

38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.

Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.

A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—1c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

EVERYBODY LOOKS AT YOUR HAT!

See that it is correct. Correct styles are at

HALLOCK'S!

109 West Front street.

"THE AMBASSADOR OF CHRIST."

Cardinal Gibbons' Book Completed—Praise for the American People.

Baltimore, Nov. 17.—Cardinal Gibbons has completed his new work entitled "The Ambassador of Christ" which will soon be issued by his publishers. In prefacing his work the cardinal says: "Among the thousands of Americans that annually embrace the religion of Christ, the most exemplary and conspicuous are often found among those that had been at one time the most pronounced opponents of the ancient faith. The most formitable zealot of the primitive church afterwards became the great apostle of the Gentiles. She is eminently the church of the people. She exercises a wholesome influence on the masses. While always in sypmathy with genuine progress and the lawful aspirations of the toiling millions, she knows how to curb their excesses. She appeals to their enlightened self-interest and moral sense, and she endeavors to control them by religous sanctions. Americans are fundamentally a religious people. They who characterize them as a nation so absorbed in trade and commerce, in agriculture and politics, as to give scarcely a thought to eternal truths, judge them not correctly. We are happily living under a government of constitutional freedom. Our citizens enjoy the largest measure of liberty that is compatible with law and order."

MAHER DEFEATS CHOYNSKI.

The Californian Held Out for Only Six Rounds.

New York, Nov. 17.—Peter Maher knocked out Joe Choynski of California with a right hand swing on the jaw after two minutes and twenty-five seconds of the sixth round in their 20-round contest before the Broadway Athletic club last night. The men fought cautiously for the first five rounds and Maher did not strike his usual gait until after the sixth opened. Then he rushed at his man and Choynski quickly went down before the hailstorm of right and left swings that Peter landed. Choynski got up staggering after having stayed down for nine seconds. He made an effort to steady himself but it was of no avail. Maher went at him with a clean right hand swing on the jaw and sent him to the floor. This time he lay flat on the floor with arms and legs extended and the referee slowly counted him out. The Californian was not long in coming all right and after being helped to his corner where he rested for a moment walked out of the ring. The police clambered into the ring under the charge of Acting-Captain Gree, but no arrests were made as both men were uninjured.

COUNSEL PECK'S ACCIDENT.

Physicians Do Not Believe He Has Sustained Internal Injuries.

Washington, Nov. 17.—George R. Peck, general counsel of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, who was severely injured by falling down the elevator shaft at the Shoreham hotel Sunday night, a distance of ten feet, breaking his right wrist and hand and bruising his face, is resting fairly comfortably this morning. Although he complains occasionally of pains in his chest and sides, his physicians do not believe he has sustained internal injuries. Mr. Peck was unconscious for nearly twelve hours.

Leavenworth Soldiers' Home Investigation

Washington, Nov. 17.—Chairman Grout of the committee appointed at the last session of congress to investigate the charges of mismanagement preferred against Col. Smith, governor of the National Soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kan., says that he expects a report will be made by the committee shortly after the reassembling of congress. The charges were vigorously pressed by Congressman Blue and caused a sensation throughout the country at the time.

To License New York Barbers.

Albany, Nov. 17.—It is announced here that the barbers' unions of the state will present to the next legislature a bill to provide for a state board of examiners to license all barbers after the manner of the state horseshoers' board, provided for by the Finn bill last winter.

Cotton Mill Resumes Operations.

Greenville, N. H., Nov. 17.—No. 2 cotton mill of the Columbian Manufacturing company, at High Bridge, which has been shut down since April 16, has started up in all departments.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Market weak; fair inquiry. Dec., 86⅝c.; May, 87⅝c.

Corn—Spot trade quiet and easier. Dec., 31⅛c.; May, 34⅛c.

Oats—Market dull; values uncertain. Dec., 23⅝c.; May, 26⅜c.

Pork—Spot firm; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Spot weak; moderate demand. Steam rendered, $4.30.

Eggs—Market steady; fair receipts. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26c.; ice house, 16½@17c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 15@16.

Butter—Market quiet; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 19½c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, seconds to firsts, 11½@13c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 8½@10½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3⅛@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.12@1.25; per sack, $1.10@1.15.

GERMANS SATISFIED

Hohenlohe's Reply to the Centrist Interpellation Allays Excitement.

NO BRITISH INFLUENCE IN HER POLICY

The Chancellor Declared That Germany's Relations with Her Allies Have Undergone No Change—Refused Other Information.

Berlin, Nov. 17.—The German chancellor's statement yesterday in reply to the centrists interpellation of the Bismarck disclosures regarding a secret treaty with Russia from 1886 to 1890, although it did not contain the direct information sought, Prince Hohenlohe's solemn declaration that there has never been English influence in Germany's policy has greatly allayed the excitement caused by the disclosures and, as was predicted, the centrists did not push the subject to the embarrassment of the government. The question, which was introduced by Count von Hompresch, was, in brief, whether a secret convention between Russia and Germany existed up to 1890, and if so, why was it not prolonged? Finally, had the recent disclosures had influence upon the dreibund and Germany's relations with the other powers? In reply, Prince Hohenlohe said: "In regard to the negotiations between Russia and Germany from 1886 to 1890, it was agreed, at the time, that absolute secrecy should be observed. The point of time when this obligation ceased cannot, in consequence, be defined by us alone. I, therefore, for the moment, am not in a position to give official information concerning the result of those negotiations. So far as regards the tendency of German policy toward Russia since the spring of 1890, it is equally impossible to give an exhaustive reply so long as that obligation continues, and I leave it to the foreign secretary, who took part in the deliberations, to say what can be said in that respect. After a careful examination of the available materiai, I cannot help recognizing as full of weight the motives which governed German policy, and at the same time I can express the conviction that no unfavorable modification in our relations with Russia has made itself felt. The assertion at that time that British or indeed any foreign influences have had a contributory effect, or that they now have, must be dismissed as devoid of all foundation. (Cries of "Bravo! Bravo!") As to the effect which recent publications have had upon the position of Germany in the dreibund and her relations with other European powers, I am glad to be able to declare that the cloud of distrust which at the first moment was observable among some classes of the populations of those countries has again disappeared (Cheers), and our relations with our allies are marked now, as before, by absolute mutual confidence. In the same way our relations with Russia have never for a moment ceased to be good and friendly." (Applause from all parts of the house.)

Foreign Minister's Statement.

The minister for foreign affairs, Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, followed the chancellor. He said: "In entering upon the subject of the German policy towards Russia, I am perfectly alive to the great difficulties of the task. Please do not expect any revelations from me. I have no authority to make them, and, moreover, they would probably only increase the strife, and we have enough strife in the country. My task is to throw light upon certain attacks, so far as general interests at home and abroad requires them to be dealt with. In the latest controversy, two accusations leading in diametrically opposite directions stand out prominently. One is that German policy, after 1890, committed serious blunders and surrendered an important security for the preservation of peace. The other charge, which is levelled against the policy prior to 1890, asserts that at that time things were agreed upon with another state contrary to existing treaties. The latter charge is the most serious, for it strikes us in a spot where, as we are entitled to say with some pride, we were most sensitive. I therefore address myself first to that charge and repel with emphasis the idea that anything was ever agreed to by Germany, with any state whatever, that is incompatible with existing treaties. (Cheers). That has not occurred, neither in the letter nor in the spirit, for whatever we have agreed to was designed to serve the interests of peace. It is, however, doubtful whether, with a number of alliances and treaties, the intrinsic value of each increases or decreases. The danger arises in multifold security that it may refuse its office at a decisive moment."

Pan-American Medical Congress.

City of Mexico, Nov. 17.—The Pan-American medical congress opened its session here last evening. The proceedings will terminate on Friday. About 400 American doctors, many of whom brought their families with them, are attending the congress.

Schooner Wrecked; Crew Probably Lost.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The French schooner Andre, from St. Pierre, Miquelon for St. Malo, has been wrecked on Point des Baleines. None of her crew have been heard of, and it is supposed that they were all drowned.

Started Up with a Full Force.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 17.—Adriance, Platt & Co.'s mowing and reaping works, which has been at a standstill for several months, started up this week with a full force, employing nearly 300 men.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Fair Tonight; Partly Cloudy Wednesday; Colder Wednesday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 42 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 17--Republican primaries.
Nov. 18--Crescent Wheelmen meeting.
Nov. 18--Spanish drill at the Church of the Heavenly Rest.
Nov. 19--Sociable at the Trinity Reformed church.

HAS COME TO STAY.

Ex Senator Henry E. Winton, of Bergen county, Chairman of the National Democratic State Committee, has announced that the National Democratic party has come to stay. He says:

"The National Democratic vote in New Jersey was 6,474. To get a legal status as a party under the New Jersey Election Law it should have polled two per cent. of the total vote, which would be 7,437 votes. The two per cent. was secured in Bergen, Burlington, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Somerset and Union counties, and candidates for county offices can be nominated by convention instead of by petition The National Democratic party will perfect its machinery in each county of the State by the formation of county committees, in order that there may be a Democratic organigation free from Populism. The Bryan organization not being in harmony with Democratic principles, the National Democracy of the State cannot and will not have anything to do with it as an organization. The new Democratic party is the only genuine Democratic organization now existing, and the future of the Democracy is in its keeping. Its principles are those laid down at the Indianapolis Convention; they are Democratic to the core and as such will renew public confidence in the Democratic organization as soon as it is demonstrated that such Democrats are in control of its machinery and are guiding it once more through the paths of principle to the nation's honor."

AN ABLE ACQUISITION.

Assemblyman Codington, of Plainfield, gives it as his opinion that "it would be a proper thing to have a portion of North Plainfield township, Somerset county, set off and added to the county of Union. The borough of North Plainfield, embracing some 4,000 or 5,000 inhabitants, is virtually a part of the city of Plainfield—divided, however, by a small stream, which is the county line, and, of course, necessarily under a different government." There is some weight in Mr. Codington's suggestion, and if carried into effect it would make Senator Reed, of Somerset, a resident of Union county, and one of our able coterie of politicians. --Elizabeth Journal.

The removal of William G. C. See, to Jersey City, takes away a good citizen and a faithful and conscientious officer. Mr. See has presided in a dignified and fair manner over the proceedings of the Common Council for three years, and though his official path has been made easy by reason of not having to contend with a resourceful political minority, his ability in quickly dispatching business has been marked and appreciated. As his successor, Councilman Ginna will fill the office with equal credit and satisfaction.

The Republican primaries will be held this evening for the selection of delegates to the city convention, Thursday night, and for the nomination of one Councilman from each ward. In addition to the Councilmanic possibilities published in yesterday's Press, should be added the name of William N. Runyon in the Second ward. He has the support of the younger element, with whom he is very popular.

A Pretty Design.

One of the daintiest bedroom papers that has been seen for a long time is a daisy and clover design in delicate pink and gray colors. This design is offered by Love, of North and Watchung avenues, as a leader at a very reasonable price. The pattern was engraved in Love's print cuting department and designed by his Paris artist, Monsieur Jelthup, who is now a resident of this city. Many of his designs are sold to the highest class wall paper manufacturers in this country.

How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Tautinn, of Craig place, has been entertaining out-of-town friends.

Dr. Frank Linbarger, of Elizabeth, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

George Horne, of Lehigh University spent Sunday at his home on Willow avenue.

Miss Lizzie Smalley, of Craig place, has returned from a visit with Cranford friends.

Miss Reba Tinsman, of Lumberville Pa., is visiting the Misses Livesay of Park avenne.

Miss Nannie T. Beck, of Baltimore, is the guest of Miss Dryden, of West Seventh street.

H. S. Thatcher, of East Fourth street, spent yesterday with New Brunswick friends.

W. B. Wadsworth, of West Eighth street, has gone to Maine on a ten days hunting trip.

Miss Edna Golden, of Trenton, has returned to this city to make her home at 515 Park avenue.

Miss Henrietta Bonnell, of Manning avenue, is spending two weeks in New York with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Garret Cramer, of Elizabeth, are visiting Mrs. H. F. Bowers, of East Front street.

Miss Belle Bowman, of LaGrande avenue, has returned from a visit with her parents at Green Castle, Pa.

Miss Josephine Chichester, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Smith, of Willow avenue.

G. V. Cramer, Major of the First Regiment, Knights of Pythias, of Elizabeth, is visiting fellow Knights in this city.

Miss Sadie Blimm and Miss Lou Crosson, of this city, have returned from a very pleasant visit with Newark friends.

Raymond A. McGee, of Yale University, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home on Orchard place, Washington Park

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church, will hold a meeting on Thurday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mrs. Sarah Talmadge, of Monroe, Orange County, N. Y., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Williams, of Madison avenue.

Councilman Ginna and family, of Watchung avenue, will leave town at an early date for a six months trip through Europe.

Thos. F. McInerney, of South Second street, has gone to Boston and is enjoying a lucrative position in the Shore Iron Works there.

Miss Arabella Topping, of Northampton, N. Y., is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howell, of Myrtle avenue.

George A. Horne, of Lehigh University, returned to his college duties last evening after spending several days at his home on Willow avenue.

Wm. N. Runyon, of East Ninth street, and E. H. Ladd are both prominently spoken of as Republican candidates for Councilman in the Second ward

Ex-Chief Marshal Wm. Pangborn, of Linden avenue, is able to be out again after a recent accident on the Central Railroad Company's ferryboat Fanwood.

The many friends of F. W. Perry will regret to learn that he is confined to his home suffering from typhoid fever. Dr. B. Van D. Hedges is in attendance.

The marriage ceremony of Lewis Cuff to Mrs. Rachael Richerson was performed Saturday night by Rev. W. D. Johnson, at his residence on East Sixth street.

Dr. F.C. Herbert arrived home from Manasquan and other points in South Jersey Tuesday morning, where he has been spending a few days hunting and fishing. The doctor had all the game he could carry.

Rev. D. M. Stearns, who conducted the Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. hall last night, has accepted the urgent request of students at Princeton University to deliver a course of lectures before them on Bible study.

Miss Emma Ettinger, of Cottage place, has entirely recovered from an attack of scarlet fever and the Board of Health has removed the yellow card. At present there is not a case of contagious disease in this city.

Patrick T. Keely, wife and daughter, of LaGrande avenue, are enjoying a carriage trip in New York State. They started away last week and will return the latter part of this week. Advices from them state that they are experiencing cool though delightful weather and nothing has happened to mar the pleasure of their trip.

—Don't worry about your health. Keep your blood pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and you need not fear the grip, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia or typhoid fever.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy to operate.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Ranbolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Peter B. Matthews, of Grove street, is in Philadelphia on a visit

Lawyer Arthur Miller has returned from a few days visit with relatives at Madison.

Rev. Floyd Appleton is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshank, of Belvidere road.

Nicholas R. O'Conner, of New York, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bellis, of Vine street, are entertaining friends this week from Flemington.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Langdon, of East Ninth street, are stopping at Hot Springs, Va., for their health.

Irving L Brady, who was admitted to the bar last week, has been appointed a Master in Chancery.

Clarence Vail has accepted a position at Mulford Estils book and stationery store on Park avenue.

Miss Louise H. Billings, of Deerfield, Mass., is visiting Mrs. Caleb Dickenson, of West Front street.

Rev. Mr. Davies, of Petersburg, N. Y., has been visiting his sisters, the Misses Davies, of LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. Fannie G. Foster returned to her home on Mercer avenue after a month's visit with relatives in New York.

J. B. Moors and family have moved from Rahway road to the house belonging to B. A. Hegeman, Sr., at 109 Park place.

Rev. Father Miller, pastor of St. Joseph's church, has gone to Elizabeth today on matters pertaining to church work.

Fred W. Leland is confined to his home corner of Front street and Central avenue with illness boarding on pneumonia.

Edward Beekman and family, of Brooklyn, have taken up their residence in F. J. Doremus' house on Rockview avenue.

A. D. Porter and family returned to their home on Craig place yesterday after a week's visit at the home of friends in New York.

Mrs. H. S. Gould, of New York, will give a free lecture on "Skin and and Scalp," at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will visit the families of his church living on East Front street, today, Thursday and Saturday.

Mrs. Nettie Stroud Force, daughter of Captain and Mrs. John Stroud, of George street and Throop avenue, New Brunswick, is to marry Edward Birch, of Elizabeth.

Thomas U. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, has almost recovered from his recent accident on the football field and is now able to be out again with the assistance of a cane.

W. W. Norton, of Athol, Mass., a retired merchant, who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. E. W. Mills, of East Fifth street, left town yesterday for St. Louis, where he will reside with his son-in law.

Franklin P. Noble, of Mendham, who has been in the employ of A. J. Gavett, of this city, has accepted a position with Frank J. Hubbard, of Plainfield, who is now mapping out the town of Sea Cliffe, L. I.

THEATRICAL.

That excellent comedy organization, The Henshaw-TenBroeck Company, is now touring for its twelfth annual season and will appear in their new edition of "The Nabobs," that has made all America laugh. The company this time is stronger than ever, comprising as it does John E. Henshaw, Frank David, William Blaisdell, Edward Webb, C R. Burroughs, Louis Mason, Clara Lavine, Carlotta, Sophia Witt, Clara VanVetchen and May TenBroeck. Those who enjoy good clean fun, bright and catchy music well rendered by singers of undoubted ability and a play with real plot, will certainly be well pleased with the "New Nabobs," who appear at Music Hall next Saturday evening.

"A Bowery Girl," which is to be the attraction of the week at H. R. Jacob's Theatre in Newark is a realistic New York melodrama. The Bowery, the Grand street elevated railroad station and the palisades on the Hudson are among the scenes represented. Florrie West plays the leading role and Carrie Ezier that of a "tough girl." Songs and specialties enliven the play.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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"The art of painting," said Millais, "consists in selecting the right colors and putting them in the right place." —"The way to win a battle," said Napolean," is to mass your troops at the critical moment against the weakest spot in the enemy's line."—"The way to cure many ailments," said the great Dr Abercrombie, "is to purify the poisoned spring in which they arise, generally the torpid and inflamed digestive system."

Thus wisdom and experience simplify and condense. Thus the Shakers of Mount Lebanon reasoned when they sought, and finally found, a remedy for indigestion and dyspepsia. Where one person has something el e, they argued a thousand have this. To cure this alone will almost rid the world of sickness. Why should we vex ourselves with confusing definitions? A good digestion is life and health; a bad one disease and death Hence, from the healing and stimulating mountain herbs, they extracted the principles which make the Shaker Digestive Cordial the rarest and most effective of medicines for one disease, and one only—indigestion and dyspepsia.

Do you suffer from any of these miserable feelings?—depression of spirits, heaviness and pain in the stomach after meals, bad taste in the mouth, wind in the bowels, irritable disposition, nervous weakness and alarm, worry and weariness, costiveness or irregularity of the bowels, nausea, palpitation, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite and sleep, dry skin, etc.—?

Don't indulge in fifty foolish fancies. You have indigestion and dysyepsia and nothing else. Set the disordered stomach right with the one medicine which will surely do it. Shaker Digestive Cordial, and these symptoms will vanish with their cause. A good effect will follow the first doses. Even chronic cases soon yield.

Test the cordial, at practically no cost, by taking a ten-cent trial bottle. For sale by nearly all druggists.

The meetings in the Filmore Baptist church are still going on. Rev. P. S. Gibson will preach tonight.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

CITY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the city of Plainfield are requested to meet at the following places on Thursday evening, November 19th, at 8 o'clock to place in nomination a member of the Common Council, and delegates to the City Convention, to be held at the Bryan School on Saturday evening, the 21st.

		Delegates.
First Ward—Hoaglands office, North ave.		5
2d do	Bryant School.	4
3d do	Revere House.	2
4th do	Blimm's Hotel.	11

City Convention will place in nomination a Mayor, Treasurer, City Collector, two Comissioners of Appeal, one Member of the Board of Education. Each ward will nominate one Justice of the Peace, one Constable.

J. E MARTINE, Pres. Dem. Ass'n.
MICHEAL FLYNN, Secretary.

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Fine " Cheviot Suits, Single or Double Breasted, 5.50
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4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2.00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Mayor Brakely was in New York yesterday on business.

Philip Eder, of Bound Brook, visited his sister, Mrs. J. Maier, yesterday.

The Dunellen Athletic Club will hold its next dance on Thanksgiving Eve.

Henry TenEyck is visiting relatives and friends at Davenport Centre, N. Y.

John Connolly, of Glen Gardner, is visiting his brother, William, at Maier's Hotel.

Mrs. J. V. Barrett and son and Miss Sadie Barrett have gone to Brooklyn for a few days visit.

Wm. H. Kuhns has been awarded the contract for Sandford Staples' new house on Depot avenue.

Rev. Mr. Custard, pastor of the M. E. church, will conduct services in the Metuchen church tonight.

Postmaster Peter Staats is rapidly regaining his health. He is able to be around, but is yet quite weak.

The Washington Avenue Card Club will hold a meeting at the home of the Misses Barrett on Friday evening.

John Creamer and family, who have been occupying the Winges property on Main street, have removed to Brooklyn.

A fair and entertainment will be held in the Presbyterian church tonight under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

R. J. Swackhamer's new house on Dunellen avenue is nearing completion, and it will be ready for occupancy before Thanksgiving.

George Reusch and family, of Cranford, and the Misses Trust, of Greenbrook, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reusch of Front street.

Geo. Schenck, chief clerk in Adam Dealaman's store, is on duty again after a week's confinement to the house from an attack of pneumonia.

Robert Craig was laid up last week with the grip and he was getting better until yesterday, when his face began to gather and it was found necessary to probe the gathering.

Evangelistic services will be held in the Dunellen Methodist Episcopal church, beginning on Friday evening, Nov. 20th. The meetings will be conducted by Rev. J. L. Glasscock, the evangelist, and they will continue for at least ten days.

The committee on entertainment in connection with the Christmas exercises in the M. E. church, will meet tonight at the residence of C. T. Todd to talk over and make preliminary arrangements for the grand vocal, instrumental and literary programme, now in progress.

The Dunellen Building and Loan Association held a meeting last night for the payment of dues. The meeting was held in the W. C. T. U. rooms and the dues came in rapidly for a time. The regular monthly meeting of the association for the transaction of routine business will be held in Alvah Gray's office on Thursday evening of this week.

NEW MARKET.

Philip Mitze and Miss Lizzie Reusch, both of this place, will be united in marriage, at the home of the bride, next Tuesday evening, November 24th, by Rev. Mr. Fletcher, pastor of the Baptist church. Charles DeGraw, of Plainfield, will be the best man, and Miss Georgianna Reusch will officiate as bridemaid. Miss Lizzie Reusch, of Dunellen, and Miss Edna Reusch, of South Orange, will be the flower girls. Over one hundred invitations are out. A reception will follow the marriage.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.
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The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

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SCOTCH PLAINS.

W. S. Emery is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

Another little "scrap" happened at the Italian joint, yesterday afternoon, but as no blood was spilled no arrests are likely to be made.

Miss Lida Messler, who fell down stairs and sprained an ankle, about a week ago, was able to walk out yesterday for the first time since the accident.

A golden tea, with music, tableaux and apron sale attachment, for the benefit of the Christmas fund, will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow evening.

Judge Clark is an attentive listener at the county courts in Elizabeth. The Judge is well read up in the law, but he is always ready to listen to suggestions, and he rules from a clear and conscientious standpoint.

Miss Sadie and little Frankie Lee, children of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lee, are very ill from symptoms bordering on pneumonia. Last night their condition was so serious that a Plainfield physician had to be summoned.

John Miller, William Richardson and four dogs, the latter well-trained hounds, went out for a day's sport on the mountain yesterday. They shot ten rabbits and the dogs frightened four woodcock so they couldn't get away.

A house on the mountain near here was entered and looted in the dead of night, Saturday, and $5 in money and some keepsakes were stolen. Alex. Darby is the owner. Entrance was effected by breaking out a window on the ground floor, and the money was taken from a bureau drawer.

The old town pump at Emery's corner will be ready for use again by tonight. Mr. Emery has had men at work yesterday and today drilling the well deeper. The pump is in itself an old landmark, and many a man and beast have quenched their thirst there during the past half century.

The members of the Young Men's League, in connection with the Baptist church, held a sort of stag party in the church parlors, last evening, at which there was singing by Fred Allen, Ernest Humes, Thomas Emery, Thomas Collins and Edward Fancher. There was also recitations and singing by other members of the league.

WASHINGTONVILLE.

Mrs. Edwin Phillips is convalescent since her recent severe illness.

Miss Etta Kirk, of Newark, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, of Washingtonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein, of New York, were the guests of Mrs. Harrison J. Smith over Sunday.

Herbert Phillips has almost completed the new barn for Wm. Demler, in place of the one that was recently burned.

Rev. Robert Lowry, D. D., of Plainfield, preached a very interesting sermon in the Wilson Memorial chapel Sunday night.

Mrs. Harrison J. Smith leaves her homestead in Washingtonville on Wednesday and will go to visit her brother in Elmira.

Farmers around Washingtonville have their farms posted to protect their land from the depredations of the hunters who are thronging to that section.

The ice houses on the Wilson estate, formerly used by the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company, have collapsed, and the company will be unable to use the pond as they have no place to store the ice.

Daniel Acker and Daniel VanOrton, of Washingtonville, have completed their contract of building sheds and fences around the M. E. church at Union Village, from funds left to the church by the late Joel Coddington.

An informal reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. John Koch, of Washingtonville, Saturday evening, in honor of their guest, Miss Jacobs, of Chicago. About twenty of their friends were present and the evening passed very pleasantly with games, singing and conversation. Refreshments were served toward the close of the evening.

Alleged Bicycle Thief Acquitted.

Manager Charles Schermerhorn, of the Western Union Office in this city, was summoned to Freehold yesterday to testify in a bicycle case. The jury acquitted the man accused of stealing the wheel, without leaving their seats. The prisoner's name is Pierce, and he was accused of riding away with a wheel from Lakewood and disposing of it.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

BITS OF BRIEF NEWS.

PASSING INCIDENTS THAT WILL INTEREST PRESS READERS.

Scan Your Eye Down the Column and There You May Find an Item That Will Interest and Also Instruct You

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps will hold a business meeting tonight.

—A fair exchange is no robbery. Trade one dollar for a pair of kid gloves at Pecks.

—A meeting of Court Pride, No. 8024, A. O. F., will be held this evening in K. of P. hall.

—The literary society of Monroe Avenue chapel will meet on Friday night at Epworth House.

—Wm. Fosburg, of West Sixth street, fell from a scaffold on Saturday and dislocated his right arm.

—The initiating team, of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a fair at Ulrich's clubhouse next week.

—Ivanhoe Council, No. 1074, A. L. of H., will meet in regular session this evening in their rooms on Park avenue.

—Wm. Gray, of East Fourth street, has shipped one pair of his nun pigeons to the Exclusive Pigeon Show, Boston.

—The Christian Endervor society of the Trinity Reformed church will give a sociable on Thursday night in the church parlors.

—John Wierenga has received the contract to grade the grounds surrounding Mr. Strong's residence on Central avenue.

—Mr. Marsh, of Linden avenue, has received a patent on a never-slip rubber shoe. It is said that the shoe works perfectly.

—A benefit entertainment will be held at the Monroe Avenue chapel this evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

—John M. Scorb is making some alterations and repairs to his farm house at Mt. Horeb, and John Sheehan is doing the fancy plastering.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will give a "povertee" sociable in the church parlors tomorrow night.

—An interesting programme has been prepared for the next meeting of the Parliamentary Club, which meets on Wednesday, November 25th.

—It is expected that several important matters will be discussed at the meeting of Iona Council, No. 14, Degree of Pocohontas, tomorrow evening.

—Michael Powers & Son have secured the contract for flagging the walks on Somerset street and Greenbrook road, around the Arlington Hotel.

—The Somerville Social Club will hold one of their delightful receptions tomorrow night at Germania Hall. A number of young people from this city will attend.

—The Oriental team of the Crescent Division, No. 13, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, will confer the Oriental degree on eight candidates Friday night in Perseverance Lodge rooms.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will not be inspected this evening, as expected, but there will be the initiation of one recruit and nomination of officers. All members are urged to be present.

—On Friday evening, November 27th, an entertainment, consisting of tableaux, recitations and music, will be given in Grace M. E. church. The refreshments will consist of molasses, cake and apples.

—W. J. Roome, of Washington Park, has a beautiful piece of property which M. Udahl is grading and getting in shape for building lots. It has a frontage of over 100 feet and is some 350 feet deep.

—As soon as the new City National Bank building is completed, ex-Judge Nelson Runyon will leave his present quarters over Laire's hardware store, on West Front street, and establish his law offices in the new building.

—Metropolitan boarding stable C. V. D. Corle proprietor, 138 East Second street, A. D. Thompson's old stand, has the largest and most commodious stable in the city. Horses boarded by the hour, day, week or month. See advertisement in another column.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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Barry Richard	Rupp Dr Phillip
Benjamin E P	Stone John
Brown Miss A	Smith Mrs A T
Clark Miss Mary	Scudder Miss H
Fry Samuel 2	VanFleet Mrs John
Fenner Amos	Vrain Lodovice
Hawkins Miss Susie	Wakeman Miss Francis
Hepburn M D	Wagner S
Johanson Miss Carrie	Ward Miss Emma
Kuwson A	Ward J P
Lawrence Wm H	Wena Ed
Westhall E	

FOR SALE!

Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired, inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J.

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Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, 34x105, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen, sidewalks flagged. Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.

2 new houses on South avenue, near Berckman street, 6 rooms, good cellar and attic. Lot 50x100. Terms easy. All rooms papered. Sidewalks flagged, etc.

1 house on Third street, near New street, 6 rooms nicely papered; connected with sewer; large cellar and attic; hardwood mantels.

2 lots for sale on Third street, near New st., sidewalk flagged; easy terms; will advance money to build at 5 per cent. Elegant building lots on East Sixth street for sale; convenient to schools, churches, etc.; near trolley cars; very easy terms. I will offer the above property at such a low figure that any one desiring a home in a good location cannot do better with their money than to purchase before property advances. Come at see me at 17 North avenue. Open evenings until 9 o'clock. Monthly payments taken.
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59 Somerset st., Plainfield, N. J.
Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

DIED.

BASS—In this city, Nov. 15th, 1896, W. Alex. Bass, aged 70 years.
Funeral services from his late residence, 630 West Eighth street, Nov. 18th, at 3 p m. 2

COWARD, JOHN H.—At Key Port, N. J., on Sunday, Nov. 15, of heart failure, in the 92 year of his age.
Funeral services from the residence of his son Joseph B. Coward, No. 245 East Front St., on Wednesday, Nov. 18, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice. 11-16-2

SEBRING—In this city, Monday, November 16, 1896, Katherine, infant daughter of William H. and Jennie T. Sebring, aged 11 months, and 16 days.
Funeral services from the residence of her parents, 231 LaGrande avenue, Wednesday, November 18th, at 5 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

COMPETENT general housework-ers, also other help, wants situations. Mrs. Day's office, 134 East Front street.

DRESSMAKER—Would take more engagements by the day. Address S. Care of Press.

WANTED—Girl to cook and do plain washing, at 18 dollars. Address B. Care of Press. 11 17-1

LOST—On Seventh street or Watchung avenue, Monday afternoon. A small silver watch, marked "S. P. S." Finder will be suitably rewarded by notifying Press office.

WOMAN—Wants place as cook or laundress. Call 214 East Fourth street.

WANTED—Girl as child's nurse, reference required. Call at 407 Central avenue.

FOR SALE—Ladies Columbia wheel in good order $25.00, square piano $20. Address M. N. O. Care of Press. 11-17-2

ROOMS—With board at 217 West Second street. 11-10 1m

GOOD COOK—wants place, or will do general housework. Apply 1143 South Second street.

FOR SALE—One new bicycle, 26 in. frame, 72 gear. Too high frame for owner to ride—cheap. Address S. R., care Press. 11 16 2

WANTED—Young girl for general housework, small family. Swede preferred. 822 Arlington avenue. 16 3

WANTED—White girl, as cook and laundress; must have good references. Apply 745 Watchung ave. 11-13-w

FIRST CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 11-10-1y

FOUR rooms with city water to let, upstairs, at 124 Duer street. 11 10 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, att'y., corner Park and North aves. 11 7 10

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

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10 Pieces of 45 in. All wool Black Henrietta cloth 33c the yard.

NO. 14.
100 Fine plaid shirt waists for Ladies. Have been $1.50 each. Will go for 59 cents.

NO. 15.
100 Doz. Fine all linen huck towels, the 25c kind. Our price 13c Two for 25c. 5 Pieces half in all linen Table damask 39c the yard.

NO. 16.
25 Doz. Fleeced lined hose for Ladies 23c pair. 100 Doz. Children's seamless hose 8c. the pair.

DRESS GOODS
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HAIR CLOTH
We have it in all shades, black, grey and white 25-27-35 and 40c the yard. Have you tried Cordette, the new lining. It takes the place of canvas and hair cloth, just as good and only costs half.

LADIES
Will find it to their advantage to see our line of separate skirts, wrappers, capes and jackets Not only the best assortment but the best prices, Ladies wrappers, 98c; Ladies skirts, $2.59; Ladies capes, $4.98; Ladies Boucle Jackets, $4.98.

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TEA SET—English Porcelain—three colors. Beautiful Undergiazed Decoration $2.39. Regular price $3.98. Other specials in Tea Sets.

TOILET SETS—We have the largest assortment in the city and are still selling $1.75 sets for $1.25.

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CHAPTER XV.

When the two youths turned with flag they saw that much of the ment had crumbled away and the cted remnant was going slowly k. The men, having hurled themselves in projectile fashion, had presently expended their forces. They slowly retreated with their faces still toward the sputtering woods and their hot rifles still replying to the din. Several officers were giving orders, their voices keyed to screams.

"Where in hell yeh goin'?" the lieutenant was asking in a sarcastic howl. And a red-bearded officer, whose voice of triple brass could plainly be heard, was commanding: "Shoot into 'em! Shoot into 'em! curse their souls!" There was a melee of speeches in which the men were ordered to do conflicting and impossible things.

The youth and his friend had a small scuffle over the flag. "Give it t' me." "No—let me keep it." Each felt satisfied with the other's possession of it, but each felt bound to declare, by an offer to carry the emblem, his willingness to further risk himself. The youth roughly pushed his friend away.

The regiment fell back to the stolid trees. There it halted for a moment to blaze at some dark forms that had begun to steal upon its track. Presently it resumed its march again, curving among the tree trunks. By the time the depleted regiment had again reached the first open space they were receiving a fast and merciless fire. There seemed to be mobs all about them.

The greater part of the men, discouraged, their spirits worn by the turmoil, acted as if stunned. They accepted the pelting of the bullets with bowed and weary heads. It was of no purpose to strive against walls. It was of no use to batter themselves against granite. And from this consciousness that they had attempted to conquer an unconquerable thing there seemed to arise a feeling that they had been betrayed. They glowered with bent brows, but dangerously, upon some of the officers, more particularly upon the red-bearded one with the voice of triple brass.

However, the rear of the regiment was fringed with men who continued to shoot irritably at the advancing foes. They seemed resolved to make every trouble. The youthful lieutenant was perhaps the last man in the disordered mass. His forgotten back was toward the enemy. He had been shot in the arm. It hung straight and rigid. Occasionally he would cease to remember it and be about to emphasize an oath with a sweeping gesture. The multiplied pain caused him to swear with incredible power.

The youth went along with slipping, uncertain feet. He kept watchful eyes rearward. A scowl of mortification and rage was upon his face. He had thought of a fine revenge upon the officer who had referred to him and to his fellows as mule drivers. But he saw that it could not come to pass. His dreams had collapsed when the mule drivers, dwindling rapidly, had wavered and hesitated on the little clearing and then had recoiled. And now the retreat of the mule drivers was a march of shame to him.

A dagger-pointed gaze from without his blackened face was held toward the enemy, but his greater hatred was riveted upon the man who, not knowing him, had called him a mule driver.

When he knew that he and his comrades had failed to do anything in successful ways that might bring the little pangs of a kind of remorse upon the officer, the youth allowed the rage of the baffled to possess him. This cold officer upon a monument who dropped epithets unconcernedly down, would be finer as a dead man, he thought. So grievous did he think it that he could never possess the secret right to taunt truly in answer.

He had pictured red letters of curious revenge. "We are mule drivers, are we?" And now he was compelled to throw them away.

He presently wrapped his heart in the cloak of his pride and kept the flag erect. He harangued his fellows, pushing against their chests with his free hand. To those he knew well, he made frantic appeals, beseeching them by name. Between him and the lieutenant, scolding and near to losing his mind with rage, there was felt a subtle fellowship and equality. They supported each other in all manner of hoarse, howling protests.

But the regiment was a machine run down. The two men babbled at a forceless thing. The soldiers who had heart to go slowly were continually shaken in their resolves by a knowledge that comrades were slipping with speed back to the lines. It was difficult to think of reputation when others were thinking of skins. Wounded men were left, crying, on this black journey.

The smoke-fringes and flames blustered always. The youth, peering once through a sudden rift in a cloud, saw a brown mass of troops interwoven and magnified until they appeared to be thousands. A fierce-hued flag flashed before his vision.

Immediately, as if the uplifting of the smoke had been prearranged, the discovered troops burst into a rasping yell and a hundred flames jetted toward the retreating band. A rolling, gray cloud again interposed as the regiment doggedly replied. The youth had to depend again upon his misused ears which were trembling and buzzing from the melee of musketry and yells.

The way seemed eternal. In the clouded haze, men became panic-stricken with the thought that the regiment had lost its path and was proceeding in a perilous direction. Once the men who headed the wild procession turned and came pushing back against their comrades screaming that they were being fired upon from points which they had considered to be toward their own troops. A soldier who heretofore had been ambitious to make the regiment into a wise little band that would proceed calmly amid the huge-appearing difficulties, suddenly sank down and buried his face in his arms with an air of bowing to a doom. From another, a shrill lamentation rang out filled with profane allusions to a general. Men ran hither and thither seeking with their eyes roads of escape. With serene regularity as if controlled by a schedule, bullets buffed into men

The youth walked stolidly into the midst of the mob and, with his flag in his hands, took a stand as if he expected an attempt to push him to the ground. He unconsciously assumed the attitude of the color-bearer in the fight of the preceding day. He passed over his brow a hand that trembled. His breath did not come freely. He was choking during this small wait for the crisis.

His friend came to him. "Well, Flem, I guess this is good-by-John."

"Oh, shut up, you dammned fool," replied the youth and he would not look at the other.

The officers labored like politicians to beat the mass into a proper circle to face the menaces. The ground was uneven and torn. The men curled into depressions and fitted themselves snugly behind whatever would frustrate a bullet.

The youth noted with vague surprise that the lieutenant was standing mutely with his legs far apart and his sword held in the manner of a cane. The youth wondered what had happened to his vocal organs that he no more cursed.

There was something curious in this little intent pause of the lieutenant. He was like a babe which having wept its fill, raises its eyes and fixes upon a distant toy. He was engrossed in this contemplation and the soft under-lip quivered from self-whispered words.

Some lazy and ignorant smoke curled slowly. The men hiding from the bullets, waited anxiously for them to lift and disclose the plight of the regiment.

The silent ranks were suddenly thrilled by the eager voice of the youthful lieutenant bawling out: "Here they come. Right onto us, b' Gawd." His further words were lost in a roar of wicked thunder from the men's rifles.

The youth's eyes had instantly turned in the direction indicated by the awakened and agitated lieutenant, and he had seen the haze of treachery disclosing a body of soldiers of the enemy. They were so near that he could see their features. There was a recognition as he looked at the types of faces. Also he perceived with dim amazement that their uniforms were rather gay in effect, being light gray plentifully accented with a brilliant-hued facing. Too, the clothes seemed new.

These troops had apparently been going forward, with caution, their rifles held in readiness, when the youthful lieutenant had discovered them and their movement had been interrupted by the volley from the blue regiment. From the moment's glimpse, it was derived that they had been unaware of the proximity of their dark-suited foes, or, had mistaken the direction. Almost instantly, they were shut utterly from the youth's sight by the smoke from the energetic rifles of his companions. He strained his vision to learn the accomplishment of the volley, but the smoke hung before him.

The two bodies of troops exchanged blows in the manner of a pair of boxers. The fast, angry firings went back and forth. The men in blue were intent with the despair of their circumstances, and they seized upon the revenge to be had at close range. Their thunder swelled loud and valiant. Their curving front bristled with flashes and the place resounded with the clangor of their ramrods. The youth ducked and dodged for a time, and achieved a few unsatisfactory views of the enemy. There appeared to be many of them, and they were replying swiftly. They seemed moving toward the blue regiment step by step. He seated himself gloomily on the ground with his flag between his knees.

As he noted the vicious, wolf-like temper of his comrades he had a sweet thought that if the enemy was about to swallow the regimental broom as a large prisoner it could at least have the consolation of going down with bristles forward.

But the blows of the antagonist began to grow more weak. Fewer bullets ripped the air, and finally, when the men slackened to learn of the fight, they could see only dark, floating smoke. The regiment lay still and gazed. Presently some chance whim came to the pestering blur and it began to coil heavily away. The men saw a ground vacant of fighters. It would have been an empty stage if it were not for a few corpses that lay thrown and twisted into fantastic shapes upon the sward. At sight of this tableau many of the men in blue sprang from behind their covers and made an ungainly dance of joy. Their eyes burned and a hoarse cheer of elation broke from their dry lips.

It had begun to seem to them that events were trying to prove that they were impotent. Fate had evidently endeavored to demonstrate that the men could not fight well. When on the verge of submission to these opinions the small duel had showed them that the proportions were not impossible, and by it they had revenged themselves upon their misgivings and upon the foe.

The impetus of enthusiasm was theirs again. They gazed about them with looks of uplifted pride, feeling new trust in the grim always-confident weapons in their hands. And they were men.

CHAPTER XVI.

Presently they knew that no firing threatened them. All ways seemed once more opened to them. The dusty blue lines of their friends were disclosed a short distance away. In the distance there were many colossal noises, but in all this part of the field there was a sudden stillness.

They perceived that they were free. The depleted band drew a long breath of relief and gathered itself into a bunch to complete its trip.

In this last length of journey, the men began to show strange emotions. They hurried with nervous fear. Some who had been dark and unfaltering in the grimest moments now could not conceal an anxiety that made them frantic. It was, perhaps, that they dreaded to be killed in insignificant ways after the time for proper military deaths had passed. Or, perhaps, they thought it would be too ironical to get killed at the portals of safety. With backward looks of perturbation they hastened.

As they approached their own lines, there was some sarcasm exhibited on the part of a guant and bronzed regiment that lay resting in the shade of trees. Questions were wafted to them.

"Where th' hell yeh been?"

"What yeh comin' back fer?"

"Why didn't yeh stay there?"

"Was it warm out there, sonny?"

"Goin' home now, boys?"

One shouted in taunting mimicry: "Oh, mother, come quick an' look at th' soldiers!"

There was no reply from the bruised and battered regiment save that one man made broadcast challenges to fist-fights and the red-bearded officer walked rather near and glared in great swashbuckler style at a tall captain in the other regiment. But the lieutenant suppressed the man who wished to fist-fight, and the tall captain, flushing at the little fanfare of the red-bearded one, was obliged to look intently at some trees.

The youth's tender flesh was deeply stung by these remarks. From under his creased brows, he glowered with hate at the mockers. He meditated on a few revenges. Still, many in the regiment hung their heads in criminal fashion, so that it came to pass that the men trudged with sudden heaviness as if they bore upon their bended shoulders the coffin of their honor. And the youthful lieutenant recollecting himself began to mutter softly in black curses.

They turned, when they arrived at their old position, to regard the ground over which they had charged.

The youth, in this contemplation, was smitten with a large astonishment. He discovered that the distances, as compared with the brilliant measurings of his mind, were trivial and ridiculous. The stolid trees, where much had taken place, seemed incredibly near. The time, too, now that he reflected, he saw to have been short. He wondered at the number of emotions and events that had been crowded into such little spaces. Elfin thoughts must have exaggerated and enlarged everything, he said.

It seemed, then, that there was bitter justice in the speeches of the gaunt and bronzed veterans. He veiled a glance of disdain at his fellows who strewed the ground, choking with dust, red from perspiration, misty-eyed, dishevelled.

The men were gulping at their canteens, fierce to wring every mite of water from them. And they polished at their swollen and watery features with coat sleeves and bunches of grass. However, to the youth there was a considerable joy in musing upon his performances during the charge. He had had very little time, previously, in which to appreciate himself, so that there was now much satisfaction in quietly thinking of his actions. He recalled bits of color that in the flurry had stamped themselves unawares upon his engaged senses.

As the regiment lay heaving from its hot exertions, the officer who had named them as mule drivers came galloping along the line. He had lost his cap. His towsled hair streamed wildly and his face was dark with vexation and wrath. His temper was displayed with more clearness by the way in which he managed his horse. He jerked and wrenched savagely at his bridle, stopping the hard-breathing animal with a furious pull near the colonel of the regiment. He immediately exploded in reproaches which came unbidden to the ears of the men. They were suddenly alert, being always curious about black words between officers.

"Oh, thunder, MacChesmey, what an awful bull you made of this thing," began the officer. He attempted low tones, but his indignation caused certain of the men to learn the sense of his words. "What an awful mess you made. Good Lord, man, you stopped about a hundred feet this side of a very pretty success. If your men had gone a hundred feet further you would have made a great charge, but as it is what a lot of mud diggers you've got anyway."

The men, listening with bated breath, now turned their curious eyes upon the colonel. They had a ragamuffin interest in this affair.

The colonel was seen to straighten his form and put one hand forth in oratorical fashion. He wore an injured air; it was as if a deacon had been accused of stealing. The men were wiggling in an ecstasy of excitement.

But, of a sudden, the colonel's manner changed from that of a deacon to that of a Frenchman. He shrugged his shoulders. "Oh, well, general, we went as far as we could," he said, calmly.

"As far as you could? Did you, b'Gawd?" snorted the other. "Well, that wasn't very far, was it?" he added, with a glance of cold contempt into the other's eyes. "Not very far, I think. You were intended to make a diversion in favor of Whiterside. How well you succeeded, your own ears can tell you now." He wheeled his horse and rode stiffly away.

The colonel, bidden to hear the jarring noises of an engagement in the woods to the left, broke out in vague damnations.

The lieutenant, who had listened with an air of impotent rage to the interview, spoke suddenly in firm and undaunted tones: "I don't care what a man is—whether he is a general, or what—if he says th' boys didn't put up a good fight out there, he's a damned fool."

"Lieutenant," began the colonel, severely, "this is my own affair, and I'll trouble you—"

The lieutenant made an obedient gesture. "All right, colonel; all right," he said. He sat down, with an air of being content with himself.

The news that the regiment had been reproached went along the line. For a time the men were bewildered by it. "Good thunder!" they ejaculated, staring at the vanishing form of the general. They conceived it to be a huge mistake.

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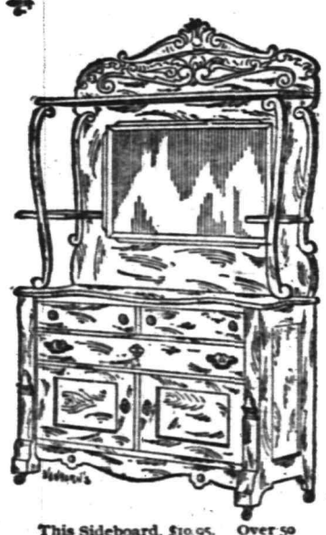
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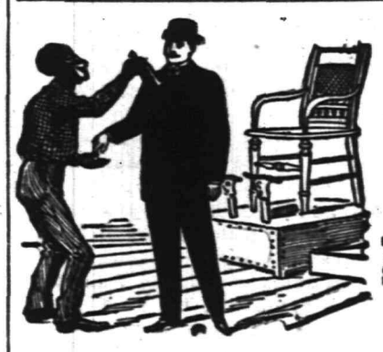
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Conviction of New York Usurers Will Probably Drive Others Out of Business.

New York, Nov. 17.—The sentencing by Justice Hinsdale in the court of special sessions yesterday of Wm. Millard and Edwrrd Doughty for usury to pay a fine of $200 and in default thereof to go to jail for thirty days is the first conviction under the law passed by the last legislature, and it is thought that it will have a good effect by driving other chattel mortgage money lenders out of the business. The two defendants made a loan to a Mrs. Lawrence. She borrowed the money to bury the body of a dead sister. In order to get the required $40, Mrs. Lawrence proved, she had to give a mortgage for $70 on her furniture. She repaid $55 and then went to pay the remaining $15. This they refused to accept, owing, they said, to the fact that her payments had lapsed, and as she had put them to a great deal of trouble $15 additional, or $30 besides the $55 already paid, would be required to discharge the mortgage. They had but a flimsy defense. They contended that Mrs. Lawrence had borrowed $70, and that all they had received was legal interest. The application for the loan, the check paid and other papers which would have established the true facts in the case beyond question, the defendants said, had been either lost or mislaid, and they were unable to produce them.

ALL DOING WELL.

The Four Persons Injured in the New York Elevator Accident in No Danger.

New York, Nov. 17.—The four persons who were injured by the fall of the elevator in the American Tract society's building yesterday are doing well and resting comfortably this morning except H. A. Ludlam, who had both legs broken, and even he is in no danger. The other seven occupants of the car, which fell 140 feet, escaped with a shaking up. The accident was caused by the disarrangement of one of the parts of the pump which supplies water for the hydraulic pressure. The gasket blew out, and therefore there was no power for the elevator operator.

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Presently, however, they began to believe that in truth their efforts had been called light. The youth could see this conviction weigh upon the entire regiment until the men were like cuffed and cursed animals, but, withal, rebellious.

The friend, with a grievance in his eye, went to the youth. "I wonder what he does want," he said. "He must think we went out there an' played marbles. I never see sech a man."

The youth developed a tranquil philosophy for these moments of irritation. "Oh, well," he rejoined. "he probably didn't see nothing of it at all and got mad as blazes and concluded we were a lot of sheep just because we didn't do what he wanted done. It's a pity old Grandpa Henderson got killed yesterday. He would have known that we did our best and fought good. It's just our awful luck, that's what."

"I should say so," replied the friend. He seemed to be deeply wounded at an injustice. "I should say we did have awful luck. There's no fun in fightin' fer people when everything yeh do—no matter what—ain't done right. I have a notion t' stay behind next time and let 'em take their ol' charge an' go t' th' devil with it."

The youth spoke soothingly to his comrade. "Well, we both did good. I'd like to see the fool what'd say we didn't do as good as we could."

"Of course we did," declared the friend stoutly. "An' I'd break the feller's neck if he was as big as a church. But we're all right, anyhow, fer I heard one feller say that we two fit th' best in th' reg'ment an' they had a great argyment 'bout it. Another feller, a course he had 't' up an' say it was a lie—he seen all what was goin' on an' he never seen us from th' beginnin' t' th' end. An' a lot more struck in an' ses it wasn't a lie—we did fight like thunder, an' they gave us quite a sendoff. But this is what I can't stand—these everlastin' ol' soldiers, titterin' an' laughin', an' then that general, he's crazy."

The youth exclaimed with sudden exasperation: "He's a lunkhead. He makes me mad. I wish he'd come along next time. We'd show 'im what—"

He ceased because several men had come hurrying up. Their faces expressed a bringing of great news.

"Oh, Flem, yeh jest oughta heard," cried one, eagerly.

"Heard what?" said the youth.

"Yeh jest oughta heard," repeated the other, as he arranged himself to tell his tidings. The others made an excited circle. "Well, sir, th' colonel met your lieutenant right by us—it was the derndest thing I ever heard—an' he ses: 'Ahem,' ses he, 'Mr. Hasbrouck,' he ses, 'by th' way, who was that lad what carried th' flag,' he ses. There, Flem, what do yeh think a that? 'Who was the lad what carried th' flag?' he ses, an' the lieutenant, he speaks up right away. 'That's Flemin', an' he's a Jimhickey,' he ses. Th' lieutenant, he ses: 'He's a Jimhickey,' and the colonel, he ses: 'Ahem, he is indeed a very good man t' have. He kep' th' flag way t' th' front. I saw 'im. He's a good 'un,' ses the colonel. 'You bet,' ses the lieutenant, 'he an' a feller named Wilson was at th' head a th' charge, an' howlin' like Indians, all the time,' he ses. 'Head a the charge all the time,' he ses. 'A feller named Wilson,' he ses. There, Wilson, m' boy, put that in a letter an' send it hum t' yer mother, hey? 'A feller named Wilson,' he ses. An' the colonel, he ses: 'Were they indeed? Ahem, ahem. My sakes,' he ses. 'At th' head o' th' reg'ment?' he ses. 'They were,' ses the lieutenant. 'My sakes,' ses the colonel. He ses: 'Well, well, well,' he ses, 'those two babies?' 'They were,' ses the lieutenant. 'Well, well,' ses the colonel, 'they deserve t' be major generals,' he ses. 'They deserve t' be major generals.'"

SEVERAL MEN CAME.

The youth and his friend said: "Huh." "Yer lyin', Thompson." "Oh, go to blazes." "He never said it." "Oh, what a lie." "Huh." But despite these youthful scoffings and embarrassments they knew that their faces were deeply flushing from thrills of pleasure. They exchanged a secret glance of joy and congratulation.

They speedily forgot many things. The past held no pictures of error and disappointment. They were very happy.

THE END.

Vaccinated Land.

Impoverished land is now "vaccinated" on the continent of Europe. It is generally known that land is enriched by planting it occasionally with a luguminous crop like clover or lucerne, the roots of which absorb more nitrogen than they take from the ground. Where the nitrogen came from was the problem. Messrs. Hellriegel and Willfarth have discovered that the absorbtion is due to minute organisms, a sort of disease in the roots, which, when the supply of nitrogen in the soil begins to fail, appear as an excrescence, draw nitrogen from the air, and so enrich the soil again. Experiments have been made in France and Germany to hasten the growth of the disease by sprinkling the fields with soil in which tuberculous crops have been grown or with water in which they have been steeped. In Prussia a field was sown with lupins; one part of it was then treated in the ordinary way, the other inoculated from an old lupin crop; the yield in the latter part was five and a half times as great as in the other.

"WHAT have you got there, Jimmieboy?" asked his teacher, observing that the small youth was playing behind the cover of his desk. "Two horse-chestnuts and one little pony-chestnut," said Jimmieboy.—Harper's Young People.

SPAIN'S NEW LOAN

Great Eagerness of the People To Assist Their Government.

WILL BE LARGELY OVER-SUBSCRIBED

Offerings Already Amount to About $100,000,000—Extra Counters Placed in the Bank of Spain To Accommodate the Crush of Applicants.

Madrid, Nov. 17.—As previously stated in the dispatches of the United Associated Presses, the greatest eagerness is displayed by all classes of Spaniards to subscribe for the new internal loan. There has been a great crush of people at the offices in this city of the Bank of Spain, which is handling the loan, all anxious to subscribe for the new issue. The bank was open Sunday in order to accommodate would-be subscribers, and it was found that the ordinary facilities were not sufficient to transact its business. Twenty special counters were therefore put in use. The bank and its various branches in the principal cities of Spain have alone received subscriptions to the amount of 241,000,000 pesetas. It is estimated that the total applications so far amount to 500,000,000 pesetas. The amount of the loan is 250,000,000 pesetas, about $50,000,000, and there is no doubt that the issue will be very largely over-subscribed, owing to the unusual methods employed to arouse the patriotism of the people.

THE NATIONAL GRANGE.

Proceedings of the Second Week Opened Before the Convention in Washington.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The national grange began the second day's proceedings of the second week's session this morning. Yesterday was taken up with the introduction of resolutions in regard to appointment of a secretary of agriculture, the Nicaraguan canal and equal protection for agriculture. Delegate Robinson of Canada gave an address upon the history and scope of the grange in Canada. Interstate Commerce Commissioner Knapp addressed the grange on the relationship of railroads to the farmers, the government and the public generally. Among other things Mr. Knapp impressed upon his hearers the importance of government control; to compel the impartiality of rates for all classes and individuals. He alluded to the difficulties under which the commission had labored, and said that the evil effects of failure to enforce equality were now becoming evident.

K. of L. To Meet Next at Louisville.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 17.—There was considerable friendly rivalry over the selection of a city in which to hold the next meeting of the general assembly of the Knights of Labor. Four ballots were taken and they showed the fight was between Louisville and Boston, with the former in the lead. On the first ballot the vote stood: Louisville, 17; Boston, 13; Baltimore, 10; Butte City, 4; San Francisco, 4; Chattanooga, 2; Montreal, 6; Little Rock, 4, and none for Omaha. The last ballot gave Louisville 34, and resulted in the selection of that city.

An Interesting Libel Suit.

Buffalo, Nov. 17.—The trial of senator Michael J. Coffey, accused of libel by ex-assemblyman Charles Schoepflin, began in the supreme court here this morning. It is exciting a great amount of interest and several New York politicians and newspaper men directly interested in it are present. Senator Coffey is accused of indirectly charging ex-Assemblyman Schoepflin of accepting a bribe, and the latter has sued for $50,000 damages.

Death of Charles W. Jenkins.

New York, Nov. 17.—Charles W. Jenkins, at one time a well-known portrait painter, who died suddenly yesterday afternoon at his residence in this city, was born 75 years ago in the village of Owasco, N. Y. He began the study of the art at the age of 14 years. While in the heyday of his fame he associated with Huntington, David B. Johnson and John Bristle, famous portrait painters of that day.

Can't Talk for Hiccoughs.

New York, Nov. 17.—The man who was taken to Bellevue hospital yesterday suffering from hiccoughs and so ill that he could not give his name is still unable to speak. The doctors there are treating him and hope that he will be able to talk soon. It is one of the worst cases of the disease that has been brought to the hospital in a long time.

$10,000,000 for the C. & N. P. Railroad.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—It is understood that the bondholders' committee of the Chicago & Northern Pacific railroad will make a bid of $10,000,000 for the property at the foreclosure sale today. They will assume the preferential mortgages, and this will bring the price up to $11,000,000.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The treasury gold reserve at the opening of business to-day stood at $124,580,751. There was withdrawn from the New York sub-treasury yesterday $2,000 in coin and $32,100 in bars, leaving a net gain for the day of $44,000.

Census of Occupations.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The report of Commissioner of Labors on classification of occupations relates to the census of 1890, and its interest is therefore largely dispelled, but a new census of occupations will soon be ordered.

Admiral Richards Dead.

London, Nov. 17.—Admiral Sir Frederick William Richards, a lord of the admiralty, is dead at Bath. He was 63 years of age.

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PUNTS AND PASSES.

The crowd of football enthusiasts that went to Westfield Saturday to encourage their team, had a great time coming home in the train. They yelled and cheered and owned the train completely.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

W. Gordon Williams, of East Front street, and Charles Clark, of Westfield, left early this morning for Piscataway, to spend the day hunting.

H. N. Spencer, Dr. Cooley and J. A. Smith, have returned from a hunting trip through Virginia. They brought with them a large quantity of game.

AMONG THE STEPEPRS.

Furst Brothers, of Cincinnati, sold at private sale Saturday to J. W. Arkell, of Westfield, their crack two-year-old running colt, Ben Brown, by Belvidere—imp. Miss Gossip. The price is not stated, but it is understood to be $7,500. Mr. Arkell is a member of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association, of this city.

Plainfield Represented.

The New York Society of Keramic Art annouces their fifth annual reception and exhibit to be held at The Waldorf, New York, Friday and Saturday, November 20th and 21st, from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. The banquet hall and state apartments of The Waldorf will be used for the exhibit, which will open with a reception. The attendants in the tea room will be young women costumed to represent the various porcelains. Souvenir cups will be sold with the tea. Mrs. Collis T. Pond, of Willow Avenue, the recording secretary of the society, and Mrs. Thos. Minford, of Watchung avenue, are members of the reception committee.

Lowrie Received a Letter From Hobart.

Lewis Lowrie, the genial porter at Armstrong's pharmacy, is now wearing a larger smile than ever, for he has just received a letter from Vice-President Elect Garret A. Hobart. The latter acknowledges the receipt of a copy of The Daily Press and says that he considered it an honor to have Mr. Lowrie's son named after him and hoped the boy would be a credit to his parents. He sent his photograph with the letter.

An Eyworth League Rally.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a rally in Vincent chapel on Friday night. There will be an address and a programme of instrumental and vocal music. The leagues of this city, Dunellen and Westfield have been invited.

Ex-Councilman Ernest R. Ackerman, of West Seventh street, left this morning to spend a few days in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bovey, of Brooklyn, were the guests, Sunday, of Mr. Bovey's parents, Mr. aud Mrs. J. B. Bovey, of Somerset street.

The attendance at the gymnasium classes of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday was larger than ever before. There were twenty-two at the business men's class in the afternoon, while the evening class numbered twenty four.

—E. P. Gavin, of Nortn Plainfield, has a new milk wagon.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve accord ctions. Its magic-like actio you. L.W. Randolph, nt st.

Mr. Newcorn Not a Candidate.

To the Editor of The Daily Press—It having been brought to my notice that my name is being used in connection with the office of city treasurer, I desire to inform my friends and the general public that I have not been nor am now an aspirant for any office within the gift of the citizens of Plainfield. Thanking my friends and well-wishers for their kind disposition,

William Newcorn.

Wants the Dogs Kept Still.

To the Editor of The Daily Press: If the Town Improvement Society or any one of its members could spare the time to walk along East Front street any pleasant night, say at midnight, and listen to the howling and yelping dogs, there would undoubtedly be a chance to establish a new society far more preferable than the one for the cremation of leaves.

A Resident.

Expensive Shooting.

Henry Clay Randolph's efforts to capture some of those who tramp over his property in shooting expeditions, have been successful. Louis Darling, who has been a neighbor of the complainant for years, was brought before Justice Nash and fined $5. An Italian named Sullivan was fined the same amount on a similar charge.

An Infants Death.

Little Katherine Sebring, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H Sebring, of 231 LaGrande avenue, died at their home last evening after a short illness. Her age was eleven months and sixteen days. The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Demands on the Poor Fund.

Overseer of the Poor Decker, of Weftfield, reports that the demands upon the poor funds are numerous, and he fears that the appropriations will be exhausted before the end of the year.

Laid Over for a Term.

The case of McClintock against Smalley, which was tried before Judge McCormick at Elizabeth yesterday, was laid over until the December term of court.

Rumors Untrue

The Police Board have investigated the rumors that a policeman had assaulted his wife, and find that they were without foundation.

Still in a Critical Condition.

The condition of Mrs. Phillip Radin, who was so badly burned Saturday, remains about the same.

—The Home Building and Loan Association held its regular monthly meeting last evening. The subscription to the eighteenth or last series now amounts to 250 shares. The sale of money amounted to $8,400 in three loans.

—The educational committee of the Co-operative Association will hold a general meeting tomorrow night at the store to discuss the subject "Resolved, that co-operation is better than competition." The public is invited.

—In Justice Newcorn's court this morning judgment was given the plaintiff in the case of Griffin against DeLaney. The following summons were also issued: Ivins & Co against Arthur, Ivins & Co. against Hartley, Henry against Conley, all returnable November 24th.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Ladies Aid society of Warren chapel met in the church parlors this afternoon.

—Woolston & Buckle have the contract for the painting of Mrs. Morgan Taylor's house on Rockview Terrace.

—The Ladies' Aid Association of Warren chapel are holding a sewing meeting this afternoon in the chapel.

—A sociable will be held in Warren chapel at an early date, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor society.

—The Order of Railway Telegraphers will hold a big reception and dance at the Crescent Cycle Academy tonight.

—The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First M. E. church will hold a "dime social" this evening in Vincent chapel.

—By actual count thirty seven persons ran to board the 7:58 train this morning, after the train was fairly under way.

—A New York art club reception will be held at the Waldorf on Friday evening and a number of the art students of this city will attend.

—The Junior League of the Monroe Avenue chapel will hold an entertainment on Tuesday, November 21th A small admission will be charged.

—The regular meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., will be held this evening, at which time eight members will be initiated.

—The Advance Circle, King's Daughters, of the First Presbyterian church, will hold a turkey supper on Thursday afternoon and evening, December 3d.

—The Oriental team of Crescent Division, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, will go to Bound Brook on Thanksgiving and form an Oriental Council there.

—Rev. A. B. Simpson, the well known missionary worker, will speak at the meeting of the Plainfield Branch of the Christian Alliance next Tuesday next.

—"Paul, the Convert," will be the subject of Bible study in the class to be conducted by William D. Murray at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening. All men interested are invited.

—The term of criminal case is now on in the Union County Court at Elizabeth, and it is thought that next week will finish the session, which has been a very long one—from the 7th of October.

—A young men's Bible class has recently been formed at the First Presbyterian church, and is being taught by Capt. Morrison. The class meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the chapel of the church and all young men are invited.

—A 32½ pound white feathered turkey is being carefully feasted by Henry Graceley, of the Manhattan Hotel, who expects to feast on the "turk" Thanksgiving. The bird is a fine one, and can be seen almost any time perched on a grape arbor in deep thought.

—A colored man who claimed to live at Short Hills, and said he registered in the Second ward, dropped a fifty pound bag of flour on the car track, on East Front street near Watchung avenue, last evening. He gathered up all the flour he could and then started for home. This morning he could have been traced several blocks by the leakage.

—The grand ball of the New Jersey Central Railroad telegraphers in the Cycle Academy this evening promises to be a most enjoyable affair, and a very large attendance is assured by the advance sale of tickets. Nearly every telegraph operator belween Jersey City and Easton and those on the Long Branch and other divisions, will be present with their wife or best girl, and an evening of unalloyed pleasure is assured.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., November 9th, 1896.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Relating to the Construction of Buildings," approved January 3d, 1896.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That Section 12 of the Ordinance entitled as aforesaid, be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the words, "and the several component parts of such building shall be as hereinafter provided," where they occur in the first paragraph of said section, the words following, that is to say: "provided that in all cases of wooden or frame dwelling houses within the fire limits which now have wooden or frame extensions of one story or more in height, the Building Inspector may grant a permit for the erection upon and above said existing extension of a new extension one or more stories in height, said new extension to have floor space not exceeding eighty square feet on each floor, and the room on each floor of said new extension to be used exclusively for the purpose of placing and using therein a wash basin, bath tub, and water closet, and appropriate apparatus to be used in connection therewith

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The Fourth Tuesday in November,

the 24th instant, and sit from 2 o'clock, p. m., until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

E. C. MULFORD,
AUG. SALTZMAN,
J. B. COWARD,
Commissioners.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 14, 1896— 11 14 10

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WARM IN THE FIRST, HOT IN THE SECOND.

A Riproaring Political Scrap in One Republican Primary.

THIRD AND FOURTH WARDS SERENE.

But the First Ward Was the Only One in Which an Opposition Ticket Went to a Vote—William N. Runyon Nominated for Councilman Mach Against the Will of Councilman Frost and His Cohorts—Results in All Wards.

In the Third and Fourth wards last night the Republican primaries were carried on without contest of the rule of administration faction, in the First ward there were some signs of opposition and an administration ticket was nominated but lightly supported, while in the Second ward the candidates nominated went in without opposition when the balloting time arrived, but before this there was a lively contest, and the result has given rise to considerable enemity between the various party leaders. The details of the primaries are given below:

FIRST WARD.

The First ward primary was largely attended and there was some mutterings of a contest in the by-talk and actions of some of the attendants before the meeting was called to order, but when the vote came anti administration people were in a very small minority. The primary was called to order by J. Fred MacDonaid, who was made permanent chairman. The rest of the officers were: Secretary, R. F. R. Huntsman; judge, John H. Tier, Jr.; tellers, Lewis Dunham, Harry MacDonald. The first business taken up was the selection of eight delegates to the city convention. The following were the nominees, and the first eight are the administration delegates who were selected: H. C. VanEmburgh, 134; Benjamin Fredericks, 130; Alex. Sargent, 127; Wm. Addis, 124; Joseph Neal, 131; Fred Beckman, 133; Henry Peterson, 129; John H. Tier, Jr., 127; C. H. Rugg, 14; Geo. W. Moore, 14; John Rowland, 16; A. D. Mallinson, 13; J. E. Flannery, 18; H. C. Corsa, 13; Amos Andrews, 13. Since the vote was so large it was moved and adopted that the balloting for the rest of the offices be continued and the votes counted at the conclusion of all voting. For Councilman the following nominations and votes were made, the first named securing the honor, as was expected: Charles J. Newman, 122; C. H. Rugg, 24; Dr. A. W. Anderson, 4. U. B. Crane was unanimously nominated for justice of the peace, and F. Beckman unanimously for constable. The following were unanimously made members of the Republican city executive committee: J. B. Coward, W. R Codington and Albert Barber. The delegates were empowered to fill any vacancies that might occur in their number.

SECOND WARD.

Everybody expected a fight in the Second ward primary last night, for it was known that there was a split among the leaders and that each side was preparing to support their rival candidates. The greatest conflict was expected to be over the nomination of Councilman.

The primary was held in the Bryant School building and there was an unusual amount of button-holing and whispered conversations before the meeting opened. The attendance was large, 122 voters being present, among whom were to be noticed a number of men who have heretofore been identified with the Democratic party, but who, in the recent campaign, espoused the cause of McKinley.

The meeting was called to order by George D. Patten, of the city executive committee, and Geo. H. Goddard was elected chairman and Arthur C. Baynon, clerk. Mr. Baynon read the call and then the officers of the primary were elected. W. H. Drayton was made judge and the two inspectors were, J. Winthrop Travell and W. W. Croom.

Councilman J. B. Dumont evidently wanted the excitement over at once for he moved that the Councilman be nominated first. When nominations were called for, H. R. Ayers and Councilman George H. Frost were on their feet in a moment and in the same breath, almost, Mr. Ayers named William N. Runyon and Mr. Frost named E. H. Ladd, Jr. Charles V. Corwin arose to second Mr. Runyon's nomination and stated that Mr. Ladd was a "mugwump" and voted for Cleveland in '92. He said he thought that there were enough good staunch Republicans in the ward to chose from instead of putting up a man whose allegiance to the party was not sure. There was a general opinion that the fight had started most vigorously when Mr. Dumont brought all to a sudden end by stating that he was authorized by

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JUDGE NASH NOW ON TOP

THE SECOND WARD KNOCKS OUT THE "PARLOR CIRCLE."

There Was Plenty of Fun in the Second Ward Primary Last Night—What a Sound-Money Democrat Thought of It.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—The Republican primary of the Second ward last evening at the Bryant schoolhouse was a corker! As a Gold-Money Democrat of the Third ward I went over to help "Billy." It was a "monkey and a parrot" time; a regular Waterloo. All the old "Parlor Circle" were studying astronomy at the Crescent Avenue church lecture course. The "few old and tried" standard bearers who did attend were turned down in beautiful style—and saw stars before the meeting was over.

Justice Nash was again on top. A year ago he was "downed," but it was "chestnuts in his pocket" last night that "Billy" turned out.

For once all hands were strange bedfellows. Guttridge, of Netherwood, was fighting the ticket bearing his name. He stood in the doorway of the old schoolroom looking at the figures on the blackboard to learn just where he was at.

Major Miller and Charles Corwin had a "scrap" over Grover Cleveland. The darkies attempted to defeat Justice Nash, believing he had discriminated them in regard to collecting their back taxes.

Councilman Frost and Councilman Dumont attempted to outspeak each other in presenting their candidate, Mr. Ladd.

"Brother" Lovell was in doubt as to Democrats being allowed to participate in the primary proceedings which greatly disturbed the presiding officer, Mr. George Goddard, who was told by some one in the audience that any one could vote providing he intended to vote the ticket at the next election. That was where we gold Democrats came in and helped elect "Billy." It didn't seem to make much difference that some of us came from the Third ward.

All seemed to be forgiven when Spangenberg of "Big Six" fame was elected a delegate to the City Convention.

The young Republicans, it seemed to me, did good work last evening and I have no doubt will next year attend all the Common Council meetings to hear "Billy" sing and shout. It will not make much difference to the tax payers if it interests the "boys." It was richness itself to see Justice Nash march "Billy" in from the lobby to decline to act on the 'City Committee," in place of Mr. Patton who was willing to continue to disburse "the patronage" to the "poor and needy."

Revolutions come and go but I am sure that the Second ward "politics" is in good hands. Nash, Patton, Drayton and Corwin is the style of the new firm who propose doing business at the old stand. "Billy" gets the nomination and election, but who is responsible for the defeat of his "good friends?".

Already it is said in a whisper that all the trouble arouse from Charlie Fisk's interferring in the Second ward. But when Charlie is Mayor who will look after the "finances" in the Common Council with Dumont in the chair? "John" will have to connect a telephone to each of the members seats and pull more wires than he ever has done before.

Joking aside, my dear Mr. Editor, there was more fun last night in the old Bryant school house than was taken up in the collection for the benefit of the school janitor, even though it was in Mr. Bowen's hat.

Old Fashioned Palmer Democrat.

DUNELLEN'S POSTMASTERSHIP.

Several Candidates All Ready Looking for Appointment.

There are four candidates for the postoffice in Dunellen all ready. Thomas Tood thinks he would like to have it, although he has voted the Prohibition ticket for the past ten years until he voted for McKinley. Adam Dealaman is another candidate, as well as Charlie Dickenson, the mail-carrier, and last, but not least, Paul Kratzel thinks his chances are good and that he would make an efficient postmaster. He has always been a good Democrat until this fall. The office will not be vacant until next October, and before that time, no doubt, there will be many more who will want the postmastership.

Mrs. Lawrence Wins Again.

In Union County Court this morning in the case of Ford against Lawrence, for recovery of wages as a domestic, Judge McCormick sustained the decision of Justice Nash, which was in favor of the defendent and awarded costs. This is a very interesting case to all people who employ held, and full particulars will be published in tomorrow's Press.

THE LIGHT OF OLD SOL.

SECOND OF THE SERIES OF THE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURES.

Professor Prentiss Talks of the Sun's Light and Heat—Difficult to Explain But He Made it Quite Clear of Comprehension.

The second illustrated lecture on astronomy in the University Extension course was delivered by Professor Prentiss last night, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, and was very well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The subject was "The Sun," as on last Tuesday, but treated in an entirely different manner, taking up spectrum analysis and the sun's light and heat. This was a difficult subject to explain to a popular audience, but Prof. Prentiss explained it in such a way as to make it perfectly clear and comprehensible to everyone,

"So far," he said, in opening, "our knowledge of the sun has been derived from the use of the telescope. Evidence of an entirely different kind and of very great importance is furnished by spectrum analysis, the instrument used in this method being the specroscope."

Spectrum analysis is a mode of distinguishing the various species of matter by the light proceeding from each. The light may have its source a foot away in our laboratories, or billions of miles distant in the stars, the results are the same. The first picture thrown upon Professor Prentiss' screen was that of Sir Isaac Newton, whose discovery it was that when a beam of sunlight passed through a prism and fell on a screen, it was spread out into a band of colors arranged as in a rainbow. This band of colors is called a continuous spectrum. Wollaston, another scientist, found that in the sun's spectrum the colors were separated by a few dark spaces, and that light from different sources gave different dark spaces. Fraunhofer, whose picture was also shown, viewed the spectrum with a telescope. He became convinced that the dark lines owed their origin to the nature of the sun's light. Different lights gave different spectre.

Prof. Printiss then showed pictures of the modern spectroscope, which consists of a collimater, a tube which receives the light to be examined, a prism or a train of prisms, and a view-telescope, through which the student views the spectrum. He also had an instrument mounted upon a table during the conversation class, which was eagerly examined by all.

It is now known that the sun's light must be produced by the vivid lights of liquids or solids shining through a flame of mixed vapors. Each element has its own peculiar lines in the spectrum, and a comparison of the sun's spectrum with the spectra of various substances in the laboratories shows thirty-six chemical elements, all metals except hydrogen, to be found in the sun. Spectroscopic investigation of the chromosphere reveals the prominences in their various forms and colors, and shows them to consist mainly of hydrogen mixed with helium, a substance which until lately was supposed not to exist in terrestrial substances.

The quantity of sunlight equals that which would be derived from 1,575 billions of standard candles at the distance of the sun. The sun's surface is 150 times as bright as the line light, and four or five times as bright as the electric arc-light. The darkest part of a solar spot outshines the line light. Different parts of the sun's face vary in brightness, the limp being darkened by the absorption of the sun's atmosphere. The real color of the sun is blue.

If the amount of the sun's heat which falls on a square yard of the earth's surface could be converted into energy utilizable by properly constructed machinery, it would furnish continuously one-eighth of one horse-power. The radiation of heat at the sun's surface is beyond comprehension but not beyond computation. To sustain it would require the hourly combustion of one ton of coal per square foot of surface. Experiments with a burning glass show that the sun is hotter than any terrestrial source of heat. The temperature is inferred to be about 18,000 F.

Various theories of the maintenance of the sun's heat have been advanced, but the one most widely accepted is that of the slow but steady contraction of the sun. This theory points back to a time when the condition of the solar system was totally different from the present, and also forward to a time, millions of years to come, when the sun will no longer give out sufficient light and heat to support organic life on the earth.

Independent, but a G. O. P. Delegate.

Ex-Councilman Spangenberg desires The Daily Press to state that in city politics he is an independent.

AIM OF CHRISTIAN LIFE.

UNITARIAN WOMEN MEET AND DISCUSS PRACTICAL RELIGION.

The Aim of Life Should be to Glorify God Above All Things Else—People are Better Fitted to Live and Die Then.

The Plainfield Branch Alliance of Unitarian and Other Liberal Christian Women held their first meeting for the season yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in All Souls' church. The members will hold a series of meeting this winter and discuss subjects under the topic of "Religion for Week Days." The subject introduced yesterday was "The Aim of Life" and it was sub-divided as follows: "To Glorify God and Enjoy Him Forever," "Self-Culture," "Philanthropy," "The Nearest Duty" and "The Kingdom of Heaven." Mrs. David P. Hall presided and Mrs. Krom acted as secretary.

The several members present discussed the subjects with much enthusiasm. It was held that the aim of life should be to glorify God above all things else and then a person would be better fitted to live. The members considered that self-culture was not always born in a person, but was a thing to be cultivated. Emerson was mentioned as a representative of self culture. Another strong point advanced was that self-culture was by all means a duty to be exercised by every person. One member thought it would be well for mothers to teach their daughters to wear less embroidery and button their own shoes, instead of allowing them to think that these duties are not important. It was thought that men with fine intellects often choose women who are not so intellectual.

Under the head of "Philanthrophy," it was stated that many abused the principles of it. "Nearest Duty" was discussed quite generally. One important point was brought out, that the smallest deed should receive as much attention as the greatest and thus the larger things would be accomplished. The last subject, "The Kingdom of God," was made an important one and all agreed that if all lived up to the requirements of the other subjects they would certainly have title to "The Kingdom of God"

The next meeting will be held December 15th and the topic will be "Domestic Service."

TWO CLEVER DIALOGUES

MONROE AVENUE CHAPEL ENTERTAINMENT A SUCCESS.

The Various Numbers on the Programme Were Executed With Finish and Pleased the Audience Very Much.

As is characteristic with entertainments at the Monroe Avenue chapel, the entertainment given there last evening by the Ladies Aid Society of the chapel was a delightful one and a decided success. It was gotten up and given by home talent which made the dialogues and tableaux all the more pleasing.

The dialogue "Mrs. Podberry's Views on Education" was given by Miss Brower, Mrs. VanPelt and several children. The other dialogue, "Aunt Betsey's Beaux," included Miss Mary Beekman, Miss Ada Wenzel, Miss Bertha Wenzel, Miss Lizzie Foster and L. C. Batson. In the tableaux "The Harvest Field," a quartette cemposed of Mrs. Brown, Miss Florence Burt, L. C. Batson and Walter McGee, sang.

The programme was as follows: Piano duet, Stephen Haff and Mrs. Haff; recitation, Miss Haberly; vocal solo, Miss Filmer; recitation, Mr. Staats; violin solo, Mr. Petrie; dialogue, "Mrs. Podberry's Views on Education;" piano solo, Miss Charlotte Aldrich; recitation, Miss Edith L. Burt; violin solo, Mr. Petrie; dialogue, "Aunt Betsy's Beaux;" recitation, Walter McGee; piano solo, Stephen Haff; tableaux, "The Harvest Field;" tableau, "Young America." "Young America" was represented by Victor Houston. During the tableaux the platform was illuminated with red fire.

After the feast for the mind, the visitors were invited to feast their bodies on ice cream and cake and thereby increase the funds in the treasury of the Ladies' Aid Society. They adjourned to the smaller rooms at the side of the chapel, where the good things were served by the members of the society under the direction of their president, Mrs. LaRue.

Went to Jail.

John Dorgan was sent to Elizabeth jail this morning for thirty days, as he failed to pay the required fine of $10. Sergeant Keily arrested him on West Second street last evening for being drunk and disorderly, shouting and otherwise disturbing the peace. It was his third offence, so Judge DeMeza made it $10 or 30 days.

A BRILLIANT WEDDING.

FORMER UNITED STATES COUNSEL WEDS A PLAINFIELD BELLE.

The Bride Was Miss Maud Helen Henderson and the Groom Frederick M. Ryder, of New Haven—Guests Present.

The most brilliant society event of the season took place last evening at 6.30 when Miss Maude Helen Henderson, daughter of Mrs. Archibald Henderson, of 514 West Seventn street, and Frederick M. Ryder, manager and treasurer of the Evening Leader Company, of New Haven, Conn., were united in marriage at the home of the bride by the Rev. George Williamson Smith, president of Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. The affair was one of remarkable charm, and the number of distinguished guests present gave it an incomparable prestige seldom witnessed in this city. The home was exquisitely decorated with Southern smilax, palms and chrysanthemums. As the guests entered the reception room they found themselves surrounded by a profusion of smilax and palms arranged in a most attractive manner. Behind a massive bower of vine and stately palms were seated the orchestra which discoursed a select classical programme. The parlor was a scene of rare loveliness.

The Southern smilax, palms and chrysanthemums were so arranged as to represent an altar and the effect was grand. In the centre an opening was left for the bride an groom to kneel. The beautiful and impressive strains of Lohengrin's wedding march were heard and at the same time the bridal party entered. The charming bride, gowned exquisitely in white satin, cut court train, trimmed with old point lace, a family heir loom, and wearing a veil, passed through the reception room and entered the parlor from the dining room. She was attended by Miss Constance B. Holt, of New York City, as maid of honor, who was richly gowned in pale green silk, trimmed with embroidered chiffon.

The groom, accompanied by his brother, Edmund H. Ryder, of Montreal, as best man, entered the parlor, from the reception room and the bridal party met at the altar where the ceremony was performed, during which favorite strains were rendered by the orchestra.

The bride was given away by her brother, Archibald Henderson, of Plainfield. The favorite Episcopal service was used in its entirety, and the congratulations were showered upon the happy couple after the ceremony. The supper which followed was complete in every particular. An admiring feature was the table decorations, consisting of a profusion of the choicest pink roses. The reception which followed was truly delightful. Mr. and Mrs. Ryder left during the evening on a bridal tour, and when they departed they were recipient of a large quantity of rice. On their return they will reside in New Haven.

The groom served the United States as Consul at Quebec under the administration of President Harrison, and distinguished himself for his able service. There were many notable guests present, including United States Senator O. S. Platt, of Meridan Conn.; Congressman Lemuel E. Quigg and wife, Col. and Mrs. W. S. Coggswell, of New York; Hon. James Graham, of New Haven; Commodore James D. Smith, of Stamford, Conn; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Robinson, of Kansas City. Other guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. Enos Wilder, Miss Wilder, Robert S. Holt, Henry R. McMurray and family, James A. Flurry, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Livingston, of New York; Miss Helen W Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, of Stamford, Conn; Charles E. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. F. Chillingsworth, W. H. Ely, of New Haven, Conn; W. M. Ryder, of Montreal, Canada; A. E Ryder, of Boston.

The gifts were numerous and valuable and consisted chiefly of silverware and gold. Music was furnished by Prof. Wack, of New York.

Death of James Praed.

James J. Praed, a well-known and respected resident of this city, died at his home on West Fourth street, yesterday afternoon, after a brief illness from heart trouble. Decedent was a clothier by trade, and was at one time a resident on Madison avenue, but a few years ago he took possession of the West Fourth street house, where he continued up to the time of his sudden and unexpected illness. He was sixty-one years of age, and leaves a family. Notice of funeral appears in another column.

Gave the Editor a Verdict.

Justice Newcorn has given his decision in the case of Porter against Fett. He allowed the plaintiff $61.50 and costs. No notice of appeal has as yet been given.

MOTHER AND TOTS DESTITUTE AND POOR.

Pitiable Condition of the Family of the Late Jeptha Wagoner.

LIVE IN A COLD AND BARREN HOUSE.

It Seemed as Though the Faults of the Father Had Descended With Cruel Force on His Widow and Children.—Left Without the Actual Necessities of Life.—No One to Appeal to But a Charitable Public—Children Go to a Benevolent Institution

Over in the valley beyond the Watchung mountain, where the bleak winds blow and avenues of ingress and egress become choked and blocked with great piles of snow soon to come in the approaching winter months, lives a mother and three children—widow and fatherless destitute and in want. Bowed down with grief at the blow of death hurled down on their only protector—poor, though he was, but still better than none—the heralds of a merciless winter are evidenced in the frosty mornings, chilly evenings, and barren fields where nature's growth is stifled and hibernating.

While the sturdy neighbors are prepared for this siege of the season's evolution with well-filled cupboards and accumulated fuel to soften the ravages of winter, this little group of mother and three tots are left forlorn and dependent on the good will of their more prosperous and fortunate neighbors for the necessities of life.

Huddled together in a squatty, rickety old house, shaking like an aspen leaf when the winds blow, the cracks inviting the chilly blasts to invade and chill its occupants to the marrow; the roof a veritable sieve every time the rain falls, and leaving a damp, musty smell in its wake; the floor decayed in one spot and rough in another; in fact, the whole interior more of a pen than a home, Mrs. Jeptha Wagoner and her three children are objects of pity.

The erratic and flighty characteristics of Jeptha Wagoner are too well well known to many Plainfielders to need repetition, but now it seems as though the faults of the husband and father have fell with crushing force on the family he has left and they are buffeting about on the cold charity of the world; and, just at present, it is very cold, indeed.

Four years ago Wagoner leased a little patch of ground and a house from Michael Marcely in Warren township. His advancing years and general lack of knowing how to manage soon got him into the slough of despond and things went from bad to worse, until finally he was unable to provide for his family. Charitable neighbors helped the family along till Mrs. Wagoner, who was forty years younger than her husband, went out in domestic service and sent home what little earnings she could for the upport of her incapable husband and dependent children. The oldest girl also entered the employ of a Washingtonville family as a servant, but this was a slight relief on the demands of the family and things continued to grow worse in the Wagoner home. But some how or another they eked out an existence. Then one day Wagoner ascended to the roof of the house to stop its leaking and his foot slipped. Before he could catch himself he had fell with terrible force on to a pile of stones at the side of the house. Bruised, bleeding and generally battered up he was carried into the house, where he lingered between life and death till last Saturday when he breathed his last.

The accident made it necessary for Mrs. Wagoner to leave her position and come home to administer to the injuries of her aged husband. Deprived of the money that she had heretofore earned, and with a demand for many things for the injured man—only the most imperative of which were got—the poormaster of the township was appealed to, and apportioned to them what he could of the poor funds, but at the most it was very meagre under the circumstances. Wagoner suffered for lack of proper medicine and treatment and the whole family was deprived of actual necessities of life. Then the father died. Perhaps it was just as well, because he was not of much use to them alive.

It is said that no undertaker came to look after his remains until yesterday, when they were hastily put into a rude casket and, after a short ceremony, laid away in the cold earth.

There were no sympathizing friends to meet the bereaved mother and children when they returned home, to condole with them or to make them a cup of tea or provide a few tasty dishes with which to recuperate and invigorate their sorrowing bodies and minds. And beyond the deplorable fact that the friends were lacking,

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CRISIS NEAR AT HAND

Opinion in Washington Regarding the Cuban Insurrection.

LEE CALLS ON THE PRESIDENT

Officials Still Disclaim Any Thought of Trouble with Spain, But Certain Secret Movements Do Not Bear Out Their Statements.

Washington, Nov. 18. — Although officials here still assert that they apprehend no trouble with Spain over the Cuban question, the belief is general that matters are reaching a crisis, and from the movements of certain officers and the unusual activity at the navy yards and coast fortifications it is inferred that "something is in the wind." Consul General Lee held a private audience with the president last evening, and he will return to Washington from West Virginia, where he has gone on a visit, to-morrow or Friday for another interview with the president and Secretary Olney. Asked by a reporter when he expected to return to Havana he took refuge in his favorite phrase "quien sabe?" and this was his informal reply to all questions. For fear of misinterpretation the general invariably explained that this literally means "who knows?" or, rather, in his own case, "I have no idea." The consul-general appeared to attach considerable significance to the report cabled from Havana that Gen. Weyler was expected back in Havana this week, and he was disposed to think the report accurate. But the most searching inquiry failed to develope in just what direction the significance lay, whether it might be taken as a positive indication that Weyler's returning from the field meant the failure of his campaign or its partial success. Whether Gen. Lee has given any more definite opinion to the president or Secretary Olney cannot be wrung from him by his closest personal acquaintances. It is, however, plausibly explained that Gen. Campos was severely criticized for keeping the field during the ten years' war, and that Gen. Weyler could advantageously resume his headquarters at Havana if he had passed with large bodies of troops through the insurgents' stronghold and had been unable to force a battle. In that event he would be compelled to divide his forces into numerous small contingents to operate against the smaller bands of insurgents, and in that kind of warfare his immediate presence on the field would be not only superfluous, but unwise. In the field, under such circumstances, he could not keep in communication with all his forces, but from Havana he could telegraphically control his troops throughout the island. If it is true that Maceo, as has been predicted, has declined to hold his men in one place and give open battle to the greater Spanish forces, then it is claimed Weyler was warranted in trusting the campaign to subordinates. If, on the other hand, so expert a tactician as Gen. Lee, who appears from conversation to have acquired a thorough geopraphical knowledge of the fihting ground, has concluded that Weyler's return shows that Maceo cannot be conquered quickly, if at all, that the insurgent position has been found impregnable, and that further reinforcements must be furnished from Spain the situation loses none of its gravity. There are good grounds for believing that Gen. Lee's report to officials on this point is not altogether different from the "quien sabe" he vouchsafes to others, but on this point he is as non-committal as his superiors.

WEYLER'S CAMPAIGN.

The Spanish Minister Says He Is Still Advancing and Meeting with Success.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The Duke of Tetuan cabled the Spanish minister here last night as follows: "Gen. Weyler continues his advance through the hills. He has taken many prisoners left behind by the retreating bands in great distress. The movement is from Mariel to Bahia Honda and thence to Candelaria. Maceo is retreating and avoiding a fight." Minister Dupuy de Lome infers from the dispatch that Gen. Weyler does not seem to be thinking of a hasty return to Havana, although the dispersion of Maceo's band from the hills simplifies the insurrection as far as Pinar del Rio is concerned. There is nothing to show that any insurgents have attempted to cross the trocha.

The Mysterious Bermuda Again To Sail.

New York, Nov. 18.—The steamer Bermuda, now taking on coal in Brooklyn, and believed by many to be preparing to make another visit to Cuba, is now said to be about to sail for Halifax, where her owners are hopeful of obtaining a British register for her. At Halifax she will take on a general cargo for Manchester, from which port she will clear for the West Indies.

John D. Hart Indicted.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—The grand jury in the United States district court has found three indictments against John D. Hart for his connection or alleged connection with various filibustering expeditions to Cuba. Mr. Hart has already been arrested several times for filibustering, but heretofore the government has failed to prove its case against him.

Death of William L. Bartlett.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—Wm. T. Bartlett, treasurer of the Union Trust company, who died yesterday afternoon, was a prominent figure in business circles here for about fifty years, and was at one time secretary of the New Haven & New London railroad. He leaves a widow and four children.

ANGLICAN ORDERS

Bishop Doane's Reply to the Pope's Recent Pronouncement.

GLAD HE DENIED THEIR VALIDITY

Prevents Certain Anglican Priests, He Declares, from Falling into the Trap of Recognizing the Infallibility of the Bishop of Rome.

Albany, Nov. 18.—The Right Rev. William Croswell Doane, the Episcopal bishop of Albany, in his annual address delivered before the twenty-eighth annual convention of the diocese of Albany, said: "Somewhat remotely, and yet very really, we are concerned with the papal pronouncement on the subject of the validity of Anglican orders, and I have only to ask that certain facts in the case should be fairly considered. (a). No request for any such judgment was ever made by the Church of England or by anybody or person authorized to represent her. (b) The movement originated with certain Roman ecclesiastics in France, who sought for papal confirmation of their own convictions that the English orders are valid. (c) This request, inspiring the hope of a fuller understanding of the position of the English church, induced some earnest lay people and learned priests in England to further the inquiry by furnishing facts. (d.) The reply of the Bishop of Rome, addressed to his own people and not to us, is that the orders of the Church of England are, in the judgment of Rome, invalid. After the nine days' wonder has subsided, I fancy that this bull was past into the 'innocuous desuetude' which has entombed so many of its predecessors. But there are certain issues involved in the fact and in the manner of this decision which deserve notice among us. Two things are matters of congratulation: First, that the decision takes the form of a denial. The result to be feared was, that, by acknowledging our orders valid, Rome should have held out a temptation to certain Anglican priests to fall into the trap of recognizing first, the infallibility of the Bishop of Rome, because he had decided rightly in this case against the wishes of the Jesuits and the narrow Anglo-Roman ecclesiastics; and, secondly, the supremacy of the Bishop of Rome, by submitting to his authority, and so producing the form of schism known as the uniat churches in the east. The second subject for congratulation is the argument upon which the decision was reached, which is the well-known method of reaching a foregone conclusion by an apparently new investigation of facts. It is comfort to feel that at least the nag's head fable is remanded to the shades, with other myths. And it is still more satisfactory to know that one of two alternatives is irresistible by the bishop's own reasoning. Either Roman orders are invalid, since they were not conferred for centuries in the Roman church according to what he now considers the essential form, or else Anglican orders are valid, because they have been conferred always by the same form as that defined to be essential by the council of Trent, or by a form even stronger and more definite—the laying on of hands with the words, 'take' or 'receive the Holy Ghost.' It is still more curious and comfortable to note that so far as the intention of the church is concerned (the matter of laying on of the hands and the words, 'Receive ye the Holy Ghost' being used) the expression of intention is clearer in the English than in the Roman church. For the English ordinal orders to the priesthood (Sacerdotium) and the Roman to the Presbyterate (Presbyteratus), and the English ordinal specifies the 'Ministry of Sacraments,' whereas the Roman ordinal omits it. The sad part of it all is the fact that the new dogma of papal infallibility, and the very fallible manner of its exercising, widen the branches of Christendom and increase the hindrances of unity."

For Pearl Bryan's Murder.

Louisville, Nov. 18. — A dispatch from Frankfort says: It is rumored that the court of appeals has agreed on a decision affirming the death sentences imposed on Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling for the murder of Pearl Bryan, and that the decision will be handed down not later than Friday or Saturday.

Prof. Holden Decorated.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—Director E. S. Holden of the Lick observatory has received from the king of Denmark the decoration of Knight of the Royal Order of the Dannenerog in recognition of his services to astronomical science. The order was founded in 1819.

Art Lectures at Columbia.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—The authorities of Columbia university have invited Prof. John F. Weir, director of the Yale Art school, to deliver a course of lectures in the Metropolitan Museum of Art during the coming winter.

To Start On Half-Time.

New Ipswich, N. H., Nov. 18.—F. W. Ely, superintendent of the Columbia Cotton company's mills, has ordered the large factory, which was stopped weeks ago, to start on half time. In two weeks it will be run on full time

Italy and Brazil's Dispute.

Rome, Nov. 18 —The ministry of foreign affairs denies the statement that a solution of the differences between Italy and Brazil has been found

Raised to Major and Paymaster.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The president has appointed Capt. A. H. Jackson, Seventh infantry, now on duty at Albany, N. Y., major and paymaster.

ADVICE FROM PAPA.

The Evils of Gambling and Some Observations on the Game of Poker.

"George," said the stern and staid proprietor of one of the leading dry goods shops on the South Side the other day, "I would like to see you for a moment in my private office."

"Yes, sir," said George, with assumed cheerfulness, though his heart was sinking: for whenever his father spoke to him in that particular tone George knew there were breakers ahead.

The private office being reached, the venerable father looked earnestly and sadly into his son's eyes and said, "George, I am pained to hear reports that you have been engaged in gambling"—

"But, father"—

"Don't interrupt me, sir. I don't care to hear excuses. I know all the facts. Last Saturday night you lost $50 playing cards, did you not?"

"Yes, sir."

"That's right, my son. I'm glad you do not add evasion or falsehood to your other fault. Tell me how you lost this money."

"Well, father, I and a friend were playing freeze out"—

"Excuse me, but what is freeze out?"

"It's a game of cards, sir."

"So I suppose, but I know nothing of these dreadful games. The name freeze out does not mean anything to me."

"Perhaps you would recognize the game under the more common title of 'bluff?'"

"No; I don't know that title."

"The game is also called poker."

"Oh, yes; I have heard of poker. One of our ministers to England wrote a book on poker, I believe. I have a slight literary acquaintance with that title. Well, sir, proceed. You and your friend were playing poker."

"Yes, and I got four jacks in the deal"—

"Four jacks! Great Scott! But I haven't any idea what bearing that had on the game. Go on."

"I stood pat. My friend drew one card."

"Yes."

"Then I bet five."

"That's where you made a mistake."

"Sir?"

"You began to gamble at that point."

"I'm afraid I did, sir."

"What did your friend do?"

"Saw my five and raised me 25."

"The fellow had nerve."

"What's that, sir?"

"Never mind. Go on with your story."

"I saw his 25 and raised him five."

"What's that! Only five?"

"Why, father"—

"No excuses, sir. Proceed."

"He saw my five and raised me five."

"Yes."

"I saw him and raised him five"—

"Idiot!"

"Sir?"

"Go on, go on!"

"He saw my five and raised me 15, and I"—

"What did you do?"

"Threw my hand in the deck and gave up the pot."

"Blockhead! Didn't you know it was a rank bluff? That fellow drew to a bobtail flush and didn't fill. He knew you hadn't any sand and started in on a bluff. You threw down four jacks? Why, you confounded chump, if I'd held your hand, I'd staid with him until the cows came home. But, thank goodness, I don't know anything about the game, and understand me, sir, let this be the last complaint I hear about your playing cards."

George promised obedience, and as he passed out he heard his father muttering: "Four jacks! Great Scott, what an opportunity!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

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"I came to talk to you about"—

"Ah, yes," the busy man answered without looking up. "The office boy told me you were coming. You want to talk about life insurance?"

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"I don't quite understand."

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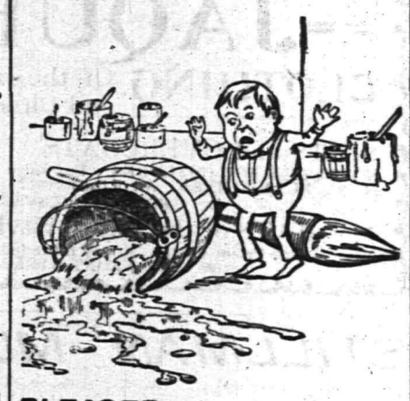

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BIG MEN DINE.

Annual Banquet of the New York Chamber of Commerce.

New York, Nov. 18.—The one hundred and twenty-eighth annual banquet of the New York Chamber of Commerce was held last evening at Delmonico's, and among the three hundred and seventy-six guests were some of the most prominent professional and commercial men of the country, as well as distinguished statesmen and politicians. The large banquet room was decorated with several hundred American flags, and the tables were ornamented with roses and other flowers. Alexander E Orr, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presided, and around the tables were seated Postmaster-General Wilson, Whitelaw Reid, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Mayor Strong, Seth Low, Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, J. Sterling Morton, secretary of agriculture; Hilary A. Herbert, secretary of the navy; Hon. Joseph R. Hawley, Hon. James H. Eckels, Hon. Joseph H. Walker, Charles A. Dana, Hon. W. Bourke Cockran, Admiral Henry Erben, U. S. N.; Commodore Montgomery Secard, U. S. N.; Murat Halstead, Gen. Horce Porter, J. Edward Simons, Henry W. Cannon, Carl Schurz, Cornelius N. Bliss, John I. Waterbury, George J. Gould, Clement A. Griscom, president of the Maritime exchange; Arthur F. Bowers, Henry Clews, Darius O. Mills, George Wilson, secretary of the chamber of commerce; James G. Cannon, Isaac Seligman, G. M. Pullman, C. R. Flint and H. Villard. When the coffee and cigars were served President Orr, amid hearty applause, welcomed the guests in a few brief remarks, during which he extended to President-elect McKinley the congratulations of the 1,000 members of the chamber of commerce of New York and extended to him their cheering and sympathetic God speed. Letters of regret at their inability to be present were then read from President Cleveland, Gov. Morton and Secretaries Olney and Lamont. Postmaster General Wilson, the speaker of the evening, was then introduced.

BRYAN TO ISSUE A BOOK.

A Treatise on Silver and a Biography of Himself Written by Mrs. Bryan.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 18.—William J. Bryan is preparing to publish a book about the first of next year, which will embody an exhaustive treatment of the silver question and bimetallism, emphasizing its importance as an issue in 1900. Mr. Bryan has authorized his publishers to announce that one half the royalties received from the sale of this book will be devoted to advancing the cause of bimetallism during the next four years. The work will also embrace Mr. Bryan's views as to the recent campaign and election, his biography, written by Mrs. Bryan, together with special contributions from distinguished political leaders. A description of Mr. Bryan's campaign tours will be another feature of the work.

INJUNCTION REFUSED.

Judge Grosscup Denies Gormully & Jeffrey's Request To Restrain a Strike.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—The application of Gormully & Jeffrey, bicycle manufacturers, for an injunction restraining the Metal Polishers' union from conducting an alleged strike and boycott against the firm came up before Judge Grosscup in the federal court yesterday. The marshal's return showed that service had been made upon Adolph Canal, an alleged agent of the union. Counsel for the latter denied that he was an agent of the National Metal Polishers' union, which is an Ohio corporation. The jurisdiction of the court was questioned. Judge Grosscup denied the application on the ground of insufficient service.

Joe Patchen Beaten by Star Pointer.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—In the race at Belmont park yesterday afternoon between the pacers Star Pointer (2:03½) and Joe Patchen (2:03), Star Pointer won in straight heats without turning a hair. In each heat he reached the quarter and half in exactly the same time—:30½ and 1:01—a rather remarkable coincidence. The first heat was taken by an open length, the second by three, and the third by five lengths. In the second heat Patchen broke twice.

$12,000,000 Gold Received for Paper.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—At the end of last month there was something over $12,000,000 in paper in the vaults of the sub-treasury in this city, the largest amount ever accumulated in one place on the Pacific coast. Nearly every dollar of it has since been exchanged for gold, and for once Assistant United States Treasurer Berry has on hand very little paper money with which to do business.

Will Strengthen the Dreibund.

Vienna, Nov. 18.—The semi-official newspapers agree in expressing themselves as satisfied with the explanations of the Russo-German treaty of 1884 made by Prince Hohenlohe and Baron Von Bieberstein in the German reichstag, and believe that the declarations of the German chancellor and foreign minister will strengthen the dreibund.

Conviction of Express Agent Robinson.

Lancaster, Pa., Nov. 18.—James M. Robinson, the Adams Express messenger on trains between this city and Harrisburg, who was convicted yesterday of larceny and sentenced to prison for five years, stole three packages of money containing $700, which were consigned to the Columbia National bank.

The Alert Sails for Honolulu.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The United States ship Alert sailed last night from San Francisco to relieve the Adams as guardship at Honolulu, Hawaiian islands.

HANNA AT CANTON

In Private Conference for an Hour with Major McKinley.

CABINET MATTERS NOT DISCUSSED

Said To Have Only Talked Over Minor Details Incidental to the Inauguration---Other Prominent Callers on the President-Elect.

Canton, O., Nov. 18.—Major McKinley's proposed visit to Cleveland has again been postponed, and it is announced that he will not leave Canton for another week at least. The president-elect is enjoying comparative rest at home, and Mrs. McKinley's health is rapidly improving. So long as these conditions exist it is quite probable that Major McKinley will not be found anxious for a change. Chairman M. A. Hanna and a party of friends came down from Cleveland yesterday afternoon. Major McKinley went to the Valley depot to meet his visitors, and they were driven directly to the Market street home. Besides Mr. Hanna there were in the party Gen. W. M. Osborn, J. N. Huston of Connersville, Ind., who was United States treasurer under President Harrison; Charles Hedges of Galveston, Tex.; Tams Bixby of St. Paul, chairman Minnesota state executive committee; E. V. Smalley, St. Paul, and Edward H. R. Green, Terrell, Tex., chairman republican state committee. Mr. Green enjoys the distinction of being the son of the wealthiest woman is the world, Mrs. Hetty Green of New York. After a brief period devoted to the exchange of congratulations the visitors took luncheon with Major and Mrs. McKinley. Chairman Hanna and the president-elect then retired to the latter's private office, where they remained in consultation for over an hour. It is understood that the cabinet selection was not discussed, but only minor details incidental to the inauguration were talked over.

BLACK'S INAUGURAL.

New York's Governor-elect Anxious for as Little Display as Possible.

Albany, Nov. 18.—Secretary of State Palmer has consulted with governor-elect Frank S. Black concerning the inaugural ceremonies on January 1, and he has placed all the arrangements in the secretary's hands. It is the wish of Governor-elect Black, however, that the ceremonies be as simple as possible. He is averse to display and realizes that the inaugural ceremonies occur at a season of the year when the weather is liable to be severely cold and stormy and to keep men standing in line waiting for the formation would be a hardship. For that reason he prefers that there should be no large demonstrations of clubs and other bodies who have expressed a desire to participate. In all probability the only escort will be a detail of the national guard, with the usual ceremonies in the assembly chamber. Later on an announcement will be made giving the arrangements in detail.

WOULD NOT ACCEPT OFFICE.

Manley Says He Is Not a Candidate for Any Position, Appointive or Elective.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 18.—The Kennebec Journal published this morning the following self-explanatory letter from Hon. Joseph H. Manley: "The Augusta correspondent of the Lewiston Journal in his letter of November 14 says: 'Mr. Manley's many friends here would be pleased to see him fill one of the choice places within the gift of the administration, if he desires it.' I am grateful for this kind expression, and desire to take this opportunity to heartily thank my many friends in this state and throughout the country, who have written me in the same vein. I desire, however, to state that I am not only not a candidate for any office, state or national, elective or appointive, of any nature whatsoever, but that I should not accept any office were it tendered me. My business interests demand and must receive my entire attention. J. H. MANLEY."

Wanamaker for United States Senator.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—In reply to the resolutions of the Philadelphia branch of the national league of business men, expressing the desire of the league that he should become a candidate for United States senator to succeed Hon. J. Donald Cameron, Hon. John Wanamaker consents to be a candidate for the office, and heatily indorses the principles of the league. The Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia also strongly urges the selection of Mr. Wanamaker.

Banquet for New York's New Senator.

Albany, Nov. 18.—State treasurer Addison B. Colvin, who is president of the state league of republican clubs, has announced that the league has decided upon a banquet to be given to the republican United States senator-elect on the evening of the day on which the election shall take place by joint ballot of both houses of the legislature in January next. It is practically conceded that the honor will fall upon ex-senator Thomas C. Platt.

Free Alcohol Investigation.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The joint select committee of congress, created at the last session for the purpose of investigating the subject of alcohol in the manufactures and arts free of tax, will meet in the rooms of the committee on finance of the United States senate, Nov. 23.

Treasury Gold Reserve.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The gold reserve at the opening of business to-day stood at $126,181,088. There was withdrawn from the New York sub-treasury $34,000 in gold and $29,700 in bars, leaving a net gain in gold of $383,000.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 18--Crescent Wheelmen meeting.
Nov. 18--Spanish drill at the Church of the Heavenly Rest.
Nov. 19--Sociable at the Trinity Reformed church.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening with Occasional Showers Tonight and Thursday; Cooler Thursday Afternoon or Night.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

NOTE THE DIFFERENCE.

At a public meeting of the Cranford Sewer Commissioners last evening the hall was well filled with interested property owners who discussed the subject of assessments before the Commissioners, very freely. That's the way they do in Cranford. Here when the Sewer Commissioners meet and ask the interested property owners to appear before them and discuss the subject of assessment, only two or three respond. Who can tell the cause of Plainfield citizens disinterestedness?

KEAN MAY BE DUMPED.

If John Kean keeps his eye fixed on the political chess board, he can see the moves which are being make with a view of landing Governor Griggs in the United Strtes Senate, and of awarding to Mr. Kean the empty and expressive honor of being a candidate for Governor two years hence.—True American.

The present Republican rule in Plainfield is not devoid of clever politicians by any means.

The Press is not giving advice, but simply observing, when it says that the Republicans cannot be defeated in the coming city election unless all opposition is centered.

FUN AT VINCENT CHAPEL.

Young Ladies Mission Circle Conduct a Pleasant Affair.

The Young Ladies Mission Circle of the First Methodist church furnished their many friends a pleasant time last night by presenting an excellent programme which was followed by the playing of amusing games. The first number was a piano duet by Miss Madge Barnes and Miss Etta Raybert. Hearty applause was given but they would not respond to an encore. Robert Douglass rendered a favorite vocal solo which was followed with readings by Miss Susie Davies. Another vocal solo by Miss Bessie Cornwell concluded the programme. Those present then adjourned to another room where games were played. One of the most amusing was one called "Who Am I?" A very ridiculous face was painted on a white sheet and several unknown persons stood behind it. The object was that those in front should guess who it was. Several other games were played after which the following young women served refreshments, Misses Lucy Davis, Laura Mulford, Alice Jenkins, Mattie Humble, Anna Smalley, Elsie Horne, Emma Cory, Cora Sheppard, and Gertrude Sharp. All present agreed that the evening had been of great pleasure and hoped it would be repeated.

—The G. A. R. fair committee will meet this evening and settle all accounts of their recent fair.

—An informal sociable was held at the Fast Third street mission last evening. A delightful programme was given by local talent. Quite a number were present.

—The Plainfield Branch of the Christian Alliance will be favored with an address from a returned missionary, after the reading of letters from their own missionary in Syria. Meeting at the W. C. T. U. rooms Thursday evening 7.45.

How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles; "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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there was not even the food in the house that they might prepare their own dishes. It was truly a pitiable condition. What the thoughts of that poor mother, with three children, ranging from six to thirteen years of age, could be, is something beyond description.

It is related, however, that later in the day some neighbors brought in a few things for the bereaved family and thus prevented them from feeling the pangs of hunger during the night. There is a good deal of talk in the neighborhood as to what ought to be done to assist the family, but like everything else without a head, nothing has been accomplished more than to provide for them from hand to mouth.

It is likely that an effort will be made to have the children placed in a benevolent institution, which will permit the mother to go out and provide for herself, at least.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. Voorhees, of Brooklyn, formerly of this city, has been visiting here.

Mrs. P. D. Ross, of West Fifth street, is visiting friends in Bound Brook.

Nathan Lewis, of West Eighth street, has been on a short visit with relatives in New York.

Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

Miss Anna Veoilan, of New York, is the guest of Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street

Mrs. G. K. Henry, of Somerville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. T. Bower, 169 East Front street.

Mrs. W. L. Titsworth and Miss Ida Spicer, of West Fifth street, are visiting relatives at Readington, N. J.

Thomas Quinn, of City Judge De-Meza's law offices, is confined to his home on Park avenue today with illness.

Miss Ellie Bosher, of Richmond, Va., has returned home after a pleasant visit at the home of J. W. Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue.

The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. Christofferson will take place on Thursday evening, Nov. 26th, at their residence, 1040 Sherman avenue.

L. S. Bond has resigned his position in the M. E. church choir to accept the solo tenor position in St. Luke's church, Brooklyn, commencing December 1, 1896.

Among the 376 guests at the dinner of the Chamber of Commerce, given last night at Delmonico's, in New York, is the name of Augustus D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood.

ODD LADIES TO ORGANIZE.

Plainfield to Have Another Lodge to be Called the Queen Esther Lodge.

An informal meeting of the members of the proposed new lodge of the United Order of Independent Odd Ladies was held in the parlors of the Hotel Grenada, yesterday afternoon. The new lodge is to be called the Queen Esther Lodge and will be instituted on December 15. A meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Sadie Summers, on Somerset street, to-morrow evening to nominate and elect officers. Mrs. S. E. Mitchell, of Worcester, Mass., who is organizing this lodge, was present yesterday and told something about the objects of the lodge. They take care of the members in sickness and trouble, look after the funeral of such members as pass away and provide for their children.

A District Rally.

A District Epworth League rally is to be held in Vincent chapel on Friday evening under the auspices of the league of the First M. E. church. The leagues of Dunellen, Plainfield and Westfield have been invited and a very enjoyable time is expected. Rev. Dr. Whitney, this city, will deliver a short address, and a delightful programme of recitations, instrumental and vocal music has been arranged. Miss Edith L. Burt will recite and some of the local talent will also take part. Refreshments and an informal social will follow the meeting.

Improvements Planned.

L. W. Randolph, the popular West Front street druggist, has leased his present store from its owner, Dr. W. H. Voorhees, of Brooklyn, for four more years. He is now planning several marked improvements in his already well equipped store and a large handsome up-to date wall soda water fountain will take the place of the present fountain.

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Mr. Ladd not to have the latter's name run as a candidate for the Councilmanic nomination. The Runyon faction looked delighted while many of Ladd's supports were greatly surprised. Mr. Frost remarked that it was better to run a good Democrat than a poor Republican.

At this point, L. N. Lovell started a discussion on who was eligible to vote at the primary which the chairman finally had to summarily stop. Mr. Dumont spoke a few words in behalf of Mr. Runyon, the president of the Young Men's Republican Club and referred to the good work done, especially in the Second ward by Mr. Runyon and the young men. He then moved that the secretary cast a ballot for Mr Runyon and the motion was unanimously carried.

There were two tickets in the fight for the seven delegates to the city convention; both, however, it was understood would support Fisk for Mayor. The faction that supported Runyon for Councilman carried their entire ticket despite the opposition. Chas. W. Smith was named on both tickets. The vote was as follows: Charles W. Smith, 111; Richard J. Jackson, 95; J. B. Drayton, 91; H. R. Ayers, 87; James Babbitt, 86; Clifton Wharton, Jr., 66; Leonard Spangenberg, 66. The above were elected as delegates and the other candidates were: S. A. Ginna, 59; Charles H. Hand, 50; Robt Guttridge, 47; A. W. Duxberry, 45; M. S. Ackerman, 13; W. N. Runyon, 12; C. V. Corwin, 1; W. D. W. Miller, 1; E. C. Mulford, 1.

Messrs. Wharton, Ackerman and Corwin all stated that they could not act, but were voted upon nevertheless.

V. W. Nash was then nominated for justice of the peace without any real opposition, and the three members of the city executive committee were chosen as named by the Runyon faction, Geo. D. Patten, J. E Keely and William H Drayton. Several others were nominated but declined. Justice Nash then moved that the executive committee be given power to fill all vacancies and the motion was carried. A collection for the janitor was taken and after the result of the vote for delegates was announced the meeting adjourned.

THIRD WARD.

The Third ward primary was held in the Casino, and the attendance was large. Roger F. Murray called the meeting to order, and Mayor Alexander Gilbert was chosen chairman and O. B. Lonard, Secretary. Mayor Gilbert thanked the voters for the honor thus conferred upon him and stated that it was not the first time he had had the honor to address his constituents. The Mayor said everything looked brighter since the last election and at the coming election the party would triumph same as it did on November 4th. The party, he contended, was one based on a standard of morality and honor.

At the conclusion of Mayor Gilbert's remarks, the secretary read the call, and the chairman was empowered to select the other officers whose names follow: Judge of election, Frank Bushnell; inspector, George A. Chapman; clerk, William T. Kaufman. The following nominations were made without a dissenting vote: Delegates to city convention, E. T. Barrows, B. F. Coriell, W. Mahon, R. F. Murray, William T. Kaufman and R. F. Murray, Jr.

For Councilman, John T. Baker, of Stelle avenue, was the unanimous choice of the convention and J. Oakley Nodyne was declared the nominee for Justice of the Peace. Amos Moffett was nominated for constable. For members of the city executive committee, R. F. Murray, W. T. Kaufman and F. E. Marsh, were nominated and a committee consisting of J. W. Murray, Sr. W. T. Kaufman and O. T. Waring was appointed to fill vacancies. The meeting then adjourned.

FOURTH WARD.

In the Fourth ward there was not the slightest opposition to the regular ticket offered. Justice William Newcorn called the meeting to order and E. E. Anthony was made chairman. Thomas King, was chosen secretary; F. B. Ryder, judge; Lewis Morgan, Inspector; and Stephen Higham, clerk. The following nominations were made unanimously: Delegates to city convention, John Arden, Stephen Higham, Peter Hansen, Edward Galbraith, Joseph Chapot, John Porter, John Cose, James Stewart, Edward McCray, D. W. Brown and F. S. McCarthy. For Councilman, Isaac S. Randolph; city executive committee, William A. Westphal, William Newcorn, Alonzo Ayers; justice of the peace, Adam Young; constable, Aaron Mattox. Each delegate was authorized to fill his own vacancy, and the officers of the primary was empowered to fill any vacancies on the ticket if there were any. The delegates stand for C. J. Fisk for Mayor, E. H. Bird, collector; Alex. Titsworth, treasurer; Fred C. Lounsbury, school commissioner and for the rest of the ticket. There was a large number of citizens present.

Make Two Cakes

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Building Permits.

Building Inspector T. O. Doane granted three permits this morning. Two were for the erection of barns on the property owned by G. H. Strong and George B. Schoonmaker, on Central avenue, and the other was for an addition to a house on South avenue, owned by Edward Willis, on South avenue.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

CITY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the city of Plainfield are requested to meet at the following places on Thursday evening, November 19th, at 8 o'clock to place in nomination a member of the Common Council, and delegates to the City Convention, to be held at the Bryan School on Saturday evening, the 21st.

		Delegates.
First Ward—Hoaglands office,	North ave.	5
2d do	Bryant School.	4
3d do	Revere House.	2
4th do	Blimm's Hotel.	11

City Convention will place in nomination a Mayor, Treasurer, City Collector, two Comissioners of Appeal, one Member of the Board of Education. Each ward will nominate one Justice of the Peace, one Constable.

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MICHEAL FLYNN, Secretary.

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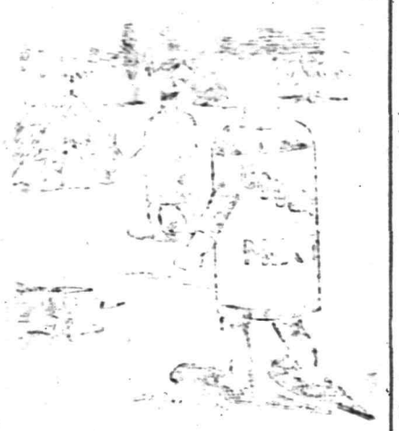

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Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c., worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tuffed Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—5c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

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Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield.....{7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.
Leave Scotch Plains.{6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m. 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Mrs. Custard, of Stroudsburg, Pa., is visiting her son, Rev. S. F. Custard.

George Schenck is back to work in Dealaman's store after a few days illness.

Mrs. Henry Lyons, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Maier.

Jesse Dalrymple left town yesterday for Jutland to remain with friends over Thanksgiving.

Conductor Charles Dinneen received a handsome new upright piano from a Plainfield dealer yesterday.

George Staples, a flagman on the Jersey Central at Cranford, is spending a few days at the Park Hotel.

Alvah Gray and John Huff went hunting on the mountain yesterday. The brought their dogs home and a few rabbits besides.

J. F. Clawson, who resides near New Market, is very ill with pneumonia. His advanced age is very much against his recovery

The Washington Avenue Card Club will meet at the home of the Misses Barrett, in North Plainfield, on the evening of the 20th instant.

A team of horses, said to be owned by George Harris, run away at Clinton avenue yesterday. The wagon was damaged considerable.

A regular business meeting of the Dunellen Building and Loan Association will be held next Saturday evening in the office of Alvah Gray.

Paul Kraetzel took his cows to pasture yesterday morning when he spied a rabbit nestling under a clump of bushes. He turned the cows loose, went home and got his gun and then went back and got the rabbit.

Samuel Richardson, who had an operation performed on him in the Presbyterian Hospital in New York some days ago, is able to sit up a little while each day and is doing as well as can be expected.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church has issued souviners which have been distributed among the members and friends of the society. They give a history of the society from its infancy, together with the branches within its fold.

Invitations are out for an entertainment and dance by the Dunellen Athletic Association to be held in Friendship Hall on Thanksgiving Eve. It will be the third reception of the Association and music will be furnished by the ladies' orchestra.

The six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shivelry was taken suddenly ill with membraneous croup at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, and the little one's condition became so alarming that Drs. Brakeley and Hedges were called in consultation.

The Wilson stone crusher on the mountain back of here is now running on full time and a half dozen teams are kept busy carting stone which is used in macadamizing the county road from New Market to Stelton and thence to New Brunswick.

Tomorrow night will be a gala night for the members of Court Dunellen, No. 1123, I. O. F., when the reception is to be given in the Lincoln School building. One hundred invitations have been issued and there will doubtless be a very large attendance.

The Dunellen and New Market McKinley and Hobart forces joined in a parade and outing last evening in honor of the recent Republican victory. Prof. Guttman's band made the music and there were fireworks and red fire galore. There were some 150 in all in the procession and some of these, evidently not caring to be walked all over the county, took along their bikes, and a few were on horseback.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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ABSOLUTELY PURE

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Everything points favorably to the golden tea entertainment to be given in the Baptist church parlors tonight. There will be music, both vocal and instrumental, with tableaux and apron sale following, and the whole is for the benefit of the Sunday-school Christmas fund. Therefore it should be largely patronized.

W. S. Turton, the grocer, was driving a spirited horse along Mountain avenue, Monday, when some indiscreet bicycle rider rolled along and frightened the animal just as Mr. Turton was about to stop and deliver a box of groceries. Mr. Turton spilled the groceries all over the ground, and besides being so badly injured on his right leg that an abscess is feared. Dr. Westcott is treating the injured member.

The regular meeting of the Scotch Plains Young Men's League was held Monday evening. After the business was disposed of the meeting was turned over to the entertainment committee who had provided a mock trial for the evening's amusement. George Allen was tried before Mr. Horr, who acted as judge, and a jury composed of Messrs. Haskard, Hazell, Johnson, Field, Whitenack and Buckley, on a charge of "shovelling wind off of the roof." After a laughable trial the jury brought in a verdict of "not guilty." Mr. Turton acted as attorney for the defendant, and Mr. Braker for the people, with Mr. Noble as clerk of the court, and Mr. Clark court officer. Refreshments were then served by the committee. A very pleasant evening was passed, and a cordial invitation is extended to all young men to attend the future meetings. The meeting nights hereafter will be Saturday nights, commencing with the 28th.

JOE THOMS ARRESTED.

Justice Austin Fined Him $14 for Trespassing on Wormser's Land.

As predicted in The Press yesterday, Bartle Wormser has sworn out warrants for the arrest of the four hunters who trespassed on his property last Monday, and it is alleged, assaulted his wife. The warrants were placed in the hands of Constable Jacob Ryman, who arrested Joe Thoms yesterday at Wormser's home, where he had gone to get possession of the dog left there in their flight of the day bofore. He was taken before Justice Austin at Warrenville. He admitted being with the hunting party, but denied having assaulted Mrs. Wormser. The latter testified that he was not the one that choked her, but the justice fined him $14 for trespassing on Wormser's property. The constable is now looking for the rest of the party.

A Masonic Celebration.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of Lafayette Chapter, No. 25, R. A. M., of Rahway, was held last evening, and it was a most enjoyable gathering. A number of the members of this city were in attendance, and they report having had a most delightful time. Those who went from here were: W. A. Coddington, Walter Freeman, Jas. C. McClintock, Dr. D. C. Adams, Edward Nelson, B. Frank Coriell, Henry Woodland, John Chandler, John T. Odam, R. A. Meeker, Charles Ulrich and C. H. Howard. All the Plainfield visitors wore beautiful badges and red boutenires. During the evening J. H. Durrand, of Rahway, gave an entertaining and instructive history of the order.

A Pink Luncheon.

A delightful pink luncheon was given by Miss Mary Anderson Reinhart, of Belvidere avenue, last evening, to seven of her young women friends. The decorations, consisting entirely of pink, were unusually pretty. Miss Reinhart made a most charming hostess, and the event was a very enjoyable one. Those present were the Misses Goddard, Agnes Minford, Elsa Pfeiffer, Constance Patton, Josie Lapsley and Sara Richards.

A Poverty Sociable.

Great preparations are being made for the "povertie" social at the Seventh-day Baptist church this evening and some remarkable costumes will be seen.

Mrs. Radin Not Likely to Recover.

It is not belived that Mrs. Philip Radin can possibly recover from her injuries received last Saturday, when she was so horribly burned. The best of care is being given her at the hospital. Edward Kelly, who is also at the hospital, is no better.

—Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque tribe of Red Men will hold their regular meeting tonight.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., will meet on Friday evening.

—The Plainfield High School Cadets met for drill this morning.

—L. E. Hart, of West Front street, is having his house painted.

—The Borough Council will hold an adjourned session on Friday evening next.

—The case of Darby against Lee, on contract, in Justice Nash's court, has been settled.

—Several important changes are being made in the rooms at G. A. R. headquarters.

—A quartette from the Midmer Glee Club will sing at a concert at Mattawan the first of next month.

—The members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps met last night and were measured for their new uniforms.

—Lawyer Charles Moffett has purchased three lots on East Second street, on which he will erect at once three houses.

—Justice Nash has issued summons in the following demand for premises cases, returnable on the 23d: Thickstun against Killoran, and Rafferty against Babbitt.

—The case of Speer et als against Giles, on contract, was tried before Justice Nash yesterday and judgment rendered to the plaintiff for the full amount, $107.69 and costs.

—Mrs. Denton, of Prospect Hill, had charge of the decorations at the Henderson-Ryder wedding yesterday, and they were much admired for their beauty and arrangement

—Results again. The silver watch advertised as lost in The Press yesterday, was found by William H. Downes, of 514 West Third street, who returned it to the owner this morning.

—A portion of the roadway on Front street at the corner of Somerset, has sunk below the grade, causing a continual mud puddle. A gang of men is now at work filling it up to grade.

—On Friday evening there will be an Epworth League rally at the First M. E. church. Leagues from Westfield, Dunellen and Plainfield have been invited and an excellent programme will be presented.

—The case of Arthur against Dickson, on contract, came before Justice Mosher Monday. City Judge DeMeza appeared for Dickson and asked for a non-suit. His request was granted after the Justice heard the circumstances.

—Joseph A. Blatz, of Somerset street, is having a stone walk laid in front of property owned by him on Green brook road. Michael Powers is doing the work. This will make a continuous stone walk on Green brook road from Somerset to Grove street.

—It is much better to preserve your first sight than to worry along with poor glasses waiting for your second sight, which is a condition not to be desired. Our glasses will improve and preserve your sight. Leech, Stiles & Co., at 107 East Front street every Thursday from 10 to 4:30.

A Delightful Affair.

A very enjoyable social gathering was held at the home of Miss Jennie and Fred Ross, of Park place, last evening, when they entertained a number of their friends in a most delightful and hospitable manner. Dancing and games made the time pass quickly. At 11 o'clock, dainty refreshments were served and then the fun continued until a late hour. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard VanCamp, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Vanderhoef, the Misses Sadie and Achsah Holmes, Elizabeth Dunn, Mamie and Nellie Wincker, Mabelle Force, Mabel Vanderhoef, Ella R. Fenner, May Sheppard and Cora Young, and Messrs. John H. VanWinkle, Jr., A. K. Willett, William A. Crawford, Raymond Carroll, Charles M. Dolliver, Arthur Mills, William Buell, Harry Autin and Edgar Sheppard.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

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T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Successor to H. P. REYNOLDS. CORNER PARK AND NORTH AVENUES

—Chas. Wood of Mount Bethel lost his barn on Monday afternoon by fire.

—Gavett makes a specialty of refinishieg bronzes gas fixtures and etc., and makes them like new.

—The Epworth League of Grace M. E. church will hold a special business meeting after the prayer meeting this evening.

—Wait for the great sale of lace curtains and curtain nets at White's in a few days. Over 2000 pairs of curtains to be sold at half the regular price.

—The celebrated case of E. M. Thorn against Lawrence Paoli came up in the court at Elizabeth this morning and the court decided that there was no cause for action. Lawyer Hetfield represented the plaintiff and Assemblyman Codington the defendant.

List of Letters!

Plainfield, November 16, '96.

Allison F H	Madden Miss Ella
Barry Richard	Rupp Dr Phillip
Benjamin E P	Stone John
Brown Miss A	Smith Mrs A T
Clark Miss Mary	Scudder Miss H
Fry Samuel 2	VanFleet Mrs John
Fenner Amos	Yrain Lodovice
Hawkins Miss Susie	Wakeman Miss Francis
Hepburn M D	Wagner S
Johanson Miss Carrie	Ward Miss Emma
Kuwson A	Ward J P
Lawrence Wm H	Wena Ed
	Westhall E

FOR SALE!

Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired. Inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, lots 34x105, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen, sidewalks flagged. Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.

2 new houses on South avenue, near Berckman street, 6 rooms, good cellar and attic. Lot 50x100. Terms easy. All rooms papered. Sidewalks flagged, etc.

1 house on Third street, near New street, 6 rooms nicely papered; connected with sewer; large cellar and attic; hardwood mantels.

2 lots for sale on Third street, near New st., sidewalk flagged; easy terms; will advance money to build at 5 per cent. Elegant building lots on East Sixth street for sale; convenient to schools, churches, etc.; near trolley cars; very easy terms. I will offer the above property at such a low figure that any one desiring a home in a good location cannot do better with their money than to purchase before property advances. Come at see me at 171 North avenue. Open evenings until 9 o'clock. Monthly payments taken.
11 16 6 J. F. M'INTYRE.

H. DeMott,
Undertaker and Embalmer,
59 Somerset st., Plainfield, N. J.
Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

DIED.

ENDRESS—In this city, November 27, 1896, Frederick J., son of Ned and Louisa Endress, aged 4 months.
Funeral from his parents residence, 131 West Front street, Thursday afternoon, November 19, at 2 o'clock.

JOHNSON—At Raritan Township, November 18, 1896, Emily M., daughter of Samuel and Mary Ann Johnson, in her twentieth year.
Funeral services at the Marconnier Union Chapel, Friday afternoon, November 20, at 2 o'clock. 11 18 2

PRAED—In this city, Tuesday, November 17, 1896, John J. Praed, aged 61 years.
Funeral services from his late residence, 123 West Fourth street, Thursday at 3 p. m. Interment at convenience of the family.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

214 EAST NINTH STREET. Large handsome rooms to let with board. 11 18 6

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, owing to owner having to leave the city, an attractive nineroom house with over an acre of ground within ten minutes walk of station. Fine chicken run 50x100. Address Immediate, care Press.

FOR SALE—Ladies Columbia wheel in good order $25.00, square piano $20. Address M. N. O. Care of Press. 11-17-2

ROOMS—With board at 217 West Second street. 11-10 1m

BOARDER WANTED—A gentleman can secure good room and board at moderate price. Address A., care Press.

132 CRESCENT AVENUE. Large handsome rooms, to let with board. 11 18 6

WANTED—Young girl for general housework, small family. Swede preferred. 822 Arlington avenue. 16 3

WANTED—White girl, as cook and laundress; must have good references. Apply 745 Watchung ave. 11-13-w

FIRST CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 11-10-1y

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L Moffett, att'y., corner Park and North aves. 11 7 10

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

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10 Pieces of 45 in. All wool Black Henrietta cloth 33c the yard.

NO. 14.
100 Fine plaid shirt waists for Ladies. Have been $1.50 each. Will go for 59 cents.

NO. 15.
100 Doz. Fine all linen huck towels, the 25c kind. Our price 13c Two for 25c. 5 Pieces half in all linen Table damask 39c the yard.

NO. 16.
25 Doz. Fleeced lined hose for Ladies 23c pair. 100 Doz. Children's seamless hose 8c. the pair.

DRESS GOODS
Clipping prices right through the department and selling without profit. 54 in. all wool fancy mixtures that have been 75c. and $1.00 the yard are yours for 49c. 54 in. Silk and Wool mixtures that have been $1.25 go for 59c. 50 in. all wool black boucle striped goods that have been 60c go for 39c.

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We have it in all shades, black, grey and white 25-27-35 and 40c the yard. Have you tried Cordette, the new lining. It takes the place of canvas and hair cloth, just as good and only costs half.

LADIES
Will find it to their advantage to see our line of separate skirts, wrappers, capes and jackets Not only the best assortment but the best prices, Ladies wrappers, 98c; Ladies skirts, $2.59; Ladies capes, $4.98; Ladies Boucle Jackets, $4.98.

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TEA SET—English Porcelain—three colors. Beautiful Undergiazed Decoration $2.39. Regular price $5.98. Other specials in Tea Sets.

TOILET SETS—We have the largest assortment in the city and are still selling $1.75 sets for $1.25.

Banquet Lamps—Before buying elsewhere examine our line, very complete, latest styles. Ranging in price from $2.85 up.

GLASSWARE—It is really wonderful what you can get for 5 and 9c. in glassware. Large fruit bowls, 9c. Small fruit dishes to match, 3c. Cake stands, 25c. Water Bottles, 10c. Cheese dishes, 29c. Other items too numerous to mention.

WHITE PORCELAIN—This department is like a great many others, new line coming in, odds and ends to clear out, and we clear them out, too. Here are a few: White bowls 3 sizes, 4c. Large Meat Dishes, 19c. 2-Qt. Pitchers, 15c. Any size plates 5c.

HARDWARE—A few seasonable articles. Furnace scoops, 69c. Large Coal scoops, 75c. Full size steel axe, 89c. Soldering Irons; complete with rosin, 15c. 2-ft. rulers, 8c. Glue Pots, 9c. each. Good quality. Assorted Nails in box 3c. Tacks, nails, screens, etc., at equally low prices. Other items. 2-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots 29c. 3-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 33c. 4-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 43c. 4-step Flower Pot Stands, $1.49. Star Clothes Wringer $1.49. Wash benches, 75c. Best Cedar Tubs, electro welded hoops, 43c. 3-Stitch brooms, 12c. All bristle dust brushes, 19c.

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WOOL SWEATERS, with Sailor Collar, $1 to $3.50. BUCK GLOVES, 50c. per Pair to $2. HEAVY UNDERWEAR, 25c. to $2. Hats and Caps of every description.
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THE FATAL LOSS OF A NEGATIVE

By Mrs. ALEXANDER

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"All I can say is, it's a deuce of a bore!" exclaimed Philip Blount, a smart, good-looking lawyer, who was on very good terms with himself, whose age might be six or seven and twenty, to his particular chum, Tom Marling, a stout, rubicund, horsey stock broker, perhaps a few years older.

"Well, it *is* rather hard lines," returned Marling, sympathetically.,

"If they had given me timely notice, I might have managed to get down to the Grange, but such an abrupt invite looks as if Gwen Dashwood did not want me down there."

This dialogue was going on in the private office of Mr. Marling, where the two men were discussing a light luncheon of oysters and stout, having a little time to spare at the general refreshment hour.

Blount was yet only a clerk in the old established firm of Ardell & Son; but that firm was now reduced to the surviving son, who was Blount's maternal uncle, and a childless widower.

Marling was a very well off bachelor, much given to the good things of this life and Blount's special friend.

"Down there" indicated a picturesque old place called Varley Grange, near

"MY DEAR NEPHEW, I AM DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU."

Maidenhead, at present tenanted by a charming widow, whose charms were enhanced by the possession of an income which enabled her to rent such a residence. Here she gave delightful "Friday to Monday" parties, invitations to which people fished for eagerly.

Gwendoline Dashwood was the daughter of Mr. Ardell's deceased wife's sister, his ward, and the mistress of his house. Blount rather imagined his uncle wished to make a match between his nephew and niece, and was quite sure of his own wishes on the subject; for Gwen Dashwood was a bright, attractive brunette, with big, brown eyes that could say a great deal—and he paid assiduous court to the young lady.

"Were *you* asked?" continued Blount.

"Lord, no! I'm not at all up to the mark of Mrs. Cholmondely Morton's parties, not elegant enough by long chalks."

"Better ask *you* than that beast Everard. I hate the fellow."

"Blount, you're a fool!"

"No more than my neighbors."

"Rather less, in a general way; but you *are* a fool about that cousin of yours."

"She isn't a cousin; she is no relation at all."

"Well, whether she is or not, you'll lose your game if you lose your balance about her. From what I have seen, I am inclined to think you stand very well with her, and Everard is much too grim and sour and black browed to be a dangerous rival. Besides, that Indian forestry appointment of his is no great thing. And then Miss Dashwood is not the girl to think of a man who is obliged to live in the wilds."

"I'm not so sure, Marling. Everard has an infernal cool air of command and superiority that imposes on women, and Gwen *has* a dash of romance in her. I fancy she thinks or suspects that I am what she would call 'low-minded' because I have the sense to have an eye to the main chance; but I flatter myself I've been making way with her lately. There's nothing goes down with that sort of girl like an air of being hopelessly gone upon her, and, in fact, I am—rather! It's such uncommon luck to have a fancy for the right young woman."

"Is she the right one?"

"She is. You see my uncle is deuced fond of her, and pretty sure to leave her the bigger half of his worldly goods, though he likes me, but if we marry, we'll have the whole."

"Admirable reasoning! But if you are making way, you may snap your fingers at Everard."

"I don't know. I got away early last week and found him at tea with Gwen, tete-a-tete – and after 'sitting out' with him for an hour in the conservatory at Lady Dalrymple's ball, when I went to claim my waltz, he said, as she took my arm: 'You must be sure to write at once, remember,' in a dictatorial tone, as if she were his wife, by Jove!"

Marling laughed. "Well, I know he isn't one of the Grange party."

"How?" ejaculated Blount.

Instead of replying, Marling rummaged among some papers which lay in a square wicker receptacle on his knee-hole table, and tossed over a note to his guest. It was dated the previous Saturday from the "East India Club," and ran thus:

"DEAR MARLING: I am not going down to the Grange, nevertheless, I cannot keep my appointment on Monday. I have other and better fish to fry, and am obliged to run over to the continent on Monday night. Shall write when I know time of my return. Yours truly,

"HUGH EVERARD."

"Ah, then he could not have gone to Mrs. Morton's," said Blount, with a sigh of relief. "I can't think how Gwen puts up with his overbearing swagger."

"Come now, Blount, he doesn't swagger."

"I suppose Gwen will be home to dinner at seven. I think I'll go and dine with my uncle in case he feels lonely. He was not at the office to-day, and I'm not supposed to know that his darling will return to cheer him."

"Prudent young chap, you are! Go on and prosper, Blount, my boy."

The aspiring young lawyer carried out his intention and presented himself to his uncle a few minutes before seven in accurate evening dress, a dainty flower in his buttonhole and a smile upon his lips. Altogether a handsome, gentleman-like looking young fellow, and steady, decidedly steady, thought Mr. Ardell, who was spelling over an evening paper somewhat disconsolately in his big and bounteously ornamented drawing-room.

Mr. Ardell was a well-preserved man of perhaps sixty-five—very precise and a little exacting, with severe notions as regarded conduct, principle, integrity and such like old-fashioned laws of life.

"Ah, Philip! This is an unexpected pleasure. Glad to see you."

"Thank you, sir. Thought you might like my company, as probably Gwen may not return—and—"

"Or possibly that you might find her here? Eh, Philip? Very natural, my dear boy. Very natural. Still your impulse is somewhat prophetic."

Mr. Ardell stretched out his hand for a yellow envelope which lay on a small table beside him. "I fully expected Gwendoline to luncheon, and not feeling quite the thing, a little liverish in fact, I had ordered James to meet the 12:30 train from R—— to look after her luggage and find her a cab, when, about 11:45, I received *this*," handing a telegram to Blount, who read: "Shall be home to-night. G. D."

"That means by the last train, I suppose," said Blount.

"No doubt. Very thoughtful of her, knowing she was expected and that I should send to meet every train till she arrived. She sends this to keep my mind at rest."

"When is the last train due?"

"About 10:20," returned Mr. Ardell.

"Then I shall go and meet her and bring her back. I need not leave you till 9:50. A hansom will rattle across the park to the Great Western in twenty minutes."

"Yes, do, Philip. Gwendoline will be glad to see you. There is a Bradshaw in the dining-room. We'll make a note of the time."

"Dinner is on the table," said James, the solemn man out of livery, who ruled the lower regions.

Philip Blount followed Mr. Ardell down stairs contentedly enough, though, being somewhat given to suspicion and self-tormenting, he debated that telegram in his own mind. Why did she not say "shall return by such or such a train?" Why did she leave things in such a vague condition? James might have been dancing attendance at Paddington from 6:30 on, leaving his functions to be indifferently performed by the housemaid and reducing Mr. Ardell to the inconvenience of a female waiter.

Dinner was, as usual in Lonsdale Gardens, remarkably good—a matter of no small importance in Blount's eyes—and Mr. Ardell was exceedingly conversational in a careful and didactic manner throughout it.

When dessert was put on the table and James departed a short pause ensued; then Mr. Ardell said: "I think you will find a fresh Bradshaw on the writing table in the window. Let us make sure of the train before you start."

Philip rose and went to the table whence he returned with Bradshaw and another book, handsomely bound in deep red with gold letters and decorations.

"You are right," he said, "the R—— train is due at 10:20." He handed Bradshaw to his uncle and continued: "I see you have Everard's book here. 'Life in the Wild Woods.' I don't fancy him in print—doesn't give me the idea of a writing man."

"I have not read the work," returned his uncle, with a tinge of disdain in his tone. "That copy was presented to Gwendoline. I was rather annoyed at her accepting it, though I do not very well see how she could have refused it. But Mr. Everard is not a man I like. He is pretentious and dictatorial, in fact, inclined to take liberties, or I should say, he presumes on some connection with old friends of Gwendoline's to come here much oftener than I like, and assume a familiar tone with my niece of which I totally disapprove."

"Yes, my dear uncle, I have noticed it also, and it makes me indignant. However, he has gone to the continent and—"

"Why, yes, I know. He wrote to Gwendoline explaining why he could not go to this party and mentioned that he was going abroad, a very unnecessary proceeding, as I told my niece."

"And what did she say?"

"Well, she laughed and said that for all I knew, it might be very necessary."

"A curious answer," said Blount uneasily. "What do you make of it?"

"What I? Oh, nothing. It is really unimportant, only I fancy that Mr. Everard aspires to a matrimonial alliance with us, rather an audacious project on his part."

"I should think it was!" cried Blount. "He tries to seem on confidential terms with Gwen, but—"

"She has too much sense to heed him. In fact, she would not offend me by entertaining any proposal from Mr. Everard," interrupted Ardell. "I fancy you are aware, my dear Philip, that my great wish is to see my nephew and niece united before I die—not only because I am attached to you, but both and each would then be benefited equally by what I may be enabled to bequeath."

"And I desire nothing so ardently," cried Philip, "as to call her my wife. In fact, I have loved her ever since she came from school to reside here."

"I have suspected it, Philip. I have suspected it," returned his uncle, playing with the double eyeglass which hung from his neck. "But, my dear boy, I am not so sure of her."

"I am not without hope, if only no one comes between us." There was a long pause, each being occupied with his own hopes and fears for the future. Suddenly Blount exclaimed: "Could one drive from Paddington to Charing Cross in half an hour, with a minute or two to spare?"

"Yes, if the streets were not crowded, and the horse a good one. Why do you ask?"

"Oh, ah, I only wanted your opinion. That is, my dear uncle, I have an awful dread of that fellow Everard, and it's curious, but this morning I saw a note from him saying he was going to start for the continent this evening, or some time to-day. Could it be—" he stopped abruptly.

"Be what?" asked Mr. Ardell, putting on his glasses to gaze at the speaker.

"Don't laugh at my jealous fancy, but—but suppose he persuaded Gwen to accompany him!"

"Impossible, sir!" was the indignant answer. "You show your ignorance of my niece by such a suspicion."

"But, uncle, women are so queer and flighty, and—and just see how this wire gives color to my idea! Why need she send it at all? It would have been no great matter if James *had* gone to meet several trains. Was it not calculated to keep the whole afternoon free? See, there are only three trains in the day from R——, and Everard could have met her and started by the mail train for Paris, or God knows where. He had some power over her. I heard him say—" and he repeated the story of the ball which he had told Marling in the morning.

At first Mr. Ardell was indignant and incredulous, but as Blount persisted and insisted on the weakness, gullibility and fancifulness of women, especially young ones, the elder man grew restless, irritable and blustering.

"Time will show, sir!" cried Blount at last, looking at the heavy classical bronze clock over the fireplace; "and I haven't left myself too much to get to the station by 10:20. God grant I may bring back Gwendoline safe and sound to you. I may exaggerate things, but I hardly hope to find her!"

"Nonsense, Philip. I believe you are out of your mind; but you have made me very uncomfortable," returned Mr. Ardell, ringing the bell. "Come back as fast as you can. Whistle a cab for Mr. Blount," he continued, as James appeared in answer to the bell.

"You must not agitate yourself too much, my dear uncle," said Blount, rising and feeling some compunction at having worked up his host to such a pitch of uneasiness, and he left the room.

A hansom already awaited him, and he was soon rattling towards Paddington.

By this time he had reached a condition of mind which induced him to seek comfort by recapitulating his uncle's arguments against himself.

Suppose his horrible suspicions proved true. Mr. Ardell would certainly cut off Gwen with a shilling—or, perhaps a farthing—possibly all his uncle's fortune might come to him. "But I want Gwen, too," he thought. "I have always been fond of her. There's such go and style about her, and just lately she has been so sweet and friendly. What bright, mischievous brown eyes she has. There's no girl in our set fit to tie her shoes. No, all the money wouldn't be worth much, at least not now, if Gwen slipped through my fingers. Hullo! the arrival platform. Cabby, mind what you are about. I want to meet the 10:20 from R——, and it's 10:17 now."

In a few seconds he had alighted and was pacing the platform.

The rush and bustle of the early evening trains were over. The great station looked gloomy and deserted—very few porters were about and the 10:20 was evidently a thing of no importance.

Blount paced slowly up and down revolving the possibilities of his position.

Gwen was certainly what is called a girl of spirit, not to say slightly headstrong, and there was no saying what a young woman of that description might, could or would do. What motive had she in sending that mysterious telegram, if it were not to mask her movements? "Here, porter; isn't the 10:20 from R—— behind time?"

"Well, it often is—but it's signaled now, sir."

A few more uneasy, miserable minutes and the panting engine was alongside the platform, while the porters were opening and banging the doors. The train was fairly full of better class 'Arrys and 'Arriets who had been boating, plump mothers with numerous olive branches returning from excursions along the river, lover-like couples of a higher grade, eager to jump into hansoms as if fearful of being behind time; men in flannels, girls in muslins and shady hats, for it had been a glorious summer's day. But no sign of the tall distinguished figure he sought for so feverishly. His keen eyes searched every carriage and scanned each group. Soon they were dispersed like grains of pepper thrown on water, while he was alone and despairing. Certainly Gwen Dashwood was not coming home to-night. He left the station and drove back to Lonsdale Gardens as fast as he could.

"No sign of her!" he exclaimed, rushing into the dining-room, where Mr.

"HOW DARE YOU ACCUSE ME OF SUCH BASENESS."

Ardell, thoroughly infected by his nephew's fears, was pacing to and fro.

"Not come!" cried the old man aghast. "Why, what—what can be the meaning of this—this extraordinary disappearance! Something unexpected has occurred. She has missed her train. She has been over-persuaded to stay the night—many things might have happened, but your—your unwarrantable surmise is—too—too preposterous. If Gwen were guilty of deceiving me, I'd—I'd—renounce her forever."

"You must not be too hard. If we can only prevent scandal. I should still be ready to carry out your wishes. I—"

"What is to be done next, Philip?" resumed his uncle as if he had not heard him.

"I'm sure I hardly know, sir. Shall I call at Everard's club to-morrow and ascertain if possible when he returns? But of course he will leave little or no trace of his movements."

"I am quite certain you do Gwen the greatest injustice, but, my dear boy, come to me to-morrow morning early, as early as you can. There is not much doing to-morrow, that case is not on till – till Wednesday, and young Pounceby can manage very well, at least for a few hours, and we must know something certain by the afternoon. No use in expecting her to-night, Philip. Take some brandy and soda before you go. I want some myself."

Both felt a little more hopeful after partaking of this refreshment, when they parted with some solemnity, and Blount made his way to his own place, where he passed a wretched night, harassed by frightful dreams, in which he found himself minus both the "beauz yeux" and the "cassette," of which he hoped to possess himself.

After a hasty visit to the office, for he never neglected business, Blount hurried to Lonsdale Gardens.

"Well, Philip, have you telegraphed?" was Mr. Ardell's salutation.

"No, sir, I thought you would, and two wires would seem ridiculous and suspicious."

"What matter, so long as we get information?" cried his uncle testily.

"I will go and telegraph myself," said Blount, anxious to be up and doing, and bent his steps to a central office at some distance, fancying it would be more rapidly dispatched than from the little local post office in a baker's shop. Returning, a runaway horse and a smashed vehicle impeded his progress, and on his arrival James received him with smiles. "Miss Dashwood is upstairs, sir—arrived just after you went out!"

Blount rushed upstairs, two steps at a time, flung open the door and beheld his uncle standing on the hearth-rug, playing nervously with his "pince-nez;" while, still in her hat—a very becoming one—an open telegram in her hand, Gwen was walking up and down in (not to put too fine a point upon it) a towering rage.

"To make all this fuss about nothing!" she was saying. "To insult me with such suspicions, and you, uncle, to believe them! Ah, Philip, I wonder you dare to look me in the face! I know it is all your doing. You have upset Uncle Ardell frightfully, he is quite ill. How dare you accuse me of such baseness! Yes, uncle has told me everything, and I see that you are a low-minded, disagreeable creature, and I was beginning to think better of you. The whole mystery has arisen from a mistake, either of mine or the telegraph clerk at R——. The telegram I thought I sent—that I intended to send—was: 'Shall *not* be home to-night.' Either he or I omitted the negative!"

"My dear Gwen," began Blount, imploringly.

"Don't 'dear' me!" she interrupted. "As to Mr. Everard, he had a quarrel with his fiancee, an old schoolfellow of mine. I have helped to reconcile them, and she has asked him to meet her and her mother in Paris."

"But, Gwen, if you knew my feelings!"

"If you had kept them to yourself, and not tried to make mischief with my uncle, and lower me in his opinion, I *might* forgive; as it is, I shall have no more to do with you, Philip."

And she kept her word.

[THE END.]

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 3 05, 3 20, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 5 8 00, 8 23, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 03, 4 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 2 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m 12 3, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 23, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 3 3 05, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 45, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 50, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 2

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m 12 48, 2 11, 3 22, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 13, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night Sunday 5 45, 9 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43, 5 14, 6 35, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 00, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 20, 4 55, 5 28, 6 05, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 5 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m, 12 46, 3 11, 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 6 38, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 33, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 3 7 30 p. m.

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5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

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12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

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6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 16 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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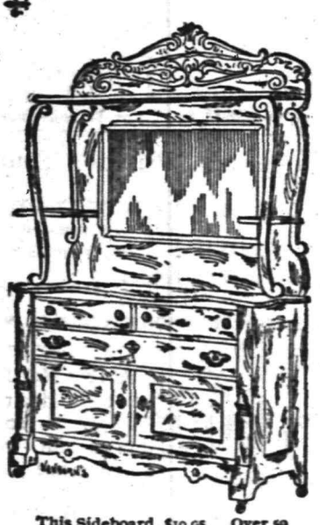

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PHOTOGRAPHING AT NIGHT.

W. A. Eddy Obtains Some Remarkable Results with the Aid of Electricity.

Bayonne, N. J., Nov. 18.—William A. Eddy has discovered that photographs of houses and streets can be taken at night, owing to the wide prevalence of electric light. The first outdoor electric light night photograph on record was taken by him at 9:45 p. m., Nov. 9, 1896, and includes a faint view of the corner of Avenue B and Fourth street, Bayonne, followed by a clear view at 9:50 p. m. of the corner and trees of the grounds formerly owned by the late Dr. Payne. On Nov. 13, 1896, twelve exposures were made at Bayonne between 11 p. m. and midnight, and on Nov. 15 between 8 p. m. and 1 a. m. twelve exposures were made in New York, including Madison square and the New York postoffice. The photographs in New York reveal whole blocks and streets. Mr. Eddy says the discovery will be valuable to the press by making it possible to take important photographs in time for the morning editions. Some of the Bayonne photographs are so clear that the carbon in an electric light globe is discernable, and the houses are as clear as if taken by daylight. Mr. Eddy says he will gain nothing financially by the discovery, since it can be neither copyrighted nor patented. He is preparing to take midair kite photographs of electric-lighted cities.

CAPT. MAHAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Famous Naval Authority Voluntarily Leaves the Service.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Capt. Alfred T. Mahan, U. S. N., who has been placed on the retired list at his own request at the end of forty years' service, enjoys the distinction of being one of the most famous naval writers in the world, and in this respect he is better known abroad than in this country. His book on the "Influence of Sea Power on History" is regarded as a standard work by the great naval powers of Europe. The United States naval war college at Newport, R. I., is his creation, and the curriculum there was devised by him. The announcement of his voluntary retirement was received at the navy department with astonishment, as he would have been promoted to the rank of commodore within a few months and could then have retired with increased pay. It is thought he must have been forced to the act by reason of his pressing literary engagements, as of recent years the duties of active command have interfered so much with the work in which he stood prominent that he has several times hinted to his friends that he contemplated leaving the service at an early date.

Philadelphia Bond Issue.

Philadelphia, Nov. 18.—The awards for the $1,500,000 bonds of the $6,000,000 issue to be made by the city of Philadelphia, forty bids for which were opened yesterday by Mayor Warwick, will not be made for several days. The majority of the offers were above par. The money is to be used in constructing a subway which will be used by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad company. The securities will bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent., and the Reading company will pay half of the interest and also redeem half of the principal.

Union Publishing Company Receiver.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 18.—Attorney John C. Chamberlain, who was appointed receiver for the Union Publishing company, publishers of the Morning Union, is president and one of the largest stockholders of the company, and is anxious for a reorganization. He represented to the court that the business could be made a paying one for the stockholders if properly managed. His bonds were fixed at $20,000.

The Castles Sail on the Havel To-day.

London, Nov. 18.—Mr and Mrs. Walter M. Castle of San Francisco will sail for New York on board the steamship Havel to-day under assumed names.

Satolli's Reports Regarding Ireland.

Rome, Nov. 18.—In vatican circles it is considered improbable that the reports made by Cardinal Satolli regarding Archbishop Ireland will be published.

Death of a Congressman-elect.

Shelbina, Mo., Nov. 18.—Hon. R. P. Giles, who was recently elected to congress from the First Missouri district, died here yesterday.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Weaker; good business Dec., 85¾c.; May, 86¾c.

Corn—Spot trade quiet; old prices. Dec., 31⅛c.; May, 34½c.

Oats—Market dull and easier. Dec., 23⅜c.; May, 26¼c.

Pork—Spot weak; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.50@9.00; family, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Market quiet and weaker. Steam rendered, $4.17½.

Eggs—Market quiet; fair receipts. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 23@26c.; ice house, 16¾@17c.; western, fresh, 22@25c.; limed, 15@16.

Butter—Market quiet; fancy steady. Creamery western extras, 21c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, full made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 9@10¼c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—The market remains about steady, supply equal to the demand. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.21.

TO CONTROL TURKEY

Powers May Place the Country Under European Ministers.

A RUSSIAN FOR THE WAR OFFICE

An Englishman for Minister of Finance and a Frenchman for the Interior—Army To Be Reduced and Police Taken Under Control.

London, Nov. 18.—The Daily News to-day claims, on what it declares to be credible authority, that the powers are considering a scheme for the financial control of Turkey under European ministers. It says that Sir Edgar Vincent, an Englishman, who is governor of the Imperial Ottoman bank, has been mentioned for the ministry of finance. A Russian officer will probably be minister of war, and a Frenchman minister of the interior. The grand vizier will remain president of the council of state. The appointments are being submitted to the powers. It is understood that the heads of the scheme are: First, raising a loan of £5,000,000, and placing police under European control; second, a reduction of the army; third, each vilayet to have a European receiver, who shall be answerable to the minister of finance, for collecting taxes and paying salaries; fourth, a complete revision of the civil and military lists and removal of any officers who have been convicted of crimes or who are otherwise unfit for office; fifth, an entire reorganization of the gendarmery; sixth, no person to be debarred from holding office because of his religion, and, seventh, all communities to have equal rights. The scheme aims to maintain the integrity of the empire, but does not necessarily pre-suppose the retention of Abdul Hamid as sultan.

YALE-HARVARD TROUBLES.

Prospects of an Amicable Adjustment of Their Athletic Differences.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—It is stated here that the Yale athletic managers have taken definite steps toward reaching an agreement with Harvard in athletics. An invitation has been made by Yale to Harvard to come together again in all branches of athletics, and negotiations for a reunion will probably be carried on by graduates of both universities. The Yale undergraduate managers have no definite statement to make relative to the report. All, however, express themselves as desirous of reaching an amicable understanding with Harvard before another college year begins.

Killed Himself in a Church.

Brockton, Mass., Nov. 18.—A most sensational suicide took place in Campello yesterday afternoon. George E. Taber, foreman of the sole leather room in George E. Keith's shoe factory, killed himself in the upper vestibule of the South Congregational church by shooting himself behind the left ear with a revolver. Mr. Taber was a prominent member of the church and chairman of the religious work committee of the Y. M. C. A., prominent in the Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows and Ancient Order of United Workmen. It is stated that his accounts with his employers were being investigated when the deed was committed.

To Christen Two New Gunboats.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Miss Frances La Farge of Newport, R. I., youngest great granddaughter of commodore Oliver H. Perry, has been designated by the mayor of Newport, at the request of the navy department, to christen the gunboat named after that city, to be launched at the Bath Iron works, Maine, the latter part of the present month. A similar invitation has been extended to the mayor of Vicksburg, Miss., to select a young lady to perform a like function for the gunboat Vicksburg to be launched at the same time and place.

Russell Sage Loses a Suit by Default.

Nyack, N. Y., Nov. 18.—The suit brought by Iantha, wife of ex-assemblyman Frank P. Demarest, against Russell Sage, the New York banker, to recover $1,500 on a check of Sage's on which he had stopped payment, was awarded to the plaintiff by default. Judgment for the full amount with 5 per cent. interest being awarded.

F. W. Wilson Held for the Grand Jury.

Boston, Nov. 18.—Frederick W. Wilson was held in the municipal criminal court yesterday in $2,000 for the December grand jury upon the complaint which charges him with being an accessory before the fact to the forgery of an order for merchandise purporting to come from J. Briggs & Co.

New Officers for the Castine.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The gunboat Castine, which recently came home from the south Atlantic squadron with short time men and is now at Norfolk preparing to return to Montevideo, early in December, is to have an entire new complement of officers about the 8th of next month.

Fatally Injured in a Football Game.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Walter Outt, the 15-year-old son of Theodore Outt, of this city, died last evening from injuries received in a football game, Saturday, November 7. He was hurt about the abdomen and peritonitis ensued.

Urged To Engage in a Holy War.

Canea, Island of Crete, Nov. 18.—Placards have been posted in this city inciting the Mussulmans to engage in a holy war against the Christians.

Running Day and Night.

Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 18.—Fichter & Martin's silk mill is now running day and night. Forty operatives were taken on last night.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:50 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:40 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:40 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

NTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Y. M. C. A. team had their pictures taken in front of the clubhouse of the Westfield Athletic Club Saturday afternoon. The picture is a good one, although "Shorty" Milne and Charlie Dupee look rather fierce.

Roy Phillips, captain and fullback of the Alis team, went to Westfield Saturday with the Y. M. C. A. eleven, as substitute end. Phillips is one of the coming players of the city and it is he and his fellow players on the Alis team who, in a few years, will be the crack players of the place.

Now that the day of the great Yale-Princeton game is drawing nigh, both teams are carefully preparing for the contest. Only the team and the regular substitutes are now at the training table, and among them is Wesley Abbott, of this city. As only about twenty are thus favored, Abbott has a good chance of going to the Princeton game in his football suit. The probable lineup of the Yale team will be: Left end, Bass; left tackle, Rogers; left guard, Murray; centre, Chamberlain; right guard, Chadrich; right tackle, Murphy; right end, Hazen; quarterback, Ely; right halfback, Mills; left halfback, Benjamin; full back, Fincke.

The game at Westfield Saturday, between the eleven of that place and the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. team, showed several things very clearly. It was very apparent that the Plainfield boys have left their old class and now constitute one of the strongest teams in the State. While they don't expect to be able to defeat the Elizabeth Athletic Club or the Orange Athletic Club, yet there are many so-called crack teams that will find the Plainfield team a rather hard pill to swallow. Another very evident fact shown was that the Y. M. C. A team has improved wonderfully since the first of the season. The interference was markable and the boys played with clockwork precision that astounded their Westfield opponents.

There has been no more faithful worker in the Y. M. C. A. team this year than Thomas U. Smith. He acted as assistant manager and did the greater part of the preliminary work in getting the team together and scheduling the games. At left half he made many brilliant runs and did his share of the team work. In the first Westfield game he received an injury that resulted in water on the knee and he has been confined to the house until last week. Although unable to play, he went to Westfield with the team Saturday and hobbled about the side lines on his crutches and yelled with the rest of the rooters, for although his knee was injured his lungs were not. He has now about recovered, but will not play again this season.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Chauncey Stout and Geo. Flemer went hunting today.

J. B. D. Kirch and father was out yesterday and shot two rabbits.

Henry Zimmerman, of Duer street, returned last night with eight rabbits.

Dr. George W. Endicott, of Park avenue; Captain S. Schoonmaker and S. L. Schoonmaker, of Central avenue, have just returned from a very successful hunting trip through Georgia.

BASKET BALL.

The business men's team will play a practice game with the regular team on Friday night.

The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will meet the team from the Twenty-third Street Branch of the New York Y. M. C. A., in this city, for a game of basket ball on Friday evening, November 27th.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Charles Anderson, of Somerset street, has just purchased a Barnes wheel.

—John Hand Camp, S. of V., met last night and nominated officers for the ensuing year. The election takes place at the next meeting.

—A horse owned by E. L. Finch, of Park avenue, came near causing great damage at the North Avenue station last night. The animal was balky, and backed the wagon into a number of other horses and wagons about the station. Quick action saved trouble.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

THE ALIS DEFEATS PINGRYS.

Plainfield's Crack Football Eleven Scores 18 to Elizabeth's 0.

The Alis football team played their hardest game of the season yesterday afternoon at Elizabeth when they met the second team of Pingry's School and defeated them by a score of 18 to 0. The eleven that lined up against the Plainfield boys was composed of Sulzer, the crack sprinter and half back on the first team, and mostly substitutes of the first team. The two elevens weighed about the same but the team work of the Alis boys was much superior. The first touchdown was made in the first two minutes of play. Cuming being carried across the line by good interference on the third play. He made one other touchdown and Dwight made two. Finch kicked the only goal. In the second half the Pingry boys braced up and carried the ball to within ten yards of the Alis goal but lost it on four downs. They used end plays almost entirely and only tried the Alis centre once. The ball was speedily carried out of danger. In this half Cuming made his second touchdown in a double pass after a seventy yard run. Two minutes before time was called the quarter back trick was tried and Dwright ran seventy yards for a touchdown. He fairly ran away from Sulzer who was in pursuit. Sulzer is probably the best scholastic runner in this part of the state.

The game was a good one and there was a pleasing absence of slugging. There was one remarkable feature and that was that the signals of the two teams were almost exactly alike.

SCOTCH PLAINS SCHOOL ROBBED.

The Thieves Took What They Could and Scattered the Rest.

The Scotch Plains Public School was visited by a band of marauders last night that stole every thing of value and wantonly tried to destroy the rest. They rifled the teacher's desk and scattered about the room what they did not take, upsetting mucilage and ink bottles. The trustees desk in the office was upset and the bottom of the drawers broken in.

The "Liberty Bell" presented to the school by J. D. Shepard was stolen, as was also a valuable sofa pillow cover, the gift of a graduating class.

The school house was entered by the front door, evidently with a duplicate key. From the way in which things were strewn about, many think that the thieves were boys or young men. They left no trace of their identity behind.

J. M. Smalley Engaged.

The announcement is made of the engagement of Jedediah M. Smalley, of Craig place, a young business man of the borough, to Miss Ida Randolph, of Monroe street, Brooklyn.

L. N. Lovell is in Philadelphia on business today.

D. W. Littell, of West Seventh street, is out after a brief illness.

Louis Timpson is now connected with the John Jacob Astor estate in New York.

Miss Minnie Force, of LaGrande avenue, is visiting friends at New Brunswick and Elizabeth.

Capt. W. J. Cramer, of Lebanon, Hunterdon county, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. F. Bower, of East Front street.

Chief Leggett, of the Asbury Park Fire Department, is in town today the guest of relatives. Mr. Leggett reports that a large fire broke out in Asbury Park last night at 12 o'clock and it took five hours hard work to extinguish the flames.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., will meet tonight.

—Several members were initiated at the meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D. of A., last evening.

—Rev. Walter L. Mayo, assistant superintendent of the Children's Home Society of the State, will speak at the first Baptist Church tonight at the regular Wednesday evening prayer meeting. His talk on the work of the society will be illustrated.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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TELEGRAPHERS DANCE.

Annual Ball of I. O. R. T. in the Cycle Academy a Great Success.

The smooth surface of the Jersey Cycle Academy was thronged last night with 200 couples of gay dancers who were there to attend the annual ball of the Independent Order of Railway Telegraphers of New Jersey, and a pleasant time they enjoyed in gliding about in graceful sympathy with the sweet strains of music from O'Reilly's full orchestra. Many out-of-town people were present. Those in charge were as follows: General manager, M. H. Connelly; floor manager, J. A. Gaffeny; assistant floor manager, D. R. McCarthy; floor committee, M. J. Kelly, W. S. Banghart, Charles Roberts and Angus Allen; reception committee, W. B. Simpson, W. H. Shaffer, W. S. Smith, Frank Wager and A. R. Young; committee of arrangements, M. H. Connelly, J. A. Gaffeny, J. G. Brokaw, H. P. Sebring and D. R. McCarthy. Among the notable faces seen in the crowd was Charles H. Schermerhorn, the genial manager of the Western Union office in this city, who is one of the veterans in the business.

Voight, who played fullback for Westfield Saturday, in her game with Plainfield, is an old Westfield player. He wanted to play with Plainfield in the first part of the season, but the Y. M. C. A. eleven was composed of only Plainfielders and he went to Boston where he played during the season. He came back to Westfield in time for Saturday's game, however. He played well, but even he could not stop the big gains of the Plainfield backs.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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Estate of Robert Anderson deceased.
Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the 6th day of November 1890, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ANSON W. ANDERSON,
11 18 10-oaw-w Administrator.

TAXATION!

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation will meet in the Council Chamber on

The Fourth Tuesday in November,

the 24th instant, and sit from 2 o'clock, p. m., until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

E. C. MULFORD,
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Commissioners.
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Newark, N. J.
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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.
First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St.

SECOND WARD.
First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.
At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.
First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.
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Fine Point Lierre Butter Color Laces, 7 inches wide, only 35c. 8 1-2 inches wide only 45c.

A large variety new Butter Color Valencienne Lace Edgings from 3c to 14c a yard.

The Very Latest in Veilings.

Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, all silk, 14 inches wide, only 8c. Black Fish-Net Veiling, Chenille dot, 18 inches wide, all silk, at only 20, 25 and 28c. Black Maline Veiling, all silk, 27 inches wide, 20, 25 and 30c yard. White Chiffon Veiling, black dot, 18 inches wide at 35c.

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NUPTIAL EVENTS, ONE IN CHURCH AND HOME EACH

Beaux Come from New York and Illinois and Take Away With Them Two Charming Plainfield Belles.

The Home of Mrs. C. P. Leggett the Scene of a Charming Event, and Filled With Flowers and Many Friends.

Grace P. E Church Opened to Receive a Couple Who Retired United in the Bonds of Holy Matrimony—The Details.

Amid a floral confusion, pretty and fragrant, with a host of admiring and congratulating friends present, the love-knot of Miss Virginia Van-Winkle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Van Winkle, of this city, and Rev. Edward Otis Chickering, of Raritan, Ill., was tied at 7 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's parents, 822 Madison avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Paige Peeke, pastor of the East Millstone Reformed church, an intimate friend of the bride's family. The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Van-Winkle was redolent with a display of flowers, and the beautiful gowns of the fair guests, relieved by the conventional dress of their escorts, all marked with a wealth of benignity, gave an additional brilliant effect to the affair.

The principal decorations were palms, chrysanthemums and smilax, banked and entwined with artistic effect over the fixtures of the interior of the house, while pink roses, carnations and chrysanthemums were scattered here and there and relieved all monotony in the sameness of decorations.

In the parlor, where the marriage was performed, the decorations were especially elaborate. Banked in the recesses of the room, and where the contracting parties stood to do homage to Hymen, was a profusion of palms, Eulalia grass and white chrysanthemums—the white and green harmonizing with pretty effect.

Promptly at the appointed hour the sweet strains of Lohengrin's wedding march was wafted through the rooms from Rogers' orchestra and the buzz of coversation among the guests was hushed.

Through the parlor entrance came Rev. Mr. Peeke, followed by two little tots—veritable cupids, except that they lacked the wings that fancy pictures—who lead the way and formed an aisle with white ribbons through which the bridal party passed to the altar. They were Miss Margaret and Master Bertram Leggett, niece and nephew of the bride. They also carried pink carnations. Preceding the bridal party were the ushers, Messrs. Charles Paulison, of Passaic, and H. C. VanEmburgh, of this city.

The bride and groom, soon to be, approached the altar where they stood and were joined in matrimony with service of the Reformed church. The ceremony was performed with a ring. After Hymen had consummated that which Cupid had started, the happy couple remained at the point where the solemn, yet joyful, ceremony had been enacted, while the concourse of guests passed along and extended congratulations and well-wishes for the present and future.

After the formal honors of the evening had been participated in the guests and newly married couple enjoyed the amenities of a pleasant social time, in which dancing was a feature among the young people and conversation among the older ones. During the evening an elaborate supper was served by Max Wiertz.

The bride was handsomely gowned in a traveling suit of brown broadcloth, trimmed with sable fur and lace, and wore a hat to match. She carried a bouquet of LaFrance roses and maiden hair ferns. The dining room was pretty, in which pink was the prevailing tint.

The table was decorated with LaFrance roses while ropes of smilax and wide satin ribbon were entwined about in charming effect.

Mr. and Mrs. Chickering left the scene of the wedding festivities at 9 o'clock to take the 9:23 train for New York. Their departure was marked with all the omens of good luck such as rice, old shoes, etc., are supposed to invoke. The coach and the horses which conveyed them to the station had also undergone a transformation, and was trimmed with white strips of cloth while a pair of old shoes reposed significantly on top of the carriage. They will visit Washington and Chicago, and arrive at Raritan next Tuesday in time for a reception to be tendered them that evening by Mr. Chickering's congregation. The presents were numerous and included cut class and solid silver articles. The groom presented the ushers with dainty gold scarf pins set with pearls. The Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, of which the bride was a member, was present.

Among those present were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Garret Van Winkle,

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The marriage ceremonies of Miss Louise Cole Dryden, of this city, and Francis Gregory Moore, of New York, were solemnized last evening.

It was a church wedding and a brilliant affair throughout. The Grace P. E. church, which the bride's family attends, was the scene of the ceremony and it was handsomely decorated for the occasion. Yellow was the prevailing color, and immense yellow chrysanthemums formed the principal decoration, set off artistically by the dark green evergreen roping that was hung on every side.

The church was crowded when the ceremony began, and among the guests were many who hold a prominent place in Plainfield society. The rather sombre black of the dress suits of the gentlemen were in contrast to the many beautiful and dazzling gowns of their fair companions.

At the appointed hour the grand organ swelled forth in a melody of sound, and the bridal party appeared. The bride, radiant in a gown of ivory-white satin, with chiffon and pearl trimming and tulle veil, was escorted to the altar by her father, J. Meredith Dryden. She carried white chrysanthemums. Then followed her six bridesmaids, charmingly gowned in white figured organdie over yellow satin, with yellow satin girdles and stock collars. They carried large bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums. They were the bride's sisters, Miss Fannie Dryden and Miss Amy Dryden; her cousins, Miss Edith Kensett, of Virginia, and Miss Mamie Kensett, of Baltimore; Miss Nannie Buck, of Baltimore, and Miss "Ted" Scrymser, of Staten Island.

The bride's mother was present, gowned in black satin, with chiffon and duchess lace and diamond ornaments.

The bride and her father met the groom at the altar. He was accompanied by the best man, his brother, Wm. W. Moore, of New York, and the ushers, Meredith Dryden, of Plainfield, brother of the bride; Fred H. Freeman, Mortimer A. Ruger and Morgan Winans of New York. There they were received by Rev. Walpole Warren, D. D., dean of St. James church, New York, which the groom attends. The impressive Episcopal ceremony was read and then the organ again pealed forth its triumphant wedding march and Mr. Moore led his charming bride away.

A reception for the immediate family followed at the home of the bride's parents, 120 West Seventh street. The house was decorated in the same manner as the church with yellow chrysanthemums and evergreen roping. The evergreen roping was significant and was used at the express wish of the bridal couple, for it was while making roping to decorate the house last Christmas that Cupid plied his art so successfully.

The wedding supper was served by Max Wiertz and proved a fine affair.

Most of the wedding gifts were displayed at the home of the bride and were numerous and costly, including silver, cut glass, and the like. The groom's gift to the bride was a furnished house, 817 Third place where they will take up their residence on their return from the wedding trip. Mr. Moore presented his ushers with handsome gold lovers' knot pins while Miss Dryden gave her bridesmaids dainty little pearl and gold ivy leaf pins.

The newly married couple left the house amid the usual shower of rice and caught the Philadelphia express leaving Plainfield at 9:35 o'clock. They will spend ten days at Lakewood and then return to Plainfield to take up their residence as has already been stated.

Among the out of town guests at the wedding were Mrs. T. Harrison Kensett, of Virginia, Mrs. John Kensett and William P. Hall, of Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. George Currier, Miss Poillon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bent, Mrs. Wm. K. Weems, Miss Lucy S. Benjamin and the Misses Winans, of New York.

Two pews were reserved at the church for the members of the brides Sunday school class and there were no prouder little girls in the city than those who, with wondering eyes, watched their Sunday school teachor become the wife of Mr. Moore.

Among the Plainfield guests were Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Thiers, W. J. R. Thiers, Miss Marie Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dryden, Edward Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mumford, Mrs. Edward T. VanBuren, Mrs. D. T. VanBuren, Mrs. W. T. Pellitier, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman, Arthur A. Freeman, Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, the Misses Reinhart, Miss Grace Langdon, Mrs. J. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, Miss Ethel Green, Mrs. Charles A. Fisk, Laurens H. VanBuren, Mr. and Mrs. August Kleinecke, the Misses Borden, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Carman, the Misses Duffy and Miss Jessie Richardson.

Mr. Moore is a New York lawyer and has his law offices at 45 Broadway.

A WARNING TO SERVANTS

INSOLENT SERVANTS CANNOT EXPECT TO RECOVER WAGES.

An Important Decision Rendered by Judge McCormick in the Case of Ford Against Mrs. Lawrence, of this City.

Judge McCormick, of the Court of Common Pleas on Appeal, sustains the judgment of the lower court in the now celebrated case of Eliza Ford against Katharine Dix Lawrence.

The facts of the case are these: Eliza Ford, a colored woman, was hired by Mrs. Lawrence as a domestic servant on the 31st of last March for the period of one week at a stipulated price of $14 per month. Before the expiration of the term of service, that is on Monday morning, April 6th last, the servant was discharged for insolence and disobedience, and because of her actions Mrs. Lawrence refused to pay her for the time served.

The servant refused to leave the house when ordered until her wages were paid, and she became so insubordinate and violent that a policeman had to be called to remove her from the house, who, but for the request of of Mrs. Lawrence, would have locked her up. Subsequently the servant brought suit to recover the wages due her for the time served.

Mr. Lawrence at once consulted her lawyer, Counselor McClure, who, upon hearing the facts of the case, advised her not to pay the servant a penny, holding that the contract was an entire contract and could not be apportioned, and that the servant having been justifiably discharged she could not collect the wages for the time served. The case came up for trial before Justice Nash, who, after hearing the testimony of both sides, gave judgment for the defendant, holding it to be well settled in this State the contract was an entire contract, and that the servant had been dischargad for good and justifiable reasons, namely, insolence and disobedience. Great interest was taken in the case at the time, as it involved the rights and duties of master and servant.

Not satisfied with the decision of the Justice, the case was appealed by the counsel for the servant and the appeal was tried last week Tuesday, and a new witness produced on behalf of the servant; yet, yesterday, Judge McCormick rendered his decision affirming the judgment of Justice Nash. The amount sued for was picayune, but the principle involved was vital and all-important as to the rights of the master and the duties of the servant.

The case was decided in both courts entirely upon Beach against Mullen, 5 Vroom 343, the leading Supreme Court case upon the subject, relied upon and quoted by Counsellor McClure as settling the law in this State.

This decision teaches servants that they cannot go into the homes of their employers and be insolent and disobedient and if discharged, for either or both of those causes, collect their wages for the time served. The law works both ways; if the servant is discharged, without just or legal cause, before the expiration of the term of service, wages for the entire term can be collected. If discharged for sufficient cause, insolence, disobedience, insubordination, drunkenness, disturbing the peace and good order of the master's home, violence, etc., wages cannot be collected from the date of the last periodical payment, and that is because of the entirety of the contract.

Crescent Wheelmen Meet.

A club meeting of the Crescent Wheelmen was held last evening, but no business of importance was transacted. An amendment to the by-laws was introduced and discussed. It provides that members shall be active members without joining the L. A. W., and for those that do not care to belong to the organization, the initiation shall be $3 instead of $5 as at present.

A Pleasant Party.

A very pleasant party was given last evening at the home of I. H. Dodds, of LeGrande avenue, in honor of C. M. Heidt, of Kenoza Lake, N. Y., who has been visiting his sisters, Mrs. W. J. Luckey, of West Second street, and Mrs. W. H. Addis, of North avenue. Mr. Heidt left today for his home.

Severide Gets Two Years.

Frank Severidge, who wounded Frank Eckhardt, the mail messenger for the Central Railroad Company, in Elizabeth, was sentenced yesterday by Judge McCormick, in the Union Court, to two years in State prison.

Their Report Completed.

The Madison Avenue Commissioners have completed their report and submitted the same to the city council. It will be presented at the December meeting of the council.

DEMOCRATS TO GO ALONE

THEY WILL NOT COMBINE WITH ANY CITIZENS' MOVEMENT.

Several Names Mentioned for Mayoralty, But as Yet No One Has Consented to Run—Some Other Candidates Mentioned.

The Democratic primaries are to be held this evening regardless of what the other dissatisfied elements with the present Republican administration are going to do. Before the talk of a Citizens' ticket, James E. Martine, who heads the regular Democrats, said through The Press that his side of the political fence was going ahead and nominate a ticket for the city election as though there had been no upheavals in the party ranks. Mr. Martine and his followers have not changed their opinion any.

But since then the National Democrats have decided to keep out of the race and this decision was quickly followed up with the talk of a Citizens' ticket. This plan was nurtured on the hope that the regular Democrats could be induced to combine with the other dissatisfied elements, and present a solid front against the Republicans. So far as sinking the party name, the Democrats do not intend to do this, though it is likely that they will make some nominations with the idea of securing the support of those who are not now closely identified with the working organization of their party.

No one has yet appeared as a sure candidate for Mayor, though several names have been mentioned, among whom are Jeremiah Manning, J. A. Smith and S. C. Peck. All of these gentlemen are sturdy, yet liberal, believers in Democracy, and are men whose whole interests are centered in Plainfield. Either one of them, it is considered, would make a strong candidate if they could be prevailed upon to accept.

The Collectorship and Treasurership nominations are still an unknown quantity.

A. H. Atterbury is talked of as a possible candidate for School Commissioner.

In the the First ward J. A. Haynes, station agent for the Jersey Central railroad, is talked of strongly for the Councilmanic nomination. Last year Mr. Haynes was on the Citizens' ticket as a nominee for the office.

In the Second ward there is quite a possibility that E. H. Ladd may get the Councilmanic nomination. Though he was a candidate for the nomination in the Republican primary, he is not considered such a rank Republican that it would be a reflection on party loyalty to nominate him. And besides, it is known that he is strong among several Republican leaders, who feel very bitter towards the candidacy of W. N. Runyon, and would be sure to poll heavily of the Republican vote. Frank S. Martin is also talked of in the Second ward.

Carl Pfeiffer is mentioned in the Third ward. He is young and active.

In the Fourth ward the Councilmanic talk is in favor of Arthur Gallup, a popular employe in Potters' Press Works. It is thought that he would poll a big vote among Republicans and would stand a very good show to defeat Isaac Randolph. Mr. Gallup was a member of the Council several years ago and is well acquainted with its in and outs.

The Juniors Fair.

In connection with the fair to conducted in the Ulrich building, East Second street, Thanksgiving week, under the auspices of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., there will be special features. To the person making the highest score bowling on Thanksgiving Eve., will receive a turkey, and the person making the highest score for the week will be presented with a handsome silk umbrella.

A Delightful Combination.

Hot turkey and oysters! The very mention of them causes the mouth to water and a fond longing to grow within. They are to be the attractions at the supper and bazaar which the Advance Circle of King's Daughters is to hold in the old Post Office building on East Front street. This delightful affair is to be held on Thursday, December 3, and supper will be served from 5 to 10 o'clock. Tickets, including admission and supper, are now being sold for thirty-five cents.

In a Runaway Accident.

Mrs. C. W. Blaine and Mrs. Goldson Smalley, both of Dunellen, were driving along the road leading from Pluckamin to Bedminster a day or two ago, when their rig was run into by a team of stage horses. The two ladies were thrown out, but they were only slightly injured. Their wagon was, however, considerably damaged.

—Ground was broken this morning in West End Park for a $6,000 house which will be erected by Mrs. Kuenlen, of Kensington ...que.

THE CHURCHES FULL OF SOCIAL LIFE NOWADAYS.

Beau Brummels Fined atthe Poverty Social—Drills and Recitations at the Church of the Heavenly Rest.

Rags and Tags the Only Thing to Free You From Being Mulcted, and Then You Were Not Sure of Getting Off.

A Special Drill, With Intricate Steps and Pretty Girls, Was the Principal Feature of the Programme at Evona, Last Night.

Taxation without representation! But 'twas for a good cause so the victims of this scheme submitted gracefully and enjoyed the fun of seeing their friends put up according to the demands of the energetic tax gatherers. It was the "povertie" sociable of the Christian Endeavor society of the Seventh Day Baptist church and was held in the parlors of that church.

The first thing to be seen by the visitors on entering the parlors were two long lists of fines for those who were unluckly enough to come in their good clothes. "Tax list for gentlemen" read one, "tax list for gentlewomen" was on the other. Below were the publicans, more eager and watchful than any tax collector of ancient times, ready and waiting for some new victim to appear. On one side, the men were searched for watches, stray scarf pins, rings and the like while on the other the women were treated to similar inquisitorial proceedings. Everybody had to come and be taxed to swell the treasury of the society and even the note book and pencil of the reporters did not save them, for they too were dragged before the assessors.

The "tax lists" were remarkable and showed considerable ingenuity on the part of somebody. The list provided for the fairer sex was as follows: Hair ornament, 2 cents; eye glasses, 3 cents; ribbon stock, 2 cents; silks waists and silk dress, each 5 cents; gold rings and stick pins, 1 cent; wedding rings, untaxed; big sleeves, only 1 cent each; ear rings, 2 cents; diamond rings, 5 cents; bracelets, 2 cents; embroidered handkerchiefs, 2 cents; low shoes, 2 cents; high shoes, 2 cents; patent tips, 1 cent.

The men were even worse off. Their list was as follows: Poll tax, bald spot, 5 cents; patent leathers, 3 cents; neck tie, 1 cent; watch and chain, 2 cents; standing collar, 2 cents; cuffs and turndown collar, 1 cent each; eye glasses and button hole bouquet, 3 cents each; gold rings and scarf pins, 2 cents each; extra fine vests, only 5 cents; diamond rings reduced to only 5 cents; cutaway coat, 3 cents; frock coat, 4 cents; sleeve buttons, 2 cents; shoes, 5 cents.

Many had talked of appearing in true "poveritie" costumes but there was little attempt at it except by Arthur L. Titsworth. He came in a flannel shirt, minus a necktie and his ragged coat was tied together with strings as buttons there were none. Old shoes laced with string and a ragged cap made up his equipment. His appearance was the signal for a general shout of laughter and he immediately fell into the clutches of the publicans. They examined him carefully and at last found a handkerchief in his pocket so ragged that they called it embroidered and taxed him 2 cents. He pleaded that embroidered handkerchiefs were on the women's list, but his protestations were drowned in the general uproar.

To give the tax gatherers a chance to breathe and their victims a chance to recover, a delightful little programme was given. First there was a piano duet by the Misses Jessie Utter and Bessie Titsworth, then a recitation, "Money Musk," with piano accompanment, by Miss Myrtie Randolph. This was followed by a vocal solo by Master Frank Clawson, and a reading by Miss Nellie Miller. Another piano duet by the Misses Utter and Titsworth ended the programme.

Then, while the few remaining ones were assessed and taxed, refreshments were served. They were not after the usual run of sociable edibles, however. Crackers and ginger wafers made everybody thirsty and then glasses of milk were passed to quench it.

The committee that arranged this very pleasant evening, it was pleasant, too, even if everybody did have to be taxed for the fineness of their wearing apparel, was composed of Miss Ida Randolph, Mrs. Joseph Miller, and Miss Jessie Utter, and deserve lots of credit.

Toward the close of the evening A. L. Titsworth was presented with a medal, in the shape of a flat flower pot rest, for being the best dressed man in the room.

—Cold weather is here and colder is coming. Get your clothes of Wienberger.

—Order your mince and pumpkin pies, fancy cakes and all wheat bread of W. W. Warnock, 138 North avenue.

Those who attended the entertainment given in the parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, last evening, were reminded of similar events which were formerly a source of great pleasure to so many.

The affair was entirely under the supervision of Mrs. J. H. Buckley and Miss Etta Raybert, and was given for the benefit of the church. The large number of persons present gave strong evidence of the appreciation felt. A favorite overture by Mrs. Buckley, violin; Mrs. Lewis, piano, and Mrs. Corle, cornet, was rendered with skill and grace. A vocal solo, "Dream Faces," was admirably given by Harry Yaeger and he responded to an encore. The next number was a recitation by Mrs. Lines, whose efforts have won much praise. She gave two selections, both of which were pleasing to the audience. Mrs. Buckley, violin; Miss Emma McCullough, piano, and Miss Ethel McCullough, guitar, rendered "Spanish Melodies" and won hearty applause.

A feature of the programme was the soprano solos by Miss Etta Raybert, who made her first appearance as a soloist. "Happy Days" was the first selection and an encore was given. Miss Raybert has an exceedingly pleasant voice and the ovation she received was most flattering. Mrs. Lines very kindly consented to give another recitation, for which she was heartily applauded. The ever popular "Broadway Two Step" was grandly rendered by Mrs. Buckley, violin; Mrs. Lewis, piano, and Mrs. Corle, cornet. The last number was the Spanish drill, which fairly captured the audience, and the participants were obliged to repeat it. Each one taking part acquitted herself with a great deal of credit, and every movement was given with precision and grace. Especially noteworthy was the leading part, taken by Miss Raybert. The drill was interspersed with several fancy movements, and Miss Raybert's were charming. Those who took part in the drill with Miss Raybert were: Miss Kate Graves, Miss Mamie Hendri, Mrs. Grant, Miss Libbie Dennick, Miss Etta Yaeger, Mrs. Lines, Miss Emma McCullough, Miss Ethel McCullough.

A great deal of credit is due Mrs. Buckley, Miss Raybert, Mrs. Lewis and all those who took part for their untiring efforts to present a programme of such pleasing merit, and a neat sum for the treasury of the church will result.

CO-OPERATION NEEDED.

That is What the Organized Aid Association Offers to the Charitable Societies.

The executive committee of the Organized Aid Association met at the home of Col. Mason W. Tyler, last evening, and it was decided to hold the annual public meeting of the association on December 10. There was a lengthy discussion on how to impress the different charitable associations of this city with the necessity of co-operation with the Organized Aid Association. The latter has all the necessary facilities for investigation of the authenticity of the reported cases. The necessity of co-operation was especially pointed out in the case of a mother and daughter in this city who had applied to seven different churches for and received aids from the mall. Several other similar cases were spoken of which would have been prevented by the distribution of all charities through the Organized Aid Association.

A Social Association.

The members of the tenth grade or class of '99, of the North Plainfield Public High School, met at the home of Miss Alice Barker, on Grove street, yesterday afternoon, and formed an association for social purposes. The following officers were elected to serve the association. President, Miss Elsie Brokaw; Vice-President, Aubrey Hull; Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Hoagland; Secretary, Harry Curtis. White and Maroon were the colors chosen by the association which has a membership of 29.

Don't Want Any Publicity.

The Thursday Night Whist Club were delightfully entertained at the home of ex-Councilman and Mrs. Arthur T. Gallup, on West Front street, last evening. Owing to the newspaper publicity given to the doings of this club, a resolution was passed last evening imposing a fine of $25 on any member who is detected in giving news concerning the club's meetings.

HANNA BARRED OUT

His Ineligibility to Treasury Portfolio Discussed in Washington.

NAVY AND WAR BERTHS OPEN

The National Chairman Admits That He Could Not Accept the Position Unless He Disposed of His Shipping Interests.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The discovery that, under the law, Chairman Hanna is not eligible for the position of secretary of the treasury unless he disposes of his shipping interests, at present the bulk of his fortune and principal source of income, is being discussed here with much interest, and the belief among lawyers is that he is barred out unless, between now and March 4, he should dispose of the large commercial and shipping interests he is now generally supposed to possess. Section 243 of the revised statutes of the United States prohibits the secretary of the treasury, and other high officials in the treasury department, from being "directly or indirectly concerned or interested in carrying on any business, trade or commerce, or from being the owner in whole or in part of any sea vessel." A somewhat similar case occurred when Gen. Grant wanted to appoint the late A. T. Stewart of New York, secretary of the treasury, but Mr. Stewart being a merchant and importer was ineligible. Mr. Hanna, might, of course, dispose of his property between now and next March. Under those circumstances he would be eligible. If these circumstances do not arise, then he will have to be slated for some other place in the cabinet, provided, of course, Mr. McKinley wants him as an adviser, and Mr. Hanna desires a cabinet portfolio. Me might go into the war department or look after the navy. The statute does not apply to these positions.

Hanna Says He Is Barred by Law.

Cleveland, Nov. 19.—In answer to a question by a United-Associated Presses reporter as to whether he was slated for secretary of the treasury, Mr. Hanna said: "Why, I could not be if I wanted to be. The statutes would not permit it. The fact is that I am barred by the provisions of the law." "What are your and Mr. McKinley's plan?" "Mr. McKinley has not decided to go to Thomasville, Ga., nor will he come to Cleveland this week. The fact is he will go no place until Mrs. McKinley's health is such that she can travel with safety and comfort. However, I do not think the Cleveland visit has been given up—only postponed indefinitely. For myself, I cannot say what I will do. I may go to Thomasville, Ga., but as yet have made no definite plans. There is too much business yet awhile for me to think of knocking off for a vacation."

Financial Legislation by Congress.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Hon. Henry H. Bingham, representing the First congressional district in Pennsylvania, responding to an interview on matters likely to engage the attention of the next and forthcoming sessions of congress, expressed the opinion that financial legislation must run over until the Fifty-fifth congress. The attitude of the members-elect, said Mr. Bingham, is not known. They are for the gold currency, but the details covering a change and revision of laws were without limit.

Home Market Clubs.

Boston, Nov. 19.—At the annual meeting of the Home Market club Chas. A. Stott of Lowell was elected president. The receipts during the year were $25,620 and expenditures $21,806. The secretary's report showed the important work done by thec lub in the interest of the gold standard during the recent campaign. Nearly 3,000,000 documents were sent out, about two-thirds being on the money question.

Gov.-elect Black's Private Secretary.

Albany, Nov. 19.—William M. Griffiths of Utica will, it is thought, be appointed by Gov.-elect Black as his private secretary. Mr. Griffiths was graduated from Hamilton college in 1880. In 1883 and 1884 he represented several newspapers in the state legislature, and during Mr. Black's last two years of service in congress he acted as his private secretary.

Extra Session Kentucky Legislature.

Louisville, Nov. 19.—It is reported on good authority that Gov. Bradley has fully decided that the extra session of the legislature shall begin between Jan. 1 and Jan. 15. Gov. Bradley expects to be elected United States senator at this session.

North Carolina Democratic Electors.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Gov. Carr has issued his proclamation declaring the democratic electors duly elected and notifying them to meet here Dec. 1 to cast their vote.

Williams Library at Berkeley.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 19.—The Williams library at the Berkley Divinity school, costing $20,000, has been transferred to the trustees of the Divinity school. The building was erected by the church women of the diocese as a testimonial to bishop John Williams' work in Connecticut. The aged prelate was present and received the gift for the school. Many distinguished Episcopalian clergy were also present.

Newfoundland Petroleum Deposits.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 19.—A British syndicate is arranging to purchase the petroleum deposits on the west coast of the island. Borings which have been made show a splendid flow of rich oil, yielding 54 per cent. lubricating oil and 43 per cent. for illuminating purposes.

HARVARD FOOTBALL TEAM.

Practice Closed Yesterday and the Boys Will Rest Until Saturday's Big Game.

Boston, Nov. 19.—The long, hard season of football practice on Soldiers' field closed yesterday afternoon, and from now until the Pennsylvania game on Saturday the Harvard squad will take a rest. The practice yesterday, which again was secret, was very long, but on the whole quite encouraging. Capt. Wrightington and "Beef" Wheeler were in the line-up, and Cabot played for a short time. Dunlop, in street clothes, watched the practice from the side lines. His knee is still weak and will materially effect his play in Saturday's game. To-day the men will simply run through the signals, and at 6 o'clock will leave Boston over the Fall River line for Philadelphia, where they will arrive to-morrow forenoon. Their headquarters will be at the Stetson house.

U. of P. Team Practicing in the Mountains.

Delaware Water Gap, Pa., Nov. 19.—University of Pennsylvania football team have located among the mountains for a rest and to have secret signal practice before the game with Harvard next Saturday.

MAHER RECEIVED $1,900.

A Similar Sum Divided with His Managers After the Choynski Fight.

Pittsburg, Nov. 19.—John Quinn, manager for Peter Maher, arrived in Pittsburg from New York last night. He said, in reply to the report that Maher would draw his share of the receipts he was to receive from his fight with Choyinski, that Connolly and himself had drawn the money and placed it in the safe at the Sturtevant house. The money was afterward divided, Maher receiving $1,900 for his share, and Connolly and Quinn a similar amount to be divided between them. Choynski and "Parson" Davies received $1,100 each as their share of the receipts. The expenses of all the parties concerned were paid out of the money received. Quinn stated that Maher's next fight would be with Steve O'Donnell on Christmas afternoon at the Greater New York club.

Behring Sea Commission Report.

Washington, Nov. 19.—David Starr Jordan, president of the Leland Stanford university, and a member of the Behring sea commission, which has been at work for four months in Alaska, Kamschatka and the Behring sea making an investigation of the condition of the fur seal herds, is expected at the treasury department to-day for the purpose of making a report on the work that has been accomplished.

To Fortify Portsmouth, N. H.

Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 19.—The work of preparing coast defenses for this harbor and navy yard, which are practically without any protection at the present time in case of war with foreign powers, is to be commenced at once. It is also learned from a reliable source that the erection of a fortification on the Isles of Shoals that would command the approach to the entire New Hampshire coast is contemplated.

Contracts for Rifle Forgings.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The navy department has awarded contracts for eight sets of 13-inch rifle forgings to the Bethlehem Iron works, deliveries to commence in 120 days and to be completed in 365 days, and six sets of 13-inch rifle forgings and one set of 12-inch rifle forgings to the Midvale Steel works, Nicetown, Pa., deliveries to commence in 160 days and to be completed in 340 days.

Senator Butler's Paper Seized.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 19.—Senator Marion Butler's paper, the Caucausian, does not appear to-day, as the office is in the sheriff's hands, having been levied on for a judgment of $191 for paper and printers' salaries. Senator Butler is out of town. The paper is claimed to have 4,800 paid-up subscribers, and it is asserted it will appear next week.

World's Sugar Crop.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Consul-General Karel at St. Petersburg telegraphs the state department that it is estimated by the Russian government that the world's sugar crop this year will reach the enormous total of 8,765,000 tons.

An Indian Sentenced to Prison.

Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Moses Kenjockety, an Indian from the Cattaraugus reservation, was sentenced to the Erie penitentiary for two years yesterday in the United States court. His offense was shooting his wife.

Bicycles as Baggage.

Boston, Nov. 19.—All the New England railroads have agreed to abolish the release heretofore required by passengers shipping their bicycles as baggage under the reduced schedule of prices adopted Oct. 1.

Natural Gas in Northwest Territory.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—Natural gas has been discovered at Medicine Hat, in the northwest territories, and experts have been sent there by the Canadian Pacific Railway company to look over the field.

Telegraphic Reports Abandoned.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Owing to the satisfactory condition of the gold reserve the treasury department has decided to abandon the daily reports by telegraph from the sub-treasuary in New York.

Tin-plate Prices May Be Advanced.

Pittsburg, Nov. 19.—The tin-plate manufacturers, who are now in session here considering the condition of trade and other matters, will, it is expected, advance prices.

Pastoral Installation.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 19.—Rev. O. H. Silvan will be installed to-night as pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church in this city. Fifteen ministers will take part.

AN AWFUL OBJECT LESSON.

But It Failed to Have Exactly the Effect Desired.

The stereopticon has become an important factor in political campaign work. Pictorial arguments appeal to an audience with a force and effectiveness which can be secured in no other way. But wise discretion must be exercised in making illustrations which are easily understood and capable of only one interpretation.

A Prohibition campaign orator the other night undertook to show by stereopticon views the terrible effects of whisky upon the human system. He threw upon the screen a large disk filled with wriggling monsters and remarked:

"Here you see a magnified drop of water—ordinary drinking water. You will observe that it is teeming with life. I shall now add a little alcohol to the drop of water, and you will observe how it affects animal life even in the lowest forms of existence. This will aid us to understand its effects upon the higher animals and man himself."

Whereupon the alcohol was introduced into the experiment, and the squirming animalcules ceased to wriggle and tumbled to the bottom of the disk, dead. Before the orator could make any application of his illustration an old man standing on the curb inquired:

"Say, mister, was that a drop of water—just such water as we drink every day?"

"Yes, sir," replied the illustrator.

"Chuck full of snakes and things?"

"As you saw a moment ago; yes."

"And whisky knocked 'em all out stiff and cold?"

"Precisely. Alcohol is terribly destructive to animal life."

"Well," remarked the old man, with an emphatic snap, "I never have used the stuff, but if that's the way it works I'm never going to drink any more water without adding a little whisky to it first to make it fit to drink."—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Collecting Craze.

"Mrs. Van Twitter is such an original creature."

"What has she been doing lately?"

"Collecting souvenir husbands. Inside of six months she has had one from St. Louis, one from Denver and one from San Francisco."—Chicago Record.

Alligator Fashion.

"I like the looks of the high standing collar," said Cholly. "The only objection I've got against it is that when you chew gum you have to hold your jaw still and move the whole top of your head, you know."—Chicago Tribune.

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Kidneys

I was nervous, had pains in my back. I cannot tell what I suffered. My eyesight became affected and I was so despondent I did not have any interest in life. I had two physicians, but my complaints became worse. I was told that I was affected with Bright's disease. A relative urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did so and in a short time I began to notice a change in my condition. Things began to appear brighter, my eyes improved and

My Back

did not trouble me so severely. My appetite returned and I gained strength every day. I am now able to do my own work, and feel perfectly well. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me and I gladly recommend it." MISS ELLA BARTLEY, 213½ S. Grant Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

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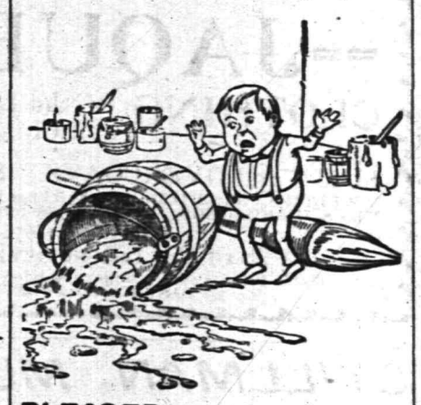

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Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 19.—The death of E. W. Curry, chairman of the democratic state central committee, which occurred in his room at the Hotel Savoy yesterday, is now said to have been due to injuries received while being initiated into a Des Moines lodge of Elks about two months ago. As part of the ceremony, it is alleged, he was blindfolded and placed on an iron seat. Then a lighted lamp was placed under the seat with the expectation that when it got too hot he would jump. But he sat still until he was badly burned. His trousers were burned away and the flesh fearfully scorched. He was put into new clothes and did not realize at the time that the injuries were serious. Mr. Curry lived at Leon and was a leading attorney. The body was taken there this morning by a large escort of Elks and Masons, and the funeral will be held this afternoon.

Gloversville's Embezzling City Clerk.

Gloversville, N. Y., Nov. 19.—The evidence so far produced in the examination of city clerk Frank H. Wilmarth, on the charge of malfeasance in office, shows that Wilmarth had, during the terms of four mayors, systematically raised the amount of the audit sheets and issued checks for amounts ranging from $100 to $300 more than the bills audited. The mayors, who were business men, trusted Wilmarth's honesty and countersigned the checks. The evidence shows that about $4,000 had been taken.

Long-Sought-for Deed Found.

Chillicothe, O., Nov. 19.—An old deed, bearing the date of May 1, 1767, has been found among the records here establishing title to 7,000,000 acres of land in the northwest on which St. Paul, Minneapolis and other smaller towns are located. The land was originally granted to Jonathan Carver by the Nawdawissie Indians, but his heirs, C. B. Hollawa and O. U. Guin, could never establish their claim because the deed was lost. This claim was hunted for 100 years and was finally found here.

Transfer of Reading Property.

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—Samuel Dickson, one of the Reading railway attorneys, states that the receivers of the old Reading railroad will transfer the property to the new corporation at midnight on November 30. The receivers will be formally discharged by the United States circuit court, by whom they were appointed, early in December.

Glen Ridge-Bloomfield Case.

Trenton, Nov. 19.—The court of errors reached a decision yesterday in the Glen Ridge-Bloomfield litigation. The effect of the decision is to affirm the action of the lower court in setting aside as irregular the proceedings under which the city of Bloomfield sought to be incorporated, but upon different grounds than those set out in the opinion below.

Monocal and White Reprimanded.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Secretary Herbert has severely reprimanded civil engineers Monocal and White as being responsible for the dry-dock accident at the New York navy yard last August, but has declined to court-martial those officers. Constructor Bowles, on whom an effort was made to shift the blame, was exonerated.

Diphtheria in Bridgeport.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 19.—There is much alarm felt here over the prevalence of diphtheria. In the Wheeler school district there are about a dozen cases. Parents have withdrawn their little ones from school in several instances. During the past month the disease caused fifteen deaths in this city.

Divorce for Mrs. Adams.

Winsted, Conn., Nov. 19.—Judge Ralph Wheeler, in the superior court, has granted Mrs. Mary P. Adams an absolute divorce from Horace O. Adams on the statutory ground.

Appointed by Gov. Morton.

Albany, Nov. 19.—Gov. Morton has appointed Harvey W. Putnam of Franklinville as a commissioner of the state board of charities for the eighth judicial district.

Coal Miners on Strike.

Bellaire, O., Nov. 19.—The Belmont coal mines are closed, the miners having struck for their old wages.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Market steady; good inquiry. Dec., 87c.; May, 88c.

Corn—Spot easier; fair demand. Dec., 30½c.; May, 33⅝c.

Oats—Demand light; prices irregular. Dec., 23¼c.; May, 26c.

Pork—Spot weak and irregular. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and weaker. Steam rendered, $4.12½.

Eggs—Steadier; in better demand. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 21@13c.; ice house, 16¼@17½c.; western, fresh, 20@22c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 20@21.

Butter—Light receipts; good demand. Creamery western extras, 21½c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, full trade extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10¼c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—Demand extremely slow. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.21.

HASSEKEIN MUST DIE

The Armenian Bishop's Death Sentence Confirmed.

GUILTY OF OWNING A REVOLVER

The Weapon Found in His Home, and He Was Absent at the Time---Arrests Made for Plotting Against the Sultan.

Constantinople, Nov. 19.—The Turkish court of appeals has sentenced the Armenian bishop at Hassekein to death. The bishop is to be executed because during the late riots in Constantinople a loaded revolver was found in his house. He was absent from home at the time, and upon this ground an appeal was taken against the judgment of the special tribunal, but the court of appeals confirmed the sentence imposed by the tribunal. The Armenian bishop of Bitlis and a number of Mussulmans have been arrested in Constantinople for plotting against the sultan.

Turkish Tribunal Suppressed.

Constantinople, Nov. 19.—The foreign ambassadors, as the result of pressure exerted upon the porte, have accomplished the suppression of the special tribunal which has been trying the Armenians and Mussulmans arrested for participation in the late riots in Constantinople. All of the judgments and sentences which have already been pronounced by the tribunal are subject to appeal.

New Armenian Patriarch.

London, Nov. 19.—The Morning Post to-day publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that Bishop Ormanian has been elected Armenian patriarch.

OUR POLICY CORRECT SO FAR.

Statement of the Spanish Prime Minister Regarding Cuba.

Paris, Nov. 19.—Le Journal publishes a report of an interview with Senor Canovas del Castillo, prime minister of Spain, in which he says that the relations between Spain and the United States are excellent. The United States government, the premier says, has always observed a correct attitude, and he does not believe it will change its policy for the sake of the Cubans. If, however, the United States government should do so Spain would cause her rights to be respected. While he is in power, Senor Canovas is reported as saying, he will make no concession to rebels, nor will he show the weakness of drawing back before anybody. Spain, the premier added, regards the Cuban question as one of internal politics.

DE WINDT COMING HOME.

A Journey from New York to Paris by Land Not Possible.

London, Nov. 19.—A letter received here from Harry De Windt, dated Vnwaidjik, on the Siberian coast of the Siberian straits, says he has been obliged to abandon his proposed journey by land from New York to Paris, as he finds that the straits are forty miles wide at the narrowest point and are never frozen over. De Windt expects to return in a whaler toward the end of the month.

GEN. VON GOSSLER DERIDED.

His Debut as German War Minister Described as a Fiasco.

London, Nov. 19.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin describes Gen. Von Gossler's debut as minister of war as a complete fiasco. "A more incapable speaker," the dispatch says, "is hardly imaginable. His awkward pauses were filled in with derisive laughter and hisses." The Berlin correspondent of the Times says that Gen. Von Gossler cannot be congratulated upon his part in the debate in the reichstag. "Altogether," this correspondent says, "this promises badly for the security of the government measures for military reform."

St. George's Church Damaged by Fire.

London, Nov. 19.—The tower and part of the body of St. George's church, Hanover square, the most famous church in London for fashionable weddings, was destroyed by fire last evening. St. George's was erected at the commencement of the eighteenth century and contained some fine painted windows brought from Mechlin.

Spaniards' Brutal Sport.

London, Nov. 19.—A dispatch from Paris to the Post says that during a bull and bear fight at Figueras, in Spain, near the French frontier, the bear broke his chain and scrambled up among the audience. Many persons were injured in the stampede before the bear was killed by several shots.

Wheat for Famine Sufferers in India.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—The Journal of Commerce announces that agents from Bombay are on their way to Russia for the purpose of making large purchases of wheat. All of the leading newspapers in St. Petersburg have opened subscription lists for the sufferers by famine in India.

Russia's Short Cereal Crop.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—Returns received by the government show that the yield of the principal cereals in fifty governments of Russia is 16,500,000 quarters below the average yield during the last thirteen years.

Russian Reinforcements in the Caucasus.

London, Nov. 19.—The Times has an Odessa dispatch which asserts that the Russian government intends to reinforce the troops in the Caucasus military district by 27,000 men.

Cabinet Resignations in Brazil.

Paris, Nov. 19.—A dispatch received here from Rio de Janeiro says that the ministers of marine, finance and industry have resigned.

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COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 19—Sociable at the Trinity Reformed church.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.

Showers, Followed by Clearing Friday; Probably Fair; Decidedly Colder.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

The farmers of Union and Somerset counties have good reason to be indignant at the treatment they receive from hunters. Fences are broken down, crops trampled under foot and damaged, poultry killed and carried away, and even cattle and hoses are shot and killed by unscrupulous gunners from the cities. Farmers have actually been obliged to resort to the law to protect themselves. As a rule they have no objection to hunters who hunt game legitimately, but so many abuse their privileges that the farmers are compelled to refuse all alike. It is with hunting as with other sports—a few "hogs" spoil it for all.—Elizabeth Journal.

The Democratic primaries will be held this evening in the various wards for the election of delegates to the city convention to be held next Saturday evening and for the Councilmanic nominations. The outline of what will probably be done is published in the news columns of today's paper.

It is understood that Councilman Charles J. Fisk, who will undoubtedly be nominated for Mayor at the Republican city convention this evening, is not in favor of making any changes in the street department as now constituted, though there is a good deal of talk in that direction.

The ticket nominated at the Republican city convention tonight will probably be that predicted in this paper some weeks ago, namely: Fisk for Mayor; Bird for Collector and Titsworth for Treasurer.

The communication published in The Daily Press yesterday was tales told out of school. It made choice political gossip for the evening.

The Motorman Laid Off.

While car No. 3 of the street railway was making a trip through Fourth street last evening it collided with L. B. Coddington's truck, at the corner of Liberty street, and every pane of glass on one side was broken. Edward F. Schimer was the motorman in charge and the company feel inclined to believe that the blame of the accident rests on him, and he has been laid off. There was a woman in the car at the time and she narrowly escaped being severely cut with the broken glass. Cyclers riding through that street should be careful as there is much glass in the road for several blocks.

Borough Realty Changes.

The following real estate changes have been recorded from North Plainfield in the Somerset County Clerk's office during the last week: John J. Bicknell et ux to George N. Winans et al, $1,200; Jacob Keller et al to Christian Keller, $1; W. H. H. Wyckoff, Sheriff, to James E. Codington, $1,600; James E. Codington to W. R. Codington, $800; Charles Hyde et ux to Thomas Rutledge, $1,100; Henry B. Lounsbury to Asa F. Randolph, $1; Asa F. Randolph to Grace V. Lounsbury, $1.

New Form of Deviltry.

Some persons deliberately attempted to set fire to the letters in the box in East Somerville Wednesday morning between 6 and 12 o'clock. Postmaster Clark offers a reward of $50 for evidence that will lead to the conviction of the guilty party. Several burnt matches were found in the box, and six o the letters were badly burned The senders of all the injured letters have been ascertained, with one exception. This was directed to Mrs. G. J. Miller, East Millstone.

How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your giglamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr Shotwell, of Asbury Park, visited friends in this city yesterday.

Mrs. VanName, of Third place, is now on her way to Seattle, Wash.

Clifford Braider, of Manning avenue, is confined to his home with illness.

Asa Collier, of East Sixth street, has gone on a business trip to Providence.

Fred W L. Fullerton, of Montclair, spent yesterday with friends in this city.

Louis Chase, of East Front street, has been home from Yale for a few days.

Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit to Brooklyn.

Mrs. Fred Breem, of Richmond street, has returned from a visit with Brooklyn friends.

Mrs. A. A. Wakes, of Brooklyn, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. S. M. Runyon, of Richmond street.

Mrs. A. A. Wakes, of Brooklyn, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. S M Runyon, of Richmond street.

Miss May MacLaughlin, of Somerset street, has returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Rev. L. E. Livermore will conduct the services in the Seventh-day Baptist church tomorrow evening.

Mrs. W. E. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, is entertaining her friend Miss Schaeffer, of Trenton.

Mrs. Hannah P. Underhill, of "The Maples," Chappaqua, N. Y., has returned home after a pleasant visit with Plainfield friends.

Ex President William G. E. See, of the City Council, has moved his household effects to Jersey City, where he has taken up his residence.

C. S. Langdon, of West Seventh street, who has been suffering from sciatica, has gone to Hot Springs, Va., for the benefit of his health.

Rev. Dr Main, the new supply at the Seventh-day Baptist church in this city, will preach at Marlboro on the next Sabbath, (Saturday.)

Frederick W. Perry, manager of the United States Cheque Bank, New York, who resides in the borough, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Health Inspector Peter V. Weaver and daughter, Mrs. V. L. Frazee, of West End Park, drove to Raritan yesterday and spent the day with friends.

Inspecting Officer E. C. Morse, of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will go to Somerville this evening and inspect Wadsworth Post of that place.

Mrs. J. A. Blatz, of Somerset street, who has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism, is reported as much improved. Dr. Zeglio is the attending physician.

Maj. H. F. Brewerton and Capt. E. R. Hills, of the Fifth U. S. Artillery, now stationed at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., are the guests of Rev. S. P. Simpson, of Watchung avenue, today.

The many friends of John Stewart, of Plainfield avenue, will be glad to hear that his health is much improved. He has been very ill for a few weeks, but now he is on the mend.

Victor Lorton, of West Fifth street, went to Trenton yesterday morning to join the Emmett Corrigan Dramatic Company. He will be employed as the company's advertising agent.

Mrs. Thomas Clarkson, of West Front street, and Miss Henrietta R. Clarkson, of Union avenue, have returned from a visit with friends in Newark, New York and Brooklyn.

Cards are out for a reception to be given by Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, to Rev. Floyd Appleton, assistant rector of Grace P. E. church. The event will take place Wednesday evening, November, 25th, from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Mansfield Hummer, of the firm of Hummer Bros., carriage builders, of Annandale, N. J., and his wife have been spending a few days with his brothers, Ex councilman L. A. Hummer and C. M. Hummer, of the borough.

Enter Your Tabbies.

Entries for the chicken and cat show to be held at the Cycle Academy will close on Friday, November 20th, with the Secretary, B. W. Johnson, Cranford, N. J., or with Mr. J. L. Wiseman, at the academy, where any information will be furnished to any one who wishes to exhibit. A large entry of chickens, bantams, rabbits and guinea pigs have been secured as have also a number of fine cats. This is a grand opportunity for the ladies of Plainfield to make an exhibit of their pet cats. Prizes are as follows: $3 for first pair and $1 for second. Entry fee, $1 each.

A fine silver cup has also been donated as a special premium for the best exhibit of cats.

—The meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, tomorrow evening, will be under the charge of the temperance and good citizenship committee.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

NUPTIAL EVENTS, ETC.

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parents of the bride; Otis Clickering, father of the groom, Roseton on-the-Hudson; Mrs. Charles P Leggett; Mr. and Mrs Washington Paulison, Passaic, N. J.; Rev. and Mrs. Hasbrook, the former a classmate of the groom in Rutgers, Peapack; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leggett, Asbury Park; Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Rushmore, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Murray, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hetfield, Miss Lillian Force, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Van Winkle, Rev. and Mrs. Paige Peeke, Mr. John H. Van Winkle, John H. VanWinkle, Jr., Mrs. C. Schenck, Miss S. R. VanWinkle, Daniel VanWinkle, Mrs. Collis T. Pond, Miss Rita Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob VanWinkle, Leonard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William VanWinkle, Miss Nellie VanWinkle, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Day, Mrs Violet VanWinkle, Miss Isabel VanWinkle, Dr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Schermerhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Bigelow, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Harder, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Bird, Miss Emma Gillem, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Force, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Baker, Miss Jennie Quick, Miss Minnie Williams, Miss Laura Emmons, Miss Mabel Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Van Emburgh, Master Bertram Legget; Charles Paulison, Passaic; Mr. H. Clifford Van Emburgh.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Given in Aid of St. Joseph's Church, Before a Large Audience.

Saenger and Turner Hall was filled last evening with members and the friends of St. Joseph's church, who were there to witness an entertainment given under the auspices of the Children of Mary, an organization connected with the church. These events are of yearly occurrence, and Miss Katie Egan, the salutatorian, in opening the programme for the evening, thanked all present for their attendance, and said that all would be done that could to make it a pleasant evening for all.

The programme throughout was rendered in a very creditable manner, each one doing their turn to the satisfaction of all. And while it might be out of place to particularize where all was so good, mention should be made of the following: In the Gypsy Scene the principal characters were enacted by James Bailey and Miss Tillie Smith, and their singing both in solo and duet parts, was so excellent that they had to respond to en encore. "Aunt Peggy and Uncle Dan" were impersonated by Agnes Bailey and Harry Angleman, and these two little people imitated their elders in a way that could not be excelled. They were before the curtain. May Southard and May Burkhan sang "You Can't Play in My Yard," which they did so well that it had to be repeated. And last, but not least, was the Fire Brigade, in which a dozen young boys took part. They all wore red shirts, with the figure 1 on the front, and fire caps, with the word "Warren" on the band. They executed their drill to perfection, and their leader, Master Andrew L. Carney, with trumpet and white fire hat, made an ideal embryo chief.

Father Miller, pastor of the church, presided at the piano, and to him the greatest credit for the success of the entertainment, which will be repeated this evening, is due.

KERAMIC ARTS EXHIBITION.

Mrs. Collis T. Pond One of the Principal Promoters.

The New York Society of Keramic Arts has issued their invitations for their annual exhibit to be given at "The Waldorf," New York, this week. This evening a reception will be held, and is designated as "artist's reception" by the members of the society assisted by a number of the patrons, among whom are many prominent society people of New York and vicinity. An interesting feature of this evening will be the representation of various periods famous in Keramic annals by members of the society in illustrative costumes, among them of Louis XIV period, the Empress Josephine, Japan, Delf, Wedgewood and Duashm for this occasion. About 1,000 invitations have been issued, which is expected to tax the full capacity of the banquet hall and State departments secured for this occasion. Another attraction this evening will be the serving of tea in cups and saucers of inimitable decorations and diversity of design, contributed by the members, which will be sold as souvenirs of the occasion. On Friday and Saturday the exhibition will be continued in the same apartments for which some 6,000 invitations have been issued. The members have assiduously been preparing their exhibits for this event for months past and feel assured of affording their friends an opportunity of seeing a most interesting display of highly decorative art. Among the contributors are several highly renowned artists, members of the society, whose work is exquisite.

Mrs. Colles T. Pond, the corresponding secretary, has been actively engaged for the past three weeks in issuing invitations and directing the arrangements at the Waldorf, all of which has devolved upon her.

Young housewives may depend on Cleveland's baking powder. It does the work just right every time. "I have used Cleveland's baking powder over 25 years—

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

CITY CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the city of Plainfield are requested to meet at the following places on Thursday evening, November 19th, at 8 o'clock to place in nomination a member of the Common Council, and delegates to the City Convention, to be held at the Bryan School on Saturday evening, the 21st.

		Delagates.
First Ward	Hoaglands office, North ave.	5
2d do	Bryant School.	4
3d do	Revere House.	2
4th do	Blimm's Hotel.	11

City Convention will place in nomination a Mayor, Treasurer, City Collector, two Comissioners of Appeal, one Member of the Board of Education. Each ward will nominate one Justice of the Peace, one Constable.

J. E. MARTINE, Pres. Dem. Ass'n.
MICHEAL FLYNN, Secretary.

A BED ROOM IN FLAMES

A CONFLAGRATION THREATENS A WATCHUNG AVENUE RESIDENCE

Rev. S. P. Simpson Saved his Home from Destruction by Energetic Action but, Badly Burned His Hands—The Cause.

A serious conflagration was narrowly averted at the residence of Rev. S. P. Simpson, of 933 Watchung avenue, early this morning by the presence of mind of Mr. Simpson himself. As it was, the house and furniture were damaged to the amount of about $200 while Mr. Simpson sustained many very painful burns and his little daughter, Emily, just escaped being smothered to death.

The family rose early this morning. Miss Simpson and Richard Simpson had started for New York while Edward and little Emily went into her older sister's room and wanted to light a light. She did so and threw the match away. It is supposed that she forgot to extinguish it and that the bed clothes caught from it. Edward, her eldest brother, had his room just above and smelt the smoke. He also heard stifled screams. He called below that something was the matter and went down to investigate. It was then about 7:45 o'clock. The door of Miss Simpson's room was closed and when he opened it, he found the room filled with flames and smoke.

When Mr. Simpson heard his son shout that the house was afire and to send in an alarm, he went up the stairs three steps at a time and hurried to the scene of the fire. Calling for water, he rushed into the blazing room and started to extinguish the fire with the aid of rugs and the pails of water that were brought.

When the little girl, who is about seven years old, had discovered the fire, she shut the door and then tried to scream. The smoke choked her and, in a dazed condition, she huddled in a corner until her father entered Then, unseen by anyone, she ran to her mother's room and hid beneath the bed. Of course, she could not be found at first and it was thought she had been stifled by the smoke. She was afterwards discovered, dazed by fright and smoke, and could tell nothing of what had happened for sometime.

Mr. Simpson finally succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but only after severely burning his hands and wrists.

The room and everything it contained was ruined by the flames and smoke. The bedstead and chairs were charred, while the bed clothes, carpet and rugs were badly burned. A valuable oil painting, valued at about $100, was destroyed, and the damage to the room, furniture, carpet, etc., reached nearly $200.

The household effects were insured in the Phœniz Insurance Company, of London, through E. C. Mulford, for $1,500.

Mr. Simpson had his hands dressed at Hebard's pharmacy.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

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Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c. worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

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38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 39c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tuffed Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—4c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company is putting on a dressing of slag to the depot approaches.

Chief of Police Warden went to New Brunswick yesterday on official business. He brought back a few subpœnaes for future reference.

Out of the seventeen residents and thirty-three dogs living at the tanks, near here, everybody turned out yesterday to witness the hog-killing match between William Weber and Michael Rea. No records were broken, but they both got there just the same.

The borough of Dunellen was thrown into a state of great excitement this morning about 8 o'clock, when an alarm of fire was given. The fire apparatus was taken out and soon arrived at the scene of the fire. It happened that a small stove was upset in John Mohan's house, next to the Town Hall, but quick action on the part of the firemen prevented any serious damage. The apparatus in going to the fire was closely followed by a load of wood in charge of John Huff. If the fire had been a large one it would have been necessary to have had a large quantity of wood, hence Mr. Huff's forethought.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Annie Collins returned to her home in New York yesterday, after a ten-days visit with her sister, Mrs. John H. Blimm.

The 380 foot line fence between Messrs. Marsh and Paff, over which there has been some talk, will soon be, it is hoped, amicably adjusted.

The sociable in the Baptist church last evening was a most enjoyable affair. Other entertainments of a similar nature are to be given during the winter months.

Abram VanNorstrand, who lives on the road leading to New Providence, lost a child from diphtheria last week, and now Mr. VanNorstrand is suffering from the same complaint.

Real Estate Agent Thomas Paff reports business picking up briskly, particularly for this time of the year. Within the past week he has had several applications for farms and small places, and some of the farm hunters are about to locate near here.

The friendly wager between John Blimm and James Boyle, for a foot race from the hotel to the meadow bridge and return, was contested Tuesday night. Blimm won the match and "Ran" Drake was the referee. A turkey supper, with trimming, followed the race.

A force of men were at work yesterday and today clearing the leaves from the gutters in front of the John Taylor Johnson property on East Front street. This is a commendable piece of work, and if other property owners would do likewise, when rain and hail, snow and sleet come, the gutters would not be clogged up as in years past, and a free opportunity would be given the water to run into Green brook.

A drunken Italian, who has but recently landed, but who has already learned to ride a bicycle, cut up some funny capers just east of Cole's hill, on East Front street, yesterday afternoon. The fellow tumbled off thirteen times in as many minutes, but characteristic of his race, he was persistent, mounted the wheel again and rode a short distance when he brought up short in the gutter. Only the wheel was hurt.

Scotch Plains is soon to have a resort where the young men can profitably spend their spare time enjoying reputable amusements. A well-founded rumor says that one of the prominent citizens of the town has taken such an interest in the Young Men's League, which is now meeting at the Baptist church, that he is going to provide a clubhouse, all equipped with bowling alleys, where the members can enjoy the different indoor games and spend a congenial evening.

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A NEW ROAD PROPOSED

TO SKIRT THE RAILROAD BETWEEN BOUND BROOK AND DUNELLEN.

It Will Open a New Territory for Building Lots—Will be a Direct Line Between the Two Towns and a Shorter Route.

Anyone who has ever gone from Dunellen to Bound Brook awheel or in a carriage is likely to remember the road and not with the most pleasant sensations, perhaps. Between the two towns the road leaves the vicinity of the line of the Jersey Central Railroad for the only place between Elizabeth and Somerville. The road zigzags through a swampy, sandy country, and does not approach the railroad again until it reaches Bound Brook.

There is much valuable property lying close to the railroad that is very hard to reach as no road runs in that vicinity. The New Jersey Mutual Realty Company has recently purchased several farms in this section, and is very anxious to open them up. A new road seems to be the only resourse, and so a petition has been circulated among the property owners of that vicinity, asking that a new road be cut through from Dunellen to Bound Brook parallel with the railroad and quite near to it. The petition was signed by the necessary two-thirds of the property owners, and the others, who did not sign, state that they have no objection to it.

The petition will now be acted upon by the proper authorities, who are the Surveyors of the Highway of Middlesex county. They will meet at Taylor's Hotel, Dunellen, on Wednesday, November 25th, to consider the matter and, if a new road is decided upon, they will arrange the assessments.

The proposed road will be a more direct line between Dunellen and Bound Brook than the present thoroughfare and is to be macadamized. It is not antagonistic, however, to the application now pending in Middlesex county for the macadamizing of the old road. As the new road is the most direct, it is likely to be chosen by the Trolley Company when the trolley line is extended from Dunellen through to Somerville. Such an action would greatly tend to open up the property that is at present practically closed.

A WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

A Pleasant Event at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter S. VanFleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter S. VanFleet, of 705 West Front street, celebrated their third wedding anniversary last evening, and it was a pleasant affair throughout. The sociability of all present was a marked feature.

The music for dancing was furnished by Samuel Frazee which was continued until an early hour this morning. The presents received were numerous and costly. Among those present were: Mrs. R. D. Munn, Miss Lillie Keepers, Newark; Mr. and Mrs. Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, Elizabeth; Winslow Brown, Mrs. Barrett, Messrs. Barrett, Morriston; Mrs. H. L. Dayton, Miss Tillie Cooper, Chester; Mrs. Jennings, Miss Jennings, Charles Jennings, Southport, Conn.; Mrs. Hansen, Miss McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. VanFlett and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naylor and son, Mrs. VanFleet, Trenton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lake, Flemington; Mr. and Mrs. Shurts, Mr. Mattis and family, Lebanon; Mr. and Mrs. W. VanFleet, Mr. and Mrs. Mingle, White House; S. Dayton, De W. Dayton, Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. Ames, Millington; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown and son, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Blair and daughters, Basking Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. George Voehl, Mr. and Mrs. Kreger, Miss Kreger, Wm. Kreger, Frank Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hand, Mr. and Mrs. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Boice, Mr. and Mrs. Schomp, Fred Schomp, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Storrs, Mr. and Mrs. Huyler, Miss Huyler, Miss Lucy Westphal, Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. De Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Krausse and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bach, Miss Susie Soden, Miss Martha Soden, Mr. and Mrs. Connolly, Mr. Van Winckle, Plainfield.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend, of Coddington avenue, was called to Westfield this morning owing to the illness of her mother. Mrs. Townsend's brother was removed to the Elizabeth Hospital yesterday to receive treatment for appendicitis.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W Randolph, 143 East Front st.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—A junior dance will be given at the Park Club, Friday evening, November, 27.

—The Plainfield Building Loan directors will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—A new crosswalk is being laid across Somerset street at the head of Manning avenue.

—A phonograph entertainment will be held this evening in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church.

—C. E. Buell, of the borough, has received a patent for an automatic fire extinguisher.

—J. C. Peck, of West Front street, is making some valuable improvements about his house.

—The International Order of Machinists will hold a meeting in Red Men's Hall this evening.

—The Republican City Convention will be held this evening in the Republican Association rooms.

—Money may be "the root, etc.," but if you invest it in good goods at Peck's the tree will bear no evil fruit.

—See "Thanksgiving," by Wright, and "Football Cranks," by Hambidge, in Truth Saturday. Trains and news stands.

—The young people of Marconnier will give an entertainment in the chapel next week. The time will be given later.

—The Washington Avenue Card Club will meet tomorrow evening at home of the Misses Barrett, of North Plainfield.

—Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tomorrow night and important business will come before the meeting.

—Alexander Kane has been awarded the contract for relaying 300 feet of flagging and curbing in front of 920 West Front street.

—The front of Miss A. E. Lincoln's flower conservatory, on Park avenue, has been beautified by a handsome coat of point.

—A meeting of Noah Dove Encampment, No. 28, I. O. O. F., will be held tonight, at which time there will be important business.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Trinity Reformed church will give a sociable this evening in the parlors of the church.

—The Junior League of the Monroe Avenue chapel will celebrate its anniversary next Tuesday with an entertainment in the chapel.

—The Union County Executive Committee of the W. C. T. U., will hold a meeting in Elizabeth, Wednesday morning, December 2d.

—The Alumni Association, of New York University, has elected as its President for the year, Israel C. Pierson, of Watchung avenue. He is of the class of '65 and a Ph. D.

—The large bouquet which was carried at the Chickering-VanWinkle wedding last night by little Margaret Leggett was the gift of her favorite playmate, Master Earl Biglow.

—C. H. Herring, of East Second street, was one of the witnesses in the Thorn-Paoli case which came up in the court at Elizabeth yesterday.

—The heavy iron doors for the vault of the City National Bank were placed in position yesterday. The entire weight of the vault is about fifty tons.

—An annual parade and ball of the Darktown Fire Brigade, of Union, Essex county, will be held on Thanksgiving Day. Several Plainfielders will probably attend.

—The women of Warren chapel have filled a barrel with miscellaneous articles and it will be shipped to Miss Rachael Maier, who is now a missionary in Africa.

—The G. A. R., of this city has investigated the record of Edward Kelly, the old soldier, who is now very ill at the hospital, and found it to be all right. Mr. Kelly is now receiving substantial aid from the Grand Army.

—The Gospel services being held by Joseph Pellatt, the evangelist, at 314 West Second street, are exciting much interest and comment. He is a gifted and stirring preacher, one of the real old style. Go and hear him. Notice of the meetings elsewhere in this paper.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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FOR SALE!

Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired, inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, lots 34x165, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen, sidewalks flagged. Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.
2 new houses on South avenue, near Berckman street, 6 rooms, good cellar and attic. Lot 50x160. Terms easy. All rooms papered. Sidewalks flagged, etc.
1 house on Third street, near New street, 6 rooms nicely papered; connected with sewer; large cellar and attic; hardwood mantels.
2 lots for sale on Third street, near New st., sidewalk flagged; easy terms; will advance money to build at 5 per cent. Elegant building lots on East Sixth street for sale; convenient to schools, churches, etc.; near trolley cars; very easy terms. I will offer the above property at such a low figure that any one desiring a home in a good location cannot do better with their money than to purchase before property advances. Come at see me at 171 North avenue. Open evenings until 9 o'clock. Monthly payments taken.
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DIED.

JOHNSON—At Raritan Township, November 18, 1896, Edith M., daughter of Samuel and Mary Ann Johnson, in her twentieth year. Funeral services at the Marconnier Union Chapel, Friday afternoon, November 20, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Hillside cemetery.

PRAED—In this city, Tuesday, November 17, 1896, John J. Praed, aged 61 years. Funeral services from his late residence, 123 West Fourth street, Thursday at 3 p. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at convenience of the family.

WRAY—In North Plainfield, November 18, 1896, Mary A. Wray, in the 9th year of her age. Funeral services from the residence of her son-in-law, D. L. Thompson, 18 Rockview terrace, Saturday, November 21, at 3 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—Black Cocker Spaniel bitch. Return to Mellor, Hillside avenue for reward

COLORED man wants place as coachman, best city reference. Call 514 West Third street.

WOULD like to take home washing or go out by the day call at 807 East Second street.

TO LET—Furnished room suitable for 2. All improvements. Will board private. George W. Press office.

FLAT to let all improvements cheap to April 1st. McVey North avenue.

FOR SALE—Choice grape vines, 10 cents each. John P. Wolfe, 136 Duer street. 11-18 2

WANTED—Good girl for general house work. 226 East Ninth st. 11-18 3

FOR SALE on easy terms, brick house. Nine rooms, all improvements. Well located, lot 50 by 225. Address "house" Press office. 11-11-3

WANTED—Protestant woman for general housework. Bring references. 143 East Seventh st. 11-18-3

TO LET four rooms all improvements $10 and $12. Inquire 147 East Fifth street. 11-18-6

214 EAST NINTH STREET. Large handsome rooms to let with board. 11 18 6

ROOMS—With board at 217 West Second street. 11-10 1m

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Will find it to their advantage to see our line of separate skirts, wrappers, capes and jackets Not only the best assortment but the best prices, Ladies wrappers, 98c; Ladies skirts, $2.59; Ladies capes, $4.98; Ladies Boucle Jackets, $4.98.

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TOILET SETS—We have the largest assortment in the city and are still selling $1.75 sets for $1.25.

Banquet Lamps—Before buying elsewhere examine our line, very complete, latest styles. Ranging in price from $2.85 up.

GLASSWARE—It is really wonderful what you can get for 5 and 9c. in glassware. Large fruit bowls, 9c. Small fruit dishes to match, 3c. Cake stands, 25c. Water Bottles, 10c. Cheese dishes, 29c. Other items too numerous to mention.

WHITE PORCELAIN—This department is like a great many others, new line coming in, odds and ends to clear out, and we clear them out, too. Here are a few: White bowls 3 sizes, 4c. Large Meat Dishes, 19c. 2-Qt. Pitchers, 15c. Any size plates 5c.

HARDWARE—A few seasonable articles. Furnace scoops, 69c. Large Coal scoops, 75c. Full size steel axe, 89c. Soldering Irons, complete with rosin, 15c. 2-ft. rulers, 9c. Glue Pots, 19c. each. Good quality, Assorted Nails in box 3c. Tacks, nails, screens, etc., at equally low prices. Other items. 2-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots 29c. 3-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 33c. 4-Qt. Parlor Watering Pots, 43c. 4-step Flower Pot Stands, $1.49. Star Clothes Wringer $1.49. Wash benches, 75c. Best Cedar Tubs, electro welded hoops, 43c 3-Stitch brooms, 12c. All bristle dust brushes, 19c.

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THE MISTRESS of the Mine.

or A Woman Intervenes.

By Robert Barr.

Pictures by F.H.King.

Author of The Face and The Mask.

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CHAPTER I.

THE managing editor of the New York Argus sat at his desk with a deep frown on his face, looking out from under his shaggy eyebrows at the young man who had just thrown a huge fur overcoat on the back of one chair, while he sat down himself on another. "I got your telegram," began the editor. "Am I to understand from it that you have failed?"

"Yes, sir," replied the young man, without the slightest hesitation.

"Completely?"

"Utterly."

"Didn't you even get a synopsis of the documents?"

"Not a hanged synop."

The editor's frown grew deeper. The ends of his fingers drummed nervously on the desk.

"You take failure rather jauntily, it strikes me," he said, at last.

"What's the use of taking it any other way? I have the consciousness of knowing that I did my best."

"Um, yes. It's great consolation, no doubt, but it doesn't count in the newspaper business. What did you do?"

"I received your telegram at Montreal and at once left for Burnt Pine—most outlandish spot on earth. I found that Kenyon and Wentworth were staying at the only hotel in the place. Tried to worm out of them what their reports were to be. They were very polite, but I didn't succeed. Then I tried to bribe them, and they ordered me out of the room."

"Perhaps you didn't offer them enough."

"I offered them double what the London syndicate was to pay them for making the report, taking their own word for the amount. I couldn't offer more, because at that point they closed the discussion by ordering me out of the room. I tried to get the reports that night, on the quiet, out of Wentworth's valise, but was unfortunately interrupted. The young men were suspicious, and next morning they left for Ottawa to post the reports, as I gathered afterward, to England. I succeeded in getting hold of the reports, but I couldn't hang on. There are too many police in Ottawa to suit me."

"Do you mean to tell me," said the editor, "that you actually had the reports in your hands and that they were taken from you?"

"Certainly I had; and, as to their being taken from me, it was either that or jail. They don't mince matters in Canada, as they do in the United States, you know."

"But I should think a man of your shrewdness would have been able to get at least a synopsis of the reports before letting them out of your possession."

"My dear sir," said the reporter, rather angry, "the whole thing covered I forget how many pages of foolscap paper, and was the most mixed-up matter I ever saw in my life. I tried— I sat in my room at the hotel, and did my best to master the details. It was full of technicalities, and I couldn't make it out. It required a mining expert to get the hang of their phrases and figures, so I thought the best thing to do was to telegraph it all straight through to New York. I knew it would cost a lot of money, but I knew, also, you didn't mind that; and I thought perhaps somebody here could make sense of what baffled me; besides, I wanted to get the documents out of my possession just as quickly as possible."

"Hem," said the editor. "You took no notes whatever?"

"No, I did not. I had no time. I knew the moment they missed the documents they would have the detectives on my track. As it was, I was arrested when I entered the telegraph office."

"Well, it seems to me," said the managing editor, "if I had once had the papers in my hand I should not have let them go until I had got the gist of what was in them."

"Oh, it's all very well for you to say so," replied the reporter, with the free and easy manner which exists between American newspaper men and their employers, "but I can tell you, with a Canadian jail facing a man, it is hard to decide what is best to do. I couldn't get out of the town for three hours, and before the end of that time they would have had my description in the hands of every policeman in the place. They knew well enough who it was that took the papers, so my only hope lay in getting the thing telegraphed through, and if that had been accomplished everything would have been all right. I would have gone to jail with pleasure if I had got the particulars through to New York."

"Well, what are we to do now?" asked the editor.

"I'm sure I don't know. The two men will be in New York very shortly. They sail, I understand, on the Coloric, which leaves in a week. If you think you have a reporter who can get the particulars out of these men, I should be very pleased to see you set him on. I tell you it isn't so easy to discover what an Englishman doesn't want you to know."

"Well," said the editor, "perhaps that's true. I will think about it. Of course, you did your best, and I appreciate your efforts; but I am sorry you failed."

"You are not half so sorry as I am," said Rivers, as he picked up his big Canadian fur coat and took his leave.

The editor did think about it. He thought for full two minutes. Then he dashed off a note on a sheet of paper, pulled down the little knob that rang the district messenger alarm, and when the uniformed boy appeared gave him the note, saying:

"Deliver this as quickly as you can."

The boy disappeared, and the result of his trip was soon apparent in the arrival of a very natty young woman in the editorial rooms. She was dressed in a neatly-fitting tailor-made costume, and was a very pretty girl, who looked about 19, but was, in reality, considerably older. She had large, appealing blue eyes, with a tender, trustful expression in them, which made the ordinary man say: "What a sweet, innocent look that girl has;" yet what the young woman didn't know about New York was not worth knowing. She boasted that she could get state secrets from dignified members of the cabinet, and an ordinary senator or congressman she looked upon as her lawful prey. What had been told to her in the strictest confidence had often become the sensation of the next day in the paper she represented. She wrote over a nom de guerre, and had tried her hand at nearly everything. She had answered advertisements, exposed rogues and swindlers and had gone to a hotel as chambermaid in order to write her experiences. She had been arrested and locked up so that she might write a three-column account for the Sunday edition of the Argus, of "How Women Are Treated at Police Headquarters.' The editor looked upon her as one of the most valuable members of his staff, and she was paid accordingly.

She came into the room with the self possessed air of the owner of the building, took a seat, after nodding to the editor, and said: "Well?"

"Look here, Jennie," began that austere individual, "do you wish to make a trip to Europe?"

"That depends," said Miss Jennie; "this is not just the time of year that people go to Europe for pleasure, you know."

"Well, this is not exactly a pleasure trip. The truth of the matter is, Rivers has been on a job and has bungled it fearfully, besides nearly getting himself arrested."

The young woman's eyes twinkled. She liked anything with a spice of danger in it, and did not object to hear that she was expected to succeed where a mere masculine reporter had failed.

The editor continued:

"Two young men are going across to England on the Coloric. It sails in a week. I want you to take a ticket for Liverpool by that boat, and obtain from either of those two men the particulars the full particulars—of reports they

"And am I to take the pick of the two young men?"

have made on some mining properties in Canada. Then you must land at Queenstown and cable a complete account to the Argus."

"Mining isn't much in my line," said Miss Jennie, with a frown on her pretty brow. "What sort of mines were they dealing with—gold, silver, copper, or what?"

"They are certain mines on the Ottawa river."

"That's rather indefinite."

"I know it is. I can't give you much information about the matter. I don't know myself, to tell the truth, but I know it is vitally important that we should get a synopsis of what the reports of these young men are to be. A company, called the London syndicate, has been formed in England. This syndicate is to acquire a large number of mines in Canada, if the accounts given by the present owners are anything like correct. Two men, Kenyon and Wentworth—the first a mining engineer and the second an expert accountant—have been sent from London to Canada, one to examine the mines, the other to examine the books of the various corporations. Whether the mines are bought or not will depend a good deal on the reports that these two men have in their possession. The reports, when published, will make a big difference, one way or the other, on the stock exchange. I want to have the gist of these reports before the London syndicate sees them. It will be a big thing for the Argus if it is the first in the field, and I am willing to spend a pile of hard cash to succeed. So don't economize on your cable expenses."

"Very well; have you a book on Canadian mines?"

"I don't know that we have, but there is a book here the 'Mining Resources of Canada;' will that be of any use?"

"I shall need something of that sort. I want to be a little familiar with the subject, you know."

"Quite so," said the editor, "I will see what can be got in that line. You can read it before you start and on the way over."

"All right," said Miss Jennie; "and am I to take the pick of the two young men?"

"Certainly," answered the editor. "You will see them both, and can easily make up your mind which will the sooner fall a victim."

"The Coloric sails in a week, does it?"

"Yes."

"Then I shall need at least $500 to get new dresses with."

"Good gracious!" cried the editor.

"There is no 'good gracious' about it. I'm going to travel as a millionaire's daughter, and it isn't likely that one or two dresses will do me all the way over."

"But you can't get new dresses made in a week," said the editor.

"Can't I? Well, you just get me the $500 and I'll see about the making."

The editor jotted the amount down. "You don't think $400 would do?" he said.

"No, I don't. And say, am I to get a trip to Paris after this is over, or must I come directly back?"

"Oh, I guess we can throw in the trip to Paris," said the editor.

"What did you say the names of the young men are? Or are they young? Probably they are old fogies, if they are in the mining business."

"No; they are young, they are shrewd, and they are English. So, you see, your work is cut out for you. Their names are George Wentworth and John Kenyon."

"Oh, Wentworth is my man," said the young woman, breezily. "John Kenyon! I know just what sort of a person he is—somber and taciturn. Sounds too much like John Bunyan, or John Milton, or names of that sort."

"Well, I wouldn't be too sure about it until you see them. Better not make up your mind about the matter."

"When shall I call for the $500?"

"Oh, that you needn't trouble about. The better way is to get your dresses made, and tell the people to send the bills to our office."

"Very well," said the young woman. "I shall be ready. Don't be frightened at the bills when they come in. If they come up to $1,000 remember I told you I would let you off for $500."

The editor looked at her a moment, and seemed to reflect that perhaps it was better not to give a young lady unlimited credit in New York. So he said: "Wait a bit. I'll write you out the order, and you can take it downstairs."

Miss Jennie took the paper when it was offered to her, and disappeared. When she presented the order in the business office the cashier raised his eyebrows as he noticed the amount, and with a low whistle, said to himself: "Five hundred dollars! I wonder what game Jennie Brewster's up to now."

CHAPTER II.

The last bell had rung. Those who were going ashore had taken their departure. Crowds of human beings clustered on the pier head and at the large doorways of the warehouse which stood open on the steamer wharf. As the big ship slowly backed out there was a fluttering of handkerchiefs from the mass on the pier, and an answering flutter from those who crowded along the bulwarks of the steamer. The tug slowly pulled the prow of the vessel around, and at last the engines of the steamship began their pulsating throbs—throbs that would vibrate night and day until the steamer reached an older world. The crowd on the pier became more and more indistinct to those on board, and many of the passengers went below, for the air was bitterly cold, and the boat was forcing its way down the bay among huge blocks of ice.

Two, at least, of the passengers had taken little interest in the departure. They were leaving no friends behind them, and were both setting their faces toward friends at home.

"Let us go down," said Wentworth to Kenyon, "and see that we get seats together at table before all are taken."

"Very good," replied his companion, and they descended to the roomy saloon, where two long tables were already laid with an ostentatious display of silver, glassware and cutlery, which made many, who looked on this wilderness of white linen with something like dismay, hope that the voyage would be smooth, which, as it was a winter passage, there was every chance it would not be. The purser and two of his assistants sat at one of the shorter tables with a plan before them, marking off the names of passengers who wished to be together, or who wanted some particular place at any of the tables. The smaller side tables were still uncovered, because the number of passengers at that season of the year was comparatively small. As the places were assigned, one of the helpers to the purser wrote the names of the passengers on small cards, and the other put the cards on the tables.

One young woman, in a beautifully fitted traveling gown, evidently of the newest cut and design, stood a little apart from the general group which surrounded the purser and his assistants. She eagerly scanned every face, and listened attentively to the names given. Sometimes a shade of disappointment crossed her brow, as if she expected some particular person to possess some particular name which that particular person did not have. At last her eyes sparkled.

"My name is Wentworth," said the young man whose turn it was.

"Ah! any favorite place, Mr. Wentworth?" asked the purser, blandly, as if he had known Wentworth all his life.

"No, we don't care where we sit; but my friend, Mr. Kenyon, and myself would like places together."

"Very good; you had better come to my table," replied the purser. "Nos. 23 and 24—Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Wentworth."

The steward took the cards that were given him, and placed them to correspond with the numbers the purser had named. Then the young woman moved gracefully along, as if she were interested in the names on the table. She looked at Wentworth's name for a moment, and saw in the place next to his the name of Mr. Brown. She gave a quick, apprehensive glance around the saloon, and saw the two young men who had arranged for their seats at table now walking leisurely toward the companionway. She took the card with the name of Mr. Brown upon it, and slipped upon the table another on which was written: "Miss Jennie Brewster." Mr. Brown's card she placed on the spot from which she had taken her own.

"I hope Mr. Brown is not particular which place he occupies," said Miss Jennie, to herself; "but at any rate I shall see that I am early for dinner, and I'm sure Mr. Brown, whoever he is, will not be so ungallant as to insist on having this place if he knows his card was here."

Subsequent events proved Miss Jennie's surmise regarding Mr. Brown's indifference perfectly well founded. That young man searched for his card, found it, and sat down on the chair opposite Miss Jennie, who already occupied her chair, and was, in fact, the first one at table. Seeing there would be no unseemly dispute about places, she began to plan in her own mind how she would first attract the attention of Mr. Wentworth. While thinking how best to approach her victim, Miss Jennie heard his voice.

"Here you are, Kenyon, here are our places."

"Which is mine?" said the voice of Kenyon.

"It doesn't matter," answered Wentworth, and then a thrill of fear went through the gentle heart of Miss Jennie Brewster. She had not thought of the young man not caring which seat he occupied, and she dreaded the possibility of finding herself next to Kenyon rather than Wentworth. Her first estimate of the characters of the two men seemed to be correct. She always thought of Kenyon as Bunyan, and she felt certain that Wentworth would be the easier man of the two to influence. The next moment her fears were allayed, for Kenyon giving a rapid glance at the handsome young woman, deliberately chose the seat farthest from her, and Wentworth, with: "I beg your pardon," slipped in and sat down on the chair beside her.

"Now," thought Jennie, with a sigh of relief, "our positions are fixed for the meals of the voyage." She had made her plans for beginning an acquaintance with the young man, but they were rendered unnecessary by the gallant Mr. Wentworth handing her the bill of fare.

"Oh, thank you," said Miss Jennie, in a low voice, which was so musical that Wentworth glanced at her a second time and saw how sweet and pretty and innocent she was.

"I'm in luck," said the unfortunate young man to himself.

Then he remarked aloud: "We have not many ladies with us this voyage."

"No," replied Miss Brewster; "I suppose nobody really crosses at this time of the year unless compelled to."

"I can answer for two passengers that such is the case."

"Do you mean yourself as one?"

"Yes, myself and my friend."

"How pleasant it must be," said Miss Brewster, "to travel with a friend. Then one is not lonely. I, unfortunately, am traveling alone."

"I fancy," said the gallant Wentworth, "that if you are lonely while on board ship it will be entirely your own fault."

Miss Brewster laughed a silvery little laugh. "I don't know about that," she said. "I am going to that Mecca of all Americans—Paris. My father is to meet me there, and we are then going on to the Riviera together."

"Ah! that will be very pleasant," said Wentworth. "The Riviera at this season is certainly a place to be desired."

"So I have heard," she replied.

"Have you not been across before?"

"No, this is my first voyage. I suppose you have crossed many times?"

"Oh, no," answered the Englishman; "this is only my second voyage, my first having been the one that took me to America."

"Ah, then, you are not an American?" returned Miss Brewster, with apparent surprise. She imagined that a man is generally flattered when a mistake of this kind is made. No matter how proud he may be of his country, it shows that there is certainly no provincialism about him that, as the Americans say, "gave him away."

"I think," said Wentworth, "as a general thing, I am not mistaken for anything but what I am—an Englishman."

"I have met so few Englishmen," said the guileless Miss Jennie, "that really I should not be expected to know."

"I understand it is a common delusion among Americans that every Englishman drops his 'h's,' and is to be detected in that way."

Jennie laughed again, and George Wentworth thought it one of the prettiest laughs he had ever heard.

Poor Kenyon was rather neglected by his friend during the dinner. He felt a little gloomy while the courses went on, and wished he had an evening paper. Meanwhile Wentworth and the hand-

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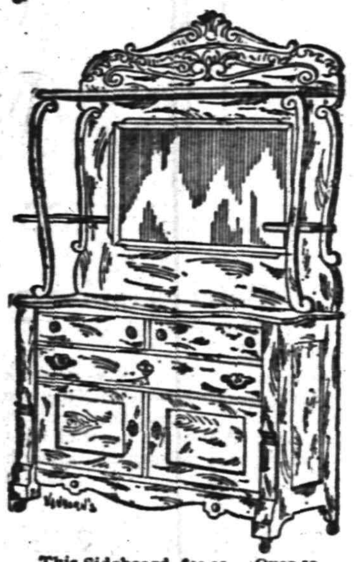

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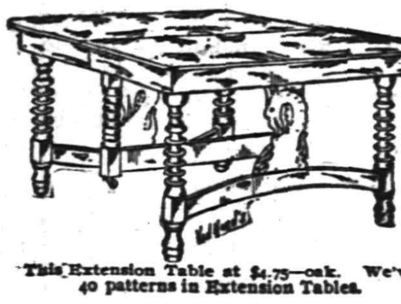

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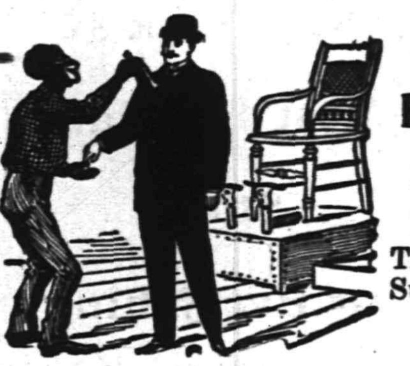

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A STATEMENT FROM THE WIZARD

Does Not Look for Any Definite Results from the X-Rays in That Direction, But Something May Be Accomplished.

New York, Nov. 19.—The published story that Thomas A. Edison had made the prediction that he believed he would soon be able to cure the blind by the use of the x-rays caused considerable discussion among medical men in this city and the story was at once put down as absurd, and no one believed Mr. Edison had made such an assertion. Mr. Edison, when spoken to on the subject, was greatly annoyed at the publication of such a story, and said it placed him in a ridiculous light. Mr. Edison disclaims having made any predictions that he can restore sight to the blind. He simply says that with the many experiments that will undoubtedly be made in the next few years, something may be accomplished in this direction. As for himself, it is not his intention to devote his time or attention to the subject, as it is entirely out of his line. In the interest of the public, however, he will probably soon secure three or four intelligent subjects, use an X-ray having great penetrative power, and if possible secure really satisfactory results. Mr. Edison says he has been much annoyed at the exaggerated and unwarranted statements. He has made a beginning in what may prove to be an interesting field, but he says he does not wish to be quoted as having made any great or rash promises as to what can be done. Mr. Edison then gave out the following written statement: "Tuesday night of last week I had been several hours in a dark room experimenting on the X-ray. My eyes were very sensitive, as I had a powerful tube. I noticed that when my eyes were shut I saw the passage of my hand. Then I blindfolded myself with my hand entirely. Then I could see the movement of my other hand. This, with other experiments, I sent to a New York electrical journal. It naturally occurred to me that it might be possible for people afflicted with blindness of a peculiar kind, such as cataract, to see moving objects with the X-ray. On Monday my attention was called to a telegram from San Francisco, in which it was stated that a colored boy had been enabled to see by means of the X-ray. It was suggested that two blind men be brought to try the experiment. This was done, and experiments were tried on Tuesday night with different kinds of tubes. There were some favorable results. This was all that was accomplished at that time, the men saying that they could distinguish little points of light."

Large Boulder for a Monument's Base.

Winsted, Conn., Nov. 19.—Edward Manchester of Winstead, candidate for governor on the prohibition ticket at the last election, yesterday shipped to Cleveland, O., a granite boulder weighing 1,200 pounds, consigned to Rev. Charles Manchester, who is pastor of the Methodist church at Canton, O., of which President-elect McKinley is a member. Rev. Mr. Manchester visited the place of his birth in Colebrook River last summer and selected the boulder, which will be used as a base for a bronze monument to be erected by Maj. McKinley's pastor in a Cleveland cemetery.

Fitzsimmons Has Objections.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—When advised of the purse offered by the Bohemian Athletic club of New York for a twenty-round contest between Fitzsimmons and Corbett, Martin Julian, the Cornishman's manager, stated that the offer was not acceptable. Fitzsimmons desires a finish fight, and will not consent to the selection of "Honest" John Kelly as referee. Now that Dan Stuart has obtained a concession from the Mexican government for athletic exhibitions, Julian believes he should be given an opportunity to match the heavyweights.

Football Ticket Speculation.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 19.—The tickets for the Yale-Princeton football game have risen to a premium and are being sold at from $6 to $10 apiece. The Yale management has put detectives on the track of the persons who are making the deals. The managers threaten to have the name of every Yale student caught speculating printed in the college papers if they can secure proof of the act.

Railroad Sale Confirmed.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Judge Jenkins in the United States court has entered an order confirming the master's sale of the Chicago & Northern Pacific railroad property for $8,000,000.

Bequest for Boston's Children's Hospital.

Dedham, Mass., Nov. 19.—By the will of the late Oliver W. Peabody of Milton, $10,000 is bequeathed to the Childrens' hospital of Boston.

TEN WERE DROWNED

Details of the Loss of the British Steamship Memphis.

A NIGHT OF TERROR AND DEATH

The Unfortunates Swept from the Rocks After Reaching the Cliffs, While Others Dropped from the Ship's Rigging.

London, Nov. 19.—It is now known that ten of those aboard the British steamer Memphis, Capt. Williams, which sailed from Montreal Nov. 4 for Bristol and was wrecked in Dunlough bay, near Mizen Head, on the south coast of Ireland, were drowned. The Memphis struck at 10 o'clock during the prevalence of a dense fog. At the time of the accident the steamer was proceeding cautiously, blowing her whistle continuously, and keeping a sharp lookout for the Mizen Head and Brow Head lights, which the thickness of the weather prevented her from making out. As soon as she struck the rocks the vessel began to fill, and rockets were immediately fired for the purpose of summoning assistance from the shore. Three of the ship's boats were at once lowered, but one of them was shattered by being dashed against the side of the steamer and two of its occupants were drowned. The others succeeded in reaching the rocks along the shore, but five of them were washed away and drowned, their companions being unable to render them the slightest assistance. Those of the crew who had taken to the rigging soon after the steamer struck experienced an awful night. They were constantly drenched by the heavy seas which washed over them and some of them, after a hard fight for their lives, dropped from their places and were carried away. The rockets sent up by the steamer's crew were seen by the coast guard, but the latter were unable to communicate with the shipwrecked men until after daybreak, when all who remained in the rigging were taken off by means of a line conveyed to the steamer by the rocket apparatus of the life-savers. The rescued persons immediately upon reaching the shore were taken to various farmhouses in the vicinity, where they were kindly cared for by the inmates. Many of them were almost naked, but were supplied with sufficient clothing to enable them to proceed to Crookhaven, at which place most of them are now. The steamer is a total wreck, and much of the cargo is being washed ashore. The coast-guard are engaged in the work of salvage.

Law Officers Wounded by Murderers.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 19.—News has reached this city that the sheriff's posse, who went in pursuit of the murderers of I. A. Patrick, a prominent farmer and cotton planter, have had a fight with the supposed assassins. Deputy Sheriff Ledbetter was shot through the shoulder near the right breast. Constable Peacock was shot through the right thigh. It is thought Ledbetter is fatally wounded.

Feared That a Vessel Has Foundered.

Boston, Nov. 19.—The British tug Eureka, from Quebec for Philadelphia, has arrived at Portland, and from the report of her captain it is feared that some eastern vessel foundered during the recent southwesterly gale. The captain of the tug states that between Mount Desert and Monhegan, Me., he passed a large amount of wreckage, consisting of portions of a vessel and floating lumber.

Requisition for Embezzler Clark.

Hartford, Nov. 19.—Gov. Coffin has issued a requisition upon Gov. Budd of California for the surrender of Harry T. Clark of New Haven, Conn., who is wanted for embezzlement from Peck & Bishop of that city. He is now under arrest in San Francisco, where he surrendered a few days ago, claiming that he had been in a hypnotic state since leaving New Haven.

The Marrett Will Case.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 19.—Judge Wheeler in the superior court of Hartford county has decided the Marrett will case against the state and in favor of the beneficiaries, who, if the decision holds, will recive about $90,000, of which Yale college will obtain about $17,000. The case will be appealed to the supreme court.

Canadian Pacific Telegraphers.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—The Canadian Pacific railway telegraphers having satisfactorily settled their grievances with the company, it is said that an effort will now be made to affiliate this order with the great organization to which the engineers and conductors belong, which have their headquarters in the United States.

Brooklyn Navy Yard Dry Dock All Right.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Commodore Sicard telegraphs the navy department that there is no truth in the statement that the bottom has dropped out of the dry dock at the New York navy yard. He says a few of the heavy timbers have bulged about an inch, but that the matter is unimportant.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:52 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:39 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:39 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

NTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Dunellen football team will try conclusions with the Cranford eleven at Cranford on Saturday afternoon.

The candidates for the Spartan football team will meet for practice this evening and tomorrow evening on the Summit avenue field, just off Westervelt avenue.

Neither the Y. M. C. A. team nor the Alis team will play football on Saturday for they, and everybody else that likes to see a good game and can, will go to New York to see the Yale-Princeton game. There are many Yale men in Plainfield, but most of the enthusiasts are supporters of the orange and black. Several of the Princeton team are known here, especially Bannard, who has quite a circle of Plainfield acquaintances. The Princeton team will probably line up as follows: Right end, Cochran; right tackle, Hillebrand; right guard, Armstrong; centre, Gorley; left guard, Crowdis; left tackle, Church; left end, Brokaw; quarterback, Smith; right halfback, Kelley; left halfback, Bannard; full back, Baird. Which will be the victor still remains an open question. Princeton has been playing a very strong game, but during the last few days the men have fallen off in their play and, unless they improve, they are likely to go down before the determined attacks of Yale.

The football season in Plainfield is nearly over. The Y. M. C. A. team makes its last appearance on the gridiron next week on Thanksgiving Day in a game with the Princeton '97 team, a strong organization from the Senior class of New Jersey's leading college. A glance back over the season that is now almost to an end is very gratifying to those interested in the game of football. The strongest team, individually and collectively, that has ever represented Plainfield, lined up this season and defeated the teams who last year were its strongest rivals, without any trouble. Had the management realized the strength of the team they had under their control, the schedule would have been different, but basing their calculations on the work of last year most of the games were arranged before a game was played. No game was arranged for Thanksgiving Day at first, but when the local boys put up such a magnificent game as they have all this season, an effort was made to get a very strong team for the last match of the season. The college boys are always popular, and Princeton students are especially so in Plainfield. Several challenges were received from teams in that college and the management finally settled on the Senior class team which is reputed to be the strongest in the college outside of the 'varsity eleven. The Princeton boys are anxious to come here, and promise to bring a crowd of rooters with them.

Driver Wm. Ross, of the fire department, spent yesterday hunting cottontails. He returned with a goodly number.

An Exciting Runaway.

An exciting accident occurred on East Third street this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Todd, of Fanwood, were being driven down East Third street by their colored coachman when the horse became frightened at a dog and ran away. Mrs. Todd was thrown out but escaped injury. The horse ran into the embankment on Watchung avenue. The shafts and front wheels were wrecked. Mr. and Mrs. Todd were preparing to take the train for Philadelphia.

A Very Old Woman Dead.

In the death of Mrs. Mary A. Wray, of 18 Rockview Terrace, which occurred yesterday, North Plainfield loses a most estimable Christian woman, who was loved by all who knew her. She was in her ninetieth year and retained her faculties until the last. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, D. L. Thompson, 18 Rockview Terrace.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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THE WAGONER FAMILY VISITED BY A PLAINFIELD WOMAN.

She Takes a Big Box of Groceries to the Poverty Stricken Family and Will Try to Get Them a Home in This City

The story published in yesterday's Press concerning the pitiable condition of the family of the late Jeptha Wagoner, aroused a great deal of sympathy in the hearts of many of Plainfield's charitable people. But many people are so prone giving expression to sorrow and regret and not following it up with practical charity. Mrs. F. W. Wills, of LaGrande avenue, is not one of these persons, however, and because of this the Wagoner family is temporarily provided for, at least, and efforts are making to lift them out of the poverty and squalor into which they have been pitched by the death of the husband and father.

Mrs. Wills read the description of the Wagoner family's distress and was touched by it. This morning she drove over the stony and hilly road to the miserable hut which is called a home, and found that what The Press had said was all too true. The structure in which they live is a mere shell that looks as though every strong wind would lay low. The windows are boarded up and in one of them is a sheet through which a few rays of sunlight struggle to cast an unearthly glow on the decayed and rough floor. There is no chimney in the house, the pipe from the little stove which serves all purposes for heating and cooking finding an opening in a hole in the roof. Mrs. Wills found that there was not a decent piece of furniture in the house, and scarcely any furniture at all, in fact.

Mrs. Wagoner and her three little children, ranging from six to thirteen years of age, had a few old potatoes for breakfast this morning. That was all. But Mrs. Wills brought gladness to the poor woman's heart when she had a big box of groceries carried into the house, which she had bought before going there.

Mrs. Wagoner expressed a great desire to work so that she might provide for her children and was even willing to walk back and forth between this city and the place she calls home if she could get something to do here. Mrs. Wills has interested herself in the case and will make an effort to have the Relief Association do something for the family. It is hoped that a position can be found for her in this city and then the children can be brought here and looked after with some comfort.

That there are others who are willing to help the woman and her children is shown by the fact that 'A Sympathizer," has sent The Press $2 for the help of the family. The Press will contribute $2 and gladly receive other contributions and see that they are applied to the relief of the family. Any sum, no matter how small, will be welcome.

Funeral of Walter Bass.

The funeral services of the late Walter A. Bass were held from the house on West Eighth street, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. E. M. Rodman officiated, assisted by Rev. Floyd Appleton, assistant rector of Grace P. E. Church, and a vocal selection "Nearer My God to Thee," was effectively rendered by Mrs. W. Freeman, alto; Miss Eagan and Miss Smith, sopranos; E. E. Runyon, bass. The impressive Episcopal service was used, and comforting words were read from First Corinthians, 15th chapter and prayer was offered by Dr. Rodman. The service concluded with the singing of "Rock of Ages," by the quintette There was a large attendance at the services and many persons from out of town were present. Interment was at Hillside cemetery where Dr. Rodman officiated.

No One Appeared.

The Sewer Commissioners met last evening for the purpose of meeting any property owners who desired to confer with them. After waiting a proper length of time no one appeared and the meeting adjourned. The Commissioners will hold one more meeting, on Tuesday evening, December 1st, and they will present their report to the Council on Monday evening, December 7th, when some action regarding the matter will be taken.

—Horace Martin, Jr., of Fairview avenue, went to the hospital today to undergo an operation of the nose. When quite young he struck his nose against a hard substance and as a result the dividing bone had grown to one side leaving only one nostril for breathing. The operation will be performed this afternoon by Dr. F. C. Ard.

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THEATRICAL.

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—A spring wagon, belonging to Michael Powers, and a dog cart collided on West Front street in front of Hallock's. The wing of the dog cart was wrecked.

—Vapor baths are recommended as very helpful. Miss M. V. Stickle is prepared to furnish them. Read her announcement in another column of today's Press.

—Bridget Coleman alias Bridget McClusky, was found drunk in the gutter on Park avenue last night by Patrolman McCue. In default of her $5 fine she went down the road for 20 days.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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Revival Meetings.

The gospel revival services D. V. are to be continued by Joseph Pellatt, evangelist, at the room 314 West Second street, as follows: Friday evening, November 20th, at 8 o'clock. Sunday afternoon, November 22d, at 3 o'clock; Sunday evening, November 22, at 7.45 o'clock. The afternoon meeting is specially intended for young Christians. But all are cordially invited to come. God is working you will get blessing. 11 19 3t

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Dated this fourth day of November, A. D., 1896.

[Signed.] RUDOLPH KERSTING.
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NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Tucker Dunham deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, within nine months from the seventh day of October 1896, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

MARY THANKFUL DUNHAM.
MARSON MARVIN DUNHAM.
Executors.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administratrix of Charles E. Catlin, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next. GERTRUDE W. CATLIN.
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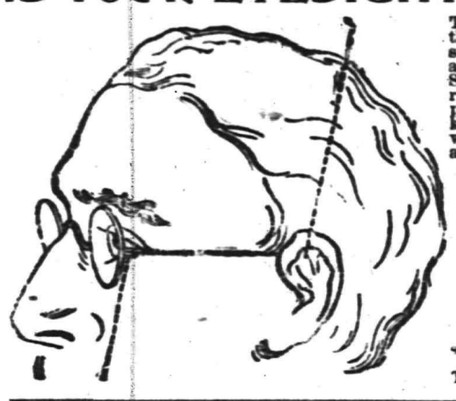

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THE LEGISLATIVE GOSSIP

SOME OF THE MEASURES THAT WILL BE BROUGHT UP.

A New Borough Law, to Simplify the Work of Local Government, Will be One—Ballot Law Amendment Proposed.

The coming session of the Legislature will be of considerable importance if all the subjects that are scheduled are considered. There is talk of trying to make it the shortest session on record, but this will be impossible if any consideration whatever is given the important things that are suggested.

One of the subjects that will be considered will be a complete and general borough act, that will facilitate the government of the several hundred boroughs in the State, which in recent years have had a trying time because of the numerous conflicting borough laws. They are working under a temporary act, passed last year, to enable them to continue their corporate existence.

An effort will be made to get the Werts ballot law amended in many particulars. There is a demand for re-enactment of the sunset feature, and also for stricter provisions for the filing of petitions which create new parties. In the last campaign the National Silver Party filed a petition with 1,200 signers, nine-tenths of whom had no idea of voting for the ticket. The result of the election shows that only a few did vote. Because of this petition, several hundred thousand ballots had to be printed at a cost to the taxpayers all over the State of $5,000. It is proposed to amend the law so that those who sign petitions of this character must make affidavit that they intend to vote for the party they are assisting to have recognized.

Assemblyman Lloyd, of Camden, is going to make another attempt to get a Marriage License bill. New Jersey has been for years a Gretna Green, and the business has become so profitable to ministers that marriages are allowed that are disgraceful. Many attempts have been made to get a Marriage License law, but the ministers have opposed it and defeated it.

Equal Taxation will be the heavy theme that will come before the Legislature. The subject dragged wearily through the whole of the last session; this year it will come to the report of the State Commissioners, of which Attorney-General Stockton is chairman. This commission has been sitting and collecting facts and figures.

The Constitutional Amendments will be a subject for much discussion. There are a great many old members of the Legislature who oppose the amendment for biennial sessions. The objections are based mainly on the idea that the people do not demand a reform in this direction. The amendments relating to the revision of the judiciary and the suppression of gambling will probably go through.

The wheelmen in New Jersey were a factor in the recent election. They voted with the Republicans, believing that they could secure the most beneficent legislation from them. The officials of the League of American Wheelmen have informed a number of the members of the Legislature that they mean to make a fight for the passage of a law similar to that passed in New York, requiring railroads to transport bicycles free of charge.

An effort will be made to change the government of counties by substituting Commissioners for Freeholders.

DISTILLERY OWNER PAID UP.

John Lambert Starts to Make "Jersey Lightning" Again.

The applejack distillery of John Lambert, which is located at Willow Grove, Fanwood township, again began operations yesterday morning, after having been closed up and in charge of Government officers since September 11th last. It was raided on that day by Deputy Revenue Collector James J. Brennan, of Elizabeth, at the head of several officers. The plant and all the stock was seized on a charge against the owner of illicit distilling. The information on which the raid was made was conveyed to Deputy Brennan by a gauger. There was $10,000 worth of apple brandy in storage on the premises at the time. Lambert undertook to fight the matter, and engaged Lawyer Thomas Shafer, of Rahway. He got worsted in the contest, and it cost him just twice as much to settle the case as it would if he had put up no defence. He paid a penalty with costs of fully $1,000, it is said, to square things with the Government. The plant has been in charge of two officers since its seizure. It is the oldest distillery in New Jersey, and was established prior to the Revolution by the great-grandfather of the present owner.

NOT A DISSENTING VOTE.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATION MADE BY UNANIMOUS ACTION.

Fisk for Mayor, Titsworth for Treasurer and Bird for Collector.—Mr. Fisk Delivers a Little Speech After the Nominations

The city Republican convention was held in the Association rooms, last evening, with the full delegations present, and W. R. Codington, chairman of the City Executive Committee, called the meeting to order and the following officers were chosen: Permanent chairman, Stephen Higham; Secretary, Roger F. Murray; Judge, Harry C. Van Emburgh; Inspector, James Stewart; Clerk, C. W. Smith.

The first business was the nomination of a candidate for the Mayoralty. The First ward gave way to the Third ward, and Councilman Barrows spoke on behalf of the Third ward. He thanked the First ward for the courtesy, and deemed it an honor to nominate the man who would be Plainfield's next Mayor. He spoke of the city's growth during the past few years, and said he felt proud to be the humble servant of the people. Continuing, Mr. Barrows said: "When we heard that we were going to lose our present Mayor to whom we owe a debt of gratitude, we turned to our leader, a man who has served six years in the City Council, and we thought of his service. It matters not whether it is church, state or city, he always responds liberally and he has given the city more than she can repay, and I take great pleasure in re-nominating Charles J. Fisk." Mr. Barrows' remarks were followed with loud and continued applause.

ELIAS H. BIRD, NOMINEE FOR COLLECTOR.

By a motion the secretary cast the ballot, and Mr. Fisk was declared the nominee.

The following persons were unanimously chosen as nominees, and the secretary cast the ballot in each case: City Treasurer, Alexander Titsworth; City Collector, E H. Bird; Commissioners of Appeal, E. C. Mulford, J. B. Coward; member of the Board of Education, F. C. Lounsbury. The executive committee was authorized to fill any vacancies.

A short recess was taken while the delegates were waiting for Mr. Fisk. When he arrived he was greeted with cheers and applause. Mr. Fisk spoke in substance as follows:

"I must confess that I am defeated, for I was told recently that I could not beat myself in the contest. There is one thing which perhaps you don't know and that is, I am a Jerseyman by birth. I was brought up in Jersey and have lived here, though they tell me sometimes I am a New Yorker. I shall not make any great promises for that is not wise. If elected I shall try to fill the office in a conservative manner and for the best interests of the city. Now that you have nominated me I leave myself in your hands to do the rest."

The meeting then adjourned and the leaders and workers got together to talk over the situation.

Seguine Settled and Got Off.

Andrew Seguine, Jr., was brought up yesterday at Jersey City before Judge Hudspeth, for sentence, at the request of his counsel, Walter L. Hetfield. The court suspended sentence upon payment of costs, which amounted to about $50. He was charged under two indictments for obtaining money under false pretenses. The Judge in passing sentence stated that because of the eloquent plea of his counsel and his previous good character, he was disposed to be lenient.

Epworth Leaguers to Meet.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold its district rally in Vincent chapel this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Whitney, of this city, will speak, and an entertaining programme has been prepared for the occasion.

Drum Corps New Uniforms.

The members of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps have selected their new uniforms. It consists of grey box coats and trousers trimmed with black tubular braid, and having hidden buttons.

CHARLES J. FISK, REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

BORN ON JERSEY SOIL.

SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF C. J. FISK, CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

Entered His Father's Employ at the Age of 17 and Has Worked His Way to the Top of the Banking House.

Since Charles J. Fisk has been chosen as the Republican nominee for Mayor of Plainfield, there are many things concerning this well-known personage which are not known by Plainfielders. A Daily Press representative met Mr. Fisk at the Union County Country Club last evening after the city Republican convention and in the course of conversation learned something of the life of Mr. Fisk which is very interesting.

Charles J. Fisk was born in Jersey City, June 16th, 1858, and is the second oldest of five sons. He lived in the above place until he was seven years of age when the family moved to New York. The winter was spent in the city and the summer at a country seat on the Delaware river about four miles from Trenton. Mr. Fisk attended the public school in New York City and finished his education at Charlier Institute, N. Y. When he was 17 years old he commenced work as a messenger in his father's banking office. He worked his way through every department in the business, and on March 18th, 1885, he became a member of the firm which was Harvey Fisk & Sons. In 1889 Mr. Fisk's father died and the business was taken charge of by Harvey Edward Fisk, Charles J. Fisk, Pliny Fisk, Alexander G. Fisk and Theodore H. Banks. This house has always had the reputation of being the leading one in this country or any other in dealing in United States Government bonds, and ever since the business was established by Mr. Fisk's father in 1861 the house has always been eminently successful.

Mr Fisk was married in 1879 and in November, 1887, he moved to Plainfield and purchased the house on West Seventh street which he has occupied ever since. In January, 1892, he was elected a member of the City Council, taking the place of Ernest R. Ackerman, who resigned at that time. He was afterward re-elected twice to the same office. In the Council Mr. Fisk has served on every important committee, and through his efforts a financial system was adopted by the Council which makes it possible to know at all times just how the city stands financially. As a member of the fire committee Mr. Fisk has performed valuable service and was a worthy co-worker with the late E. N. Erickson, and it was through his efforts that the present high standing of the department has been attained. His past work in city affairs would always bear the closest scrutiny. Although Mr. Fisk has always been a busy man his time has not wholly been devoted to business. He is a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church and serves as a trustee. He is also a member of the Union County Country Club, one of the vice-presidents of the Boys Club, a member of the Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital, and of Alert Hose Company. In New York he holds a membership in the Republican Club and the Lawyers Club. During his life he has amassed a fortune and he has always given liberally to whoever asked. Personally, Mr. Fisk is a good man to meet. His social qualities are well known, and in short he is a "hale fellow well met."

MAN HUNT IN DUNELLEN

TWO LADS, WHO ESCAPED FROM THE REFORM SCHOOL, CAUGHT.

The Third Was Shot But Managed to Escape—One of the Runaways Was Caught in Frank Lyons' Carriage House.

The mid-day meal of the household of Frank Lyons, at West Dunellen, had a sudden interruption yesterday, that finally resulted in the capture of a fugitive from the Jamesburg Reform School.

Wednesday night, three young men, about twenty years old, made their escape from the Jamesburg Reform School and fled in the direction of Bound Brook. They were traced for some distance when it was seen that they were making for the railroad. A description of the three fugitives was telegraphed along the line, and Detective Irving Runyon, of Dunellen, was notified.

The Greenbrook "tanks" are a resort for many wandering characters and there Detective Runyon went to find the missing Reform School boys In a coal car were three young men answering to the description, and at the first attempt of the officer to arrest them, they jumped the side of the car and fled. One, however, was captured. The others were ordered to halt but, as they only ran faster, several shots were fired at them. One of the fleeing boys was struck, but the wound was only a slight one and the fellow escaped.

The uninjured fugitive ran across the fields in the direction of the Lyons farm with a crowd of men and boys, who had seen the attempted capture and subsequent escape, in full pursuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons were sitting at the dining table in the midst of their dinner when they noticed a stranger pass the window. Then several others were to be seen. At last Mrs. Lyons went to the window and saw the yard full of strange men. Mr. Lyons immediately investigated and found that the escaped inmate of the Reform School had hidden somewhere about the farm buildings

Everybody joined in the man hunt and searched the buildings inside and out, but no sign of the one they wanted. The ardor of the self appointed pursuers began to cool as the pursued failed to put in an appearance and they were for giving up the hunt. Mr. Lyons was standing in the carriage house at the time, and as he looked up, he noticed a hole that opened into the loft.

"A man could get up there!" he exclaimed, and one of the small boys climbed up and looked through. He came down faster than he went up with eyes as large as saucers and with the information that there was a boy up there.

The officers prepared their arms and a pair of handcuffs and went up to investigate. They found a poor trembling boy hidden in the oat bin and soon placed the cuffs on his wrists. He was brought down amid the exultant shouts of his pursuers and taken to the Dunellen lockup to be sent off for Jamesburg on the first train in company with his comrade who had been captured at the tanks.

—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, will speak in the Unitarian church on Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

A PASTOR'S RECEPTION.

PLEASANT SOCIAL AFFAIR AT PARK AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Evening Passed With the Rendition of a Programme, Social Converse and the Serving of Refreshments.

Last evening was a delightful one, out-of-doors where the moon shone bright and clear, and at the Park Avenue Baptist church where the pastor's reception was being held. The reception was given by Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson to the members of the congregation and their friends and a very pleasant affair it was. The first hour was spent in social converse and then followed an informal but very enjoyable musical programme. Miss Nellie Udelle rendered several violin solos most delightfully and in a manner that showed her to be a talented musician. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Charles Lewis. Soprano solos by Mrs. H. E. Rider and tenor solos by Robert M. Clark, all well-rendered, completed the entertainment.

Refreshments were served and the rest of the evening was devoted to sociability and conversation.

The chapel, in which the reception was held, was decorated for the occasion with American flags.

The programme was arranged by a committee composed of Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Miss Delia Runyon and Miss Wyckoff. The refreshment committee consisted of Mrs. John Dunham and Mrs. T. I. Runyon. A large number were present and the reception was a very successful one.

BY THE CHILDREN OF MARY.

Their Entertainment Repeated Before a Large and Appreciative Audience.

The entertainment by the Children of Mary, of St. Joseph's Church, was again largely attended, in Saenger and Turner Hall, last evening, the main auditorium being filled to far more than its seating capacity. As on the previous night, everything passed off most pleasantly and not a hitch occurred to interfere with the entire programme.

The entertainment consisted of tableaux, recitations, operatic posing and several other minor parts by juvenile performers. "Aunt Peggy and Uncle Dan" created great applause by the singing of that pretty song. Two little maids, Miss May Berkhan and Miss May Southard, dressed in "gingham pinafores" sang and acted "You Can't Play in My Yard," with dainty gestures, and they were greatly admired.

The Grecian dance and statute posing, showing the trial, prayer, the return, the story, vengeance, a study in attitude, the farewell, were well presented. Miss Kittie Cooley. Miss Nellie McCann, Miss Katherine Duffy, and Miss Lahey were among those who took part. On the whole the entertainment was a pronounced success, and the church will realize a good sum.

Lace Curtains.

Mr. Edward White received yesterday over 2,000 pairs of fine lace curtains and sash curtain nets. They go on sale tomorrow at the smallest prices that lace curtains have ever sold for. The show window tells the story of the qualities and prices.

DEMOCRATS NOMINATE.

PUT UP A STRAIGHT TICKET IN EACH WARD.

The Primaries Better Attended Than Has Been the Case in Some Time—Names of Candidates and Delegates.

The Democratic primaries last night were as well attended, and better in some cases, than they have been in some time. Candidates were nominated in all wards, and delegates elected to the city convention to be held tomorrow night. The results were as follows;

FIRST WARD.

The First ward primary was called to order by Michael DeCourcy, who was made permanent chairman. Oliver Vosseller was chosen secretary. After the reading of the call, Joseph A. Haynes was unanimously nominated for Councilman, Thomas Callahan for Justice of the Peace, and Dennis Carney for Constable. The following were elected delegates to the city convention: Charles McGinley, John Angleman, William Gloak, Michael Decourcy and Henry Mollinson.

SECOND WARD.

The Second ward primary was held in the Bryant School building, and the attendance was large. James E Martine called the meeting to order and was made permanent chairman and Frank Vosseller, secretary, after which the call was read. The following were then unanimously elected delegates to the city convention: Frank Vosseller, John McCarthy, John Ross and G. S. Martin. John Ross was nominated for Councilman and William Callahan, Constable. Frank Vosseller, John McCarthy and Charles A. Stover were appointed a committee to fill vacancies. The meeting then adjourned.

THIRD WARD.

The Third ward primary was held at the Revere House. It was called to order by Frank M. Bacon. Mr. Bacon was made chairman and Frank McInerney secretary. The nomination for Councilman was the first to be made and Richard Harding was unanimously chosen. F. M. Bacon and Edward Birmingham were elected delegates to the city convention. Edward Birmingham was unanimously nominated for Constable and Col. Deitrich for Justice of the Peace.

FOURTH WARD.

About forty voters met at Blimm's Hotel and organized by electing M. R. Flynn chairman. Elmore D. Moffett was secretary, John F. Casey judge, and E. J. Harding and J. H. Searing, inspectors. Arthur T. Gallup received the nomination for Councilman, Elmore D. Moffett for justice of the peace, and Albert Jaeger, constable. The following were elected as delegates to the city convention: Peter Flynn, Jr., J. J. Kane, E. D. Moffett, M. R. Flynn, Jere Garretson, E. C. Searing, George Hartfelder, Ira Hulbert, J. F. Casey, John Bowman, Thos. Carty. The committee to fill vacancies are E. D. Moffett, Peter Flynn, Jr., and Thomas Carty.

Bids for Macadamizing.

The following were the bids offered to the Somerset Board of Freeholders for macadamizing Mountain avenue, two and one quarter miles, ten-inch Telford:

A. I. & N. B. Smalley, N. Plainfield	$ 8,832.63
Wm. Chamberlin, Rahway	9,038.01
Keihn & Allen, Trenton	11,297.55
M. E. VanKeuren, Plainfield	22,735.42
Decker & Taft, Millington	14,378.70
Staats & Rehill, Bound Brook	14,786.52
John L. Dean, Bergen county	15,405.75
P. L. Rehill, Jersey City	16,432.80

Smalley Brothers presented their bond Wednesday and it was approved. The bondsmen are Wm. C. Kelly and John P. Emmons.

Help for the Wagoners.

The Press has received from "H. O." and A. C. Bushnell $1 each, for the help of the destitute Wagoner family, whose pitiable condition has been fully described in The Press. They are deserving of whatever Plainfield charitable people can contribute. Thus far $6 has been contributed for their aid, but it will require a much larger sum to make them comfortable. Any sum, no matter how small, will be welcomed.

To Pay a Fraternal Visit.

Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., will go to Newark in a body this evening on the 7:03 train and pay a fraternal visit to a lodge there, carrying with them, for presentation, a beautifully engrossed set of resolutions on the death of Anthony Dobbins, who was at one time a member of the Plainfield Lodge.

Injured His Finger.

J. Frank MacDonald, of Love's paint and wall paper store, injured his finger, Wednesday evening, by having it crushed between two barrels of paint.

No School Today.

There is no session in the Plainfield public schools today, as all the teachers have gone to Elizabeth to attend the Union County teachers' institute.

FORMING A CABINET

Forecasters Busy Assisting the President-elect.

LATEST NAMES ON THE SLATE

Gen. Porter's Call on Hanna---Believed That He Is Looked Upon as the Man To Please Both Factions in New York.

Canton, O., Nov. 20.—No callers of political importance are expected by Major McKinley to-day, and the president-elect expects a day of quiet and rest. Cabinet makers are busy, and besides Gen. Porter they are still suggesting the names of Col. Fred Grant and Gen. Alger for secretary of war. John Russell Young of Philadelphia is mentioned in connection with the navy portfolio, and rumors come from Chicago that Lyman Gage, president of the First national bank of that city, may be urged for secretary of the treasury. The statement that Joseph P. Smith is to be appointed marshal of the District of Columbia has not been verified. Mr. Smith is one of Major McKinley's efficient and loyal adherents, and his election for this or an equally good place would occasion no surprise. The office of marshal of the District of Columbia is worth about $15,000 a year, and has been held by such men as Uard Lamon, Fred Douglass, Capt. Henry, Clayton McMichael and Alfred Wilson, the present incumbent. The marshal is the executive officer of the District courts, and is often asked to make presentations at presidential receptions.

FORTER'S CALL ON HANNA.

Efforts of the National Chairman To Satisfy Both Factions in New York.

Cleveland, Nov. 20.—It is understood that Gen. Porter's visit to Mr. Hanna yesterday was pursuant to a special call. It is known by Major McKinley and Mr. Hanna that New York has two factions and the desire is to appoint a New York member of the cabinet that will please all concerned. It is believed by Mr. Hanna that Gen. Porter is the key to the situation. He stands well in the councils of both the factions. Chairman Hanna it is believed, hopes to reward Major McKinley's New York followers by having Gen. Porter appointed to the secretary of war portfolio. Yesterday's conference may have placed Gen. Nelson A. Miles out of the race. After the talk both Mr. Hanna and Gen. Porter came out of the office smiling. As the general was leaving Mr. Hanna remarked: "Now, you write me as soon as you reach St. Louis, as I want the thing straightened out as soon as possible." Mr. Hanna departed from his usual custom and escorted Gen. Porter to the elevator. Perry Heath, chief of the republican literary bureau, left yesterday for California. He will make an exhaustive study of gold and silver resources. He will go to Mexico and study monetary conditions. The trip is for the express purpose of obtaining more campaign ammunition and is the first move of the permanent organization to wage war against silver.

To-morrow's Big Football Game.

New York, Nov. 20.—Manager Garrison of the Yale football eleven is in New York to make arrangements for the reception of the Yale players at the Hotel Plaza to-night. In company with Manager Andrus of Princeton, he will inspect Manhattan field to make sure that it is in the best shape possible for the big game. It is probable that the two managers will this afternoon decide on Princeton's linesman. Yale had the choice of umpire and has selected Paul Dashiel of Lehigh. For her choice of linesman ex-Capt. Wyckoff of Cornell was name.

Referee for Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 20.—It was announced by the football management this morning that McClung of Lehigh had been selected by Princeton as referee for Saturday's game.

To Consider Raines Liquor Law.

Albany, Nov. 20.—Senator Raines' special committee, which was appointed by the last senate to investigate the operation of the Raines liquor tax law, will meet here next Monday. The committee is to report to the next legislature what changes should be made in the law. It is expected that stringent amendments to the present law will be recommended.

$5,585 for the Death of a Brother.

Albany, Nov. 20.—The suit for $25,000 damages brought against the Albany Railway company by Maggie Piehl on account of the death of her brother, John Piehl, jr., by the bursting of a fly wheel in the power house of the railroad company, resulted in a verdict of $5,585 for the plaintiff.

Wilmarth's Hearing Adjourned.

Gloversville, N. Y., Nov. 20.—The examination of city clerk F. H. Wilmarth, charged with misappropriating city funds, has been adjourned until next Tuesday, at the request of the defendant. The evidence so far shows that a number of checks were raised by Wilmarth.

Alaska Naval Reservation Boundary.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The president has issued a proclamation readjusting boundaries of a naval reservation in Alaska, which were found to encroach upon lands belonging to the Greek church, in contravention of Russia's cession of Alaska.

Secretary Francis' Private Secretary.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Secretary of the Interior Francis has appointed Price Lane of St. Louis as his private secretary. He is the fifth person serving in that capacity during this administration.

THE 55TH CONGRESS

Gold Standard Majority in the House Will Be Forty-seven.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIVE REPUBLICANS

Five of Them Favor the Free Coinage of Silver and Two Democrats Will Be Found with the Gold Men---Populists Will Number Fifteen.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The receipt of the returns of the late election in South Dakota makes it possible to complete the list of members of the house of representatives of the Fifty-fifth congress. This shows a total of 205 republicans, 137 democrats, and 15 populists; of the republicans, five are said to favor the free coinage of silver—Messrs. Hilborn of California, Broderick and Curtis of Kansas, Linney of North Carolina, and Beach of Ohio; and of the democrats, two—Messrs. McAleer of Pennsylvania and Elliott of South Carolina—are gold standard men—so that upon the silver question the house will stand—gold standard, 202; free silver, 155; majority for gold standard, 47. In the present congress the totals are: Republicans, 252; democrats, 92; populists (including fusionists and silverites), 10; vacancies, 3. The states of Connecticut, Iowa, Maine and New Jersey returned their present solid delegations of republicans to the Fifty-fifth congress.

THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE.

McKinley Will Have 272 Votes and Bryan 175.

New York, Nov. 20.—The latest returns from Kentucky, Wyoming, the Dakotas and other close states give Bryan one vote in Kentucky, the three votes of Wyoming and the four votes of South Dakota. In the last named state the Byran electors have only 191 votes more than the McKinley electors. In Wyoming the lowest Bryan elector is 66 ahead of the highest McKinley elector. In this state as well as in Kentucky the official canvas may change the result. The electoral table now stands: For McKinley—California, 9; Connecticut, 6; Delaware, 3; Illinois, 24; Indiana, 15; Iowa, 13; Kentucky, 12; Maine, 6; Maryland, 8; Massachusetts, 15; Michigan, 14; Minnesota, 9; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 10; New York, 36; North Dakota, 3; Ohio, 23; Oregon, 4; Pennsylvania, 32; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 4; West Virginia, 6; Wisconsin, 12. Total, 272. For Bryan—Alabama, 11; Arkansas, 8; Colorado, 4; Florida, 4; Georgia, 13; Idaho, 3; Kansas, 10; Kentucky, 1; Louisiana, 8; Mississippi, 9; Missouri, 17; Montana, 3; Nebraska, 8; Nevada, 3: North Carolina, 11; South Carolina, 9; South Dakota, 4; Tennessee, 12; Texas, 15; Utah, 3; Virginia, 12: Washington, 4; Wyoming, 3. Total, 175.

LOOKING TO ANNEXATION.

John W. Foster Arrives in Honolulu and Consults with Government Officials.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—Honolulu, Nov. 12.—(Correspondence of the United Associated Presses, per steamer Alameda.) Hon. John W. Foster and wife arrived on the 2d inst. He has held frequent conferences with government officials and leading royalists, indicating that he is studing Hawaiian affairs with reference to annexation. He has stated to German planters who oppose annexation that if it is defeated he believes the reciprocity treaty will be annulled.

Moody and Sankey's Revival Work.

New York, Nov. 20.—The Moody and Sankey revival meetings here are still attracting very large and enthusiastic crowds, and the evangelists are so well pleased with their success that the meetings may be continued until Thanksgiving day. Comptroller Fitch has received an anonymous contribution of $100 from a man who says it rightfully belongs to the city, and whose conscience, he writes, was stirred by the words he heard at one of Mr. Moody's meetings.

More Kentucky Tollgates Demolished.

Versailles, Ky., Nov. 20.—A mob composed of between fifteen and twenty men armed with axes, shotguns and revolvers rode through Woodford county between midnight and 2 o'clock and chopped down the tollgates on eight of the ten turnpikes leading into Versailles. The raiders warned the gatekeepers that they would be killed if they collected any more tolls.

Damage for Loss of Valkyrie II.

London, Nov. 20.—The house of lords has dismissed with costs the appeal of Sir Edward Clarke from the decision of the court of appeals, awarding Lord Dunraven £7,000 against A. D. Clark, owner of the yacht Satanita, for the loss of the yacht Valkyrie II., which was sunk in collision by Satanita at the opening of the yachting season on the Firth of Clyde in 1894.

Verdict Against Gleason Set Aside.

New York, Nov. 20.—Mayor Gleason of Long Island City has been notified that Supreme. Court Justice Gaynor has set aside the verdict rendered in the slander suit brought against the mayor by Police Captain Woods. Capt. Woods sued Mayor Gleason for $50,000 damages. The jury gave him $5,000.

Democratic Contest in Kentucky.

Louisville, Nov. 20.—The announcement has just been made by Secretary Richardson of the democratic state committee that his party had decided to contest the election of eleven of the McKinley electors in Kentucky.

The Prussian Mine Explosion.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—It is now known that twenty-eight miners lost their lives by the fire-damp explosion at the Recklinghausen colliery yesterday.

CHINESE EXCLUSION ACT.

Operations of the Law During the Past Year---Decrease in Opium Smuggling.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Notwithstanding the rigid Chinese exclusion act the report of the supervising special agent of the treasury shows that 3,510 Chinese were admitted and 415 rejected during the last twelve months. One hundred and ninety-eight were arrested for violating the law and 120 were deported. During the year 956 laborers of that nationality left the United States and 108 returned. The enforcement of the exclusion act cost during the year $86,856. Recommendations are made looking to additional stringency in the exclusion act, by the requirement of witnesses other than Chinese in all cases where proceedings are taken affecting the rights of the Chinese to enter or remain in the United States, etc. The report shows that opium smuggling has decreased largely during the past year as a result principally "of the reduction of the rate of duty from $12 to $6 per pound.". At the same time a marked decrease as compared with 1895 has been noted in the amount of Chinese opium imported at San Francisco. The report calls attention to the fact that the opium smuggler is operating in other fields where his profits more amply repay the risk. A further reduction of the duty to $4 per pound is recommended. The report, in dealing with the subject of diamonds, emphasizes the fact that there has been a noticeable increase in smuggling in that article since the duty was increased by the tariff act of 1893. There is no Canadian duty on diamonds and that country is made a distributing point by smugglers, the long line of unprotected frontier making their operations comparatively easy. During the past year there have been 1,356 seizures, and 58 arrests for violation of customs laws. Undervaluations and erroneous classifications, aggregating $660,050, have been discovered.

TRIED TO MOB PAYNE.

Disgraceful Conduct of Lafayette Students Towards a Sophomore.

Easton, Pa., Nov. 20.—Five students were suspended from Lafayette college yesterday for their connection with the cutting of the whiskers of Henry Payne of Southold, L. I., a sophomore in the institution. Payne entered a complaint against the offenders before an alderman in this city Wednesday, but through threats and tormentings by his college mates was induced to withdraw the charge. Yesterday he left the city to go to New York to have a finger that was injured in the whisker-cutting scrimmage attended to at a hospital there. While on his way to the depot he was followed by a howling mob of students, who made threats of doing him bodily harm. The police had difficulty in getting him safely aboard the train. Some of the more riotous of the students went across the river to Phillipsburg, N. J., and, meeting the train there, renewed their threats and the services of the police were again called into requisition.

IDENTIFYING THE PLUNDER.

The Gang of Swindlers Arrested in Brooklyn Had Been Operating Extensively.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Much of the plunder found in the State street apartments of the gang of robbers arrested yesterday has been identified and shows that the persons under arrest are the thieves who have been operating so extensively in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut recently. A lot of silverware is believed to be the spoils of a recent robbery at Newport, R. I., and silk dresses and jewelry belongs to Mrs. Hallet of Bridgeport, Conn. Warren C. Buckeley of Summit, N. J., identified a number of articles as having been stolen from his residence. The plunder consists of jewelry, silverware, toilet articles, silks and bicycles.

For the Sinking of the Yacht Alva.

Boston, Nov. 20.—The Metropolitan Steamship company has placed with the clerk of the United States court the check of the company for $99,477.60 to satisfy the decree of the court made in the case of the H. F. Dimock-Alva collision, in which W. K. Vanderbilt's yacht Alva was sunk by the steamer Dimock. Of this amount, $96,467.30 goes to Mr. Vanderbilt, as owner of the Alva, and the remainder is to be divided among the crew of the yacht for the loss of their personal effects.

Pleaded Guilty to Poisoning His Wife.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 20.—The trial of Rev. James C. Hull for poisoning his wife came to a dramatic end last evening, Mr. Hull, changing his plea to guilty. A letter which he did not know was in existence was suddenly sprung by the prosecutor, and, at the advice of his counsel, the plea of guilty was rendered. Judge Egan sentenced him to six years in state prison in Stillwater.

Bermuda Flies the Union Jack.

New York, Nov. 20.—The steamship Bermuda now flies the British flag. Consul-General Sanderson yesterday granting her a temporary (six months) British registry. She will sail for Nova Scotia. Capt. William Kellen Scott of Gloucester, N. J., is her commander.

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NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1896, are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal, in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

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"The art of painting," said Millais, "consists in selecting the right colors and putting them in the right place." —"The way to win a battle," said Napoleon "is to mass your troops at the critical moment against the weakest spot in the enemy's line."—"The way to cure many ailments," said the great Dr Abercrombie, "is to purify the poisoned spring in which they arise, generally the torpid and inflamed digestive system."

Thus wisdom and experience simplify and condense. Thus the Shakers of Mount Lebanon reasoned when they sought, and finally found, a remedy for indigestion and dyspepsia. Where one person has something else, they argued a thousand have this. To cure this alone will almost rid the world of sickness. Why should we vex ourselves with confusing definitions? A good digestion is life and health; a bad one disease and death. Hence, from the healing and stimulating mountain herbs, they extracted the principles which make the Shaker Digestive Cordial the rarest and most effective of medicines for one disease, and one only—indigestion and dyspepsia.

Do you suffer from any of these miserable feelings?—depression of spirits, heaviness and pain in the stomach after meals, bad taste in the mouth, wind in the bowels, irritable disposition, nervous weakness and alarm, worry and weariness, costiveness or irregularity of the bowels, nausea, palpitation, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite and sleep, dry skin, etc.—?

Don't indulge in fifty foolish fancies You have indigestion and dysyepsia and nothing else Set the disordered stomach right with the one medicine which will surely do it. Shaker Digestive Cordial and these symptoms will vanish with their cause. A good effect will follow the first doses. Even chronic cases soon yield.

Test the cordial, at practically no cost by taking a ten-cent trial bottle. For sale by nearly all druggists.

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in October than ever before in one month in any excepting the holiday month which is usually the largest. When you remember that October was the last month in a bitter campaign, it means that quality counts.

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In box cloths, blue and green, $20, $28 up.

Our Custom Dept. has all fabrics suited to conventional livery service. Faultless fit guaranteed. Suits or Overcoats $35 up.

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Sugar Cured Hams, - 12c
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" Dressed Fowls, 16c
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TRAIN BLOWN UP

Rebels Explode Dynamite Under a Railroad Culvert in Cuba.

FOURTEEN PERSONS WERE INJURED

Reported in Havana That the Insurgents Believed Weyler Was on the Train---Movements of the Captain General.

Havana, Nov. 20.—A train conveying troops was wrecked yesterday near Mangas by the explosion of dynamite bombs, which had been placed in position by rebels. Fourteen persons were wounded. The train was crossing a culvert when the explosion occurred. The insurgents had placed five bombs for the purpose of blowing up the train, but one of them did not explode. It is said here that the rebels thought that Gen. Weyler was on the train. Unless there are two towns in Cuba named Mangas it is difficult to imagine why the rebels should think that Gen. Weyler was on the train that was wrecked. The only Mangas given on the maps is situated in the southern part of the province of Santiago de Cuba, the easternmost province of the island, while it is well known that Gen. Weyler is in Pinar del Rio, the westernmost province.

WEYLER'S MOVEMENTS.

The Captain General Said To Be at San Cristobol, in Pinar del Rio.

Madrid, Nov. 20.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Havana says that Capt.-Gen. Weyler has reached the town of San Cristobal, about fourteen leagues northeast of the city of Pinar del Rio and about midway between that city and Havana. Maceo's headquarters are said to be in the hills between San Cristobal and Cayabos.

Serving Under Maceo.

Philadelphia, Nov. 20.—Jose Marcas, a Cuban who has come north on business with the insurgent junta in New York, says that Frank Osgood, the football player of the University of Pennsylvania, is alive and well, and holds an important position under Maceo, the Cuban general. Osgood was reported as having been killed in a cavalry charge a month to two ago.

Cubans Leave the Island.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 20.—A number of prominent Cubans arrived by the Olivette from Havana last evening and will make their homes in Jacksonville and Ocala until the conflict ends.

GEN. O. O. HOWARD'S VIEWS.

Says Weyler Is Defeated---If Spain Had Money She Could Whip the Rebels.

St. Louis, Nov. 20.—In an interview anent the report that Gen. Weyler had sent to Spain his resignation as commander of the Spanish forces in Cuba, Gen. O. O. Howard, ex-commanding general of the United States army, said: "As I see it, Gen. Weyler was a beaten man, and it was time for him to resign. His troops were whipped and his strategic resources were at an end soon after he took the field. The individual rear movement of Gen. Weyler showed the inability of the Spanish army to dislodge the insurgents. If he could have whipped them he would have stayed and done so. My view of the Cuban war is simply this: It is a question of finances, not of fighting. Spain is big enough to crush out every cane bush, as well as every insurgent, in Cuba, if she can raise the money to pay and provision the troops required. But Spain has a mighty big job on her hands. It has already been clearly proved that the Cubans are greater fighters, greater strategists, and a greater people. Whether Spain can raise enough money to pay enough men is something about which the world is guessing."

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS REVOLT.

Official Reports of Heavy Losses Sustained by the Rebels.

Madrid, Nov. 20.—An official dispatch received here from Manila, Philippine islands, says that the insurgents have been defeated in engagements with the Spanish troops fought at Santa Cruz and Angrat, the rebels losing 500 men killed, the government loss being slight.

New York's First Beet Sugar Factory.

New York, Nov. 20.—Negotiations are nearly completed for the establishment in this city of the first beet sugar factory in the state of New York. The "First New York Beet Sugar Co.," with a capital of $300,000 has been incorporated, and the capital is practically all placed.

Duel in France.

Paris, Nov. 20.—M. Pierre-Legrand, a member of the chamber of deputies, and Henri Turot, editor of the Petite Republique Francaise, have fought a duel in which Turot was wounded in the arm. The combat grew out of politics.

Prince Lobanoff's Successor.

Paris, Nov. 20.—A dispatch to the Figaro from St. Petersburg says that M. Shishkine, the acting minister for foreign affairs, has been appointed minister for foreign affairs, in succession to the late Prince Lobanoff-Rostovsky.

Retires from the Turf.

New York, Nov. 20.—Foxhall P. Keene has retired from the American turf, and says he will never race another horse in this country unless something occurs to cause him to change his mind.

Vermont Against Woman Suffrage.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 20.—The bill to grant municipal suffrage to women was killed in the house yesterday afternoon by a decisive vote.

THE DAILY PRESS.

A. L. FORCE, Editor and Proprietor.

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66 North avenue. Telephone Call 61.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., NOV. 20, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Partly Cloudy Tonight; Fair in the Central Portion; Saturday Continued Cool Weather.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

After the Democrats make their nominations for city offices there will be just seven working days for the campaign.

Interesting Legislative gossip as to what the approaching session's work will be is published in another column of today's Press.

The Boards of Registry for the revision and correction of poll lists for the city election will meet next Tuesday afternoon from 1 to 9 o'clock.

The excellent likeness of Charles J. Fisk, Republican candidate for Mayor, is published through the courtesy of the New York Tribune.

There is a good deal of talk nowadays about "cheap journalism." There is nothing very cheap about a business that will make a man several times a millionaire in ten years, as it has done in the case of the man who is held up as the high apostle of "cheap journalism."

Whatever actual work has been done towards putting a Citizens' ticket in the field has been carried on behind closed doors by the leading opponents to the present administration. A conference of those most anxious for the movement was held Wednesday night and it was the general understanding that no Citizens' ticket would be put in the field since the Democrats intend to and have put up a straight ticket without considering the former as factors in determining the selections for opponents to the regular Republican nominations. A third ticket would be effort wasted.

THIRTY WIRE SERVICE.

Soon to be Inaugurated by the Postal Telegraph Company.

Plainfield is about to receive the benefit of increased telegraph facilities derived from the greatly increased service of the Postal Telegraph Company between Philadelphia and New York. Manager Martin will soon be in charge of one of the most important telegraph offices on the line of the Postal company to be found anywhere in the State.

Already six new wires have been strung between this city and Philadelphia, and within the next few weeks nine more wires will be placed between this city and New York. These additions will give the local office the use of 30 wires which extend from New York to Philadelphia. The wires will greatly increase the present service.

KELLY IS DEAD.

Ejected From House and Home He Contracted a Fatal Sickness.

The death of Edward Kelly occurred at Muhlenberg Hospital this morning at 3:15. It will be remembered that he and his wife were ejected recently from their home by a Mrs. Tobin, and that Chief Grant took charge of them both and secured a place of shelter for them. Soon afterward Mr. Kelly was stricken down with pneumonia from which death resulted.

Mr. Kelly being an old soldier, the G. A. R. has assisted both him and his wife.

The body was taken charge of by Overseer of the Poor Marx this morning. Interment will be made in the city burying ground.

—Another of the series of Gospel revival meetings will be held at 8 o'clock by Evangelist Joseph Pellatt. These meetings are quite undenominational and all are invited.

How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

KITS AND CHICKS COMING

FELINES AND POULTRY TO HAVE A PUBLIC EXHIBITION.

Entries Close Tonight and it is Expected That Several Hundred Will Be Received in the Various Classes.

Plainfield has had fairs, kirmesses and all sorts of entertainments but she has never had a poultry, pigeon and cat show before. This triple attraction comes in the shape of the second annual exhibition of the Garden State Poultry and Pigeon Association which is to be held at the Jersey Cycle Academy on December 2, 3, 4 and 5.

The entries close tonight and it is expected that fully a thousand have been received. They will be divided up among the 238 different classes in which premiums have been offered. In the poultry classes there are premiums offered for the different varities of Brahmas, Cochins, Langshaus, American Dominiques, Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Javas, Jersey Blues, White Wonders, Spanish, Andalusians, Leghorns, Minorcas, Polish, Hamburgs, Dorkings, Creve Coeur, Houdans, Standard Games, Pit Games, Indian Games, Sumatras, etc. Then there are premiums for capons, guinea fowls, ducks, ornamental and otherwise game bantams, other bantams, turkeys, geese and ornamental fowls. Prizes are also offered for eggs, incubators, brooders and exhibition yards.

Then in the pigeon department, premiums are offered for all the different varieties. The cat show will include everything from a pair of little black kittens to some old long whiskered tabby. Rabbits and guinea pigs are also included.

Of course, the entries will be divided up rather unevenly among the classes, only one in some and scores in others.

All the birds and animals are to be caged and looked after by the association.

A JEHU'S SCRAP.

The Case of the Frenchman and Hackmen in City Court.

Fracases, in which some of the hackmen have played a prominent part, have been unusually frequent in the vicinity of the North avenue station of late and City Judge is preparing to give the offenders a lesson that they will not forget in a hurry.

This morning, the latest row was told about in the City Court. Cornelius Guinee, a hackman, and Max Soulegard, a French farmer from over the mountains, were both arraigned for quarreling at the station.

There were several witnesses. Chas. H. Lyman was the most prominent one for the farmer and laid the blame on Guinee. The Frenchman's wagon touched Guinee's hack and the latter wanted to make Sulegard pay heavily for the damages, which was slight. While the Frenchman was getting out of the wagon, said the witnesses, Guinee punched him and then the farmer kicked Guinee and nearly winded him.

Guinee laid the blame of the scrap on Soulegard and the Frenchman admitted kicking the hackman but said the latter struck the first blow. The witnesses substantiated this testimony.

The judge pronounced both guilty of fighting and suspended sentence on Soulegard. He reserved his decision in Guinee's case until tomorrow.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

C. W. Nichols, of Rahway, spent yesterday in Plainfield.

Mr. Newman, of Newark, called on his friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. Thorn, mother of Edward Thorn, is ninety-five years old today.

Wm. Koehler, of Somerville, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Jones, of Elizabeth, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Bert Mundy, of Plainfield avenue, is slowly improving from a severe illness.

Mrs. Horace Huff, of West Fifth street, is entertaining a relative from out of town.

Dory Lister, of Philadelphia, is visiting his brother, Charles Lister, of Orchard place.

Dr. Carman, of Franklin place, is entertaining his son and daughter-in-law from New York.

A. J. Clarkson, of Union avenue, visited his daughter, Mrs. King, at Lorraine, this week.

Miss Anna Voilan, of New York, has returned home after a visit with her friend, Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street.

Mrs. S. A. Davis, formerly of Plainfield, now residing in Newark, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bushnell, 104 West Fourth street.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

INDISCRIMINATE ALMSGIVING.

The Organized Aid Association State a Few Facts.

The Organized Aid Association desires very respectfully but earnestly to call the particular attention of the citizens of Plainfield, through the public press, to the evils of indiscriminate alms-giving. They are led to do so by several flagrant instances of imposition which have lately been brought to the attention of the Association. Recognizing the difficulty of refusing to yield to the promptings of the heart, they can but repeat that the teachings of experience conclusively demonstrate that in by far the greater number of instances money given without investigation is not merely thrown away, but is a positive detriment to the sacred cause of charity. They feel sure that if those who have yielded to pitiful tales of sorrow, in the newspapers, or from individual applicants, would best learn from us the variegated web of falsehood and imposition woven upon one of these begging expeditions, their pity would be for themselves, and not for the recipients of their alms. During the three years' life of the O. A. A. it has procured and stored away the complete record of over six hundred individuals, and it has adequate machinery for the investigation of all new cases. Indiscriminate alms giving paralyzes the efforts of the association, and its members deem it a duty which they owe to the public to earnestly entreat the charitably disposed, to harden their hearts until enquiries can be made as to the character of all applicants for aid, of the agent of this association.

HE PROMISED WELL.

Young Colored Made an Eloquent Plea to Judge DeMeza.

It is not often that the city court is treated to such an eloquent appeal as was made this morning by a diminutive colord boy who stood up and said his say as a school boy would rattle off a lesson learned by note.

Patrolman Post captured the lad, George Kline, down on West Third street yesterday morning throwing stones at another lad of dusky hue, and arrested young Kline. This morning he appeared before City Judge DeMeza for trial.

The youngster was quite brave and stood up before the Judge as if he was used to it.

"Mr. DeMeza," he began, "I plead guilty. I did throw stones at him, but 'twas 'cause he kicked me in the stomach and most knocked the breath out of me. If you'll only let me go this time, Mr. DeMeza, I'll stay in the yard all the time, chop wood, wash dishes and help my mother all the time, Mr. DeMeza. If you'll only let me go, Mr. DeMeza!" And so he ran until everybody in the courtroom smiled. The Judge sternly suggested a trip to Elizabeth and the youngster began to get anxious and faithfully promised that he "wouldn't peg stones any more" and would be the "best boy on West Third street."

The Judge finally considered the age of the youthful offender and suspended sentence on him.

Some Close Buying.

The closest buying that has ever been done at Edsalls is now showing marked reductions in prices all through the entire stock. A few sample lots are mentioned in his new ad today. A closing-out lot of fine kid gloves from a factory in Gloversville, at 50 cents on a dollar; new laces and ribbons, and lace curtains. Edsall says you just want to wait and see his new import lot. Prices are guaranteed lower than any other house, sure. On sale tomorrow.

Must Not Loan Tickets.

The Jersey Central is determined to break up the habit of commutors loaning their tickets to others. This afternoon Conductor Keugler took up a commutation ticket belonging to a Plainfielder who had loaned it to a friend of his.

—Read Neuman Bros. ad. of fancy fruit.

—Neuman Brothers special sale of 500 lbs. California paper shell walnuts.

Mrs. Whitall, of Minneapolis, is visiting at the home of her brother, Chas. B. Clifton, of West Second street.

—Mrs. W. G. Anderson, of Franklin place, has rented her house furnished to Mr. Kelly, of New York. The latter will take possession on the first of December.

—A resident of Fanwood sent a team and cart to North Plainfield this morning in charge of a man to do some carting, but as the man did not have a license, Chief Marshal Wilson prevented him from working.

—Don't worry about your health. Keep your blood pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and you need not fear the grip, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia or typhoid fever.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy to operate.

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Your Neighbor

doesn't know what she is missing by not using Cleveland's baking powder.

THEATRICAL.

One of the most successful of modern farce comedies is the "The Nabobs" which will be seen here. It has been presented in every part of this country during the past six years and this season the reliable Henshaw-TenBroeck Company presented in better shape than ever. It has been brightened up and brought right up-to-da te as far as music and specialties are concerned. The story is a good one, the complications arising from the visit of a rural New Jersey Bank President to gay New York. The situations are extremely humorous and the fun clean. A notable company will appear here comprising such prominent farce comedy makers as John E. Henshaw, everybody's favorite comedian, Frank David, William Blaisdell, C. B. Burroughs, Louis Mason, A. DuMarie, May TenBroeck, Clara Lavine, Carlotta, Sophia Witt, Clara Van-Vetchten, Minnie Williams and others. It is expected that one of the largest and most represenative audiences of the season will greet "The Nabobs" this time. All the latest New York and London musical successes will be given, including Sousa's famous "El Capatain" march, which concludes the music and fun in the second act. Notwithstanding the great expense of this famous company the prices will not be increased. And will be seen here at Music Hall next Saturday evening.

JOLLY WHISTERS.

Borough Society People Commence the Winter Events.

The Jolly Whist Club met for the first time this season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Emmons, on Prospect place, last evening. This club made an excellent record last season, and there is fully as much enthusiasm manifested for this season. Mrs. J. F. Buckle's clever playing won for her the first ladies' prize, which was a jardiniere for flowers. Mrs. P. A. Emmons secured second prize, a handsome jardiniere. For the men, R. I. Tolles was awarded an oil painting of a bunch of violets, as first prize, while J. F. Buckle came in for the second prize, a fancy ornamental horse.

Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the game. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Tolles, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slater, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitenack.

A Risky Run.

The exceedingly hasty flight of Carl Kuerth's spirited team and mineral wagon through Park avenue last night about 8 o'clock attracted the attention of a number of people who were fearful lest something serious might happen. The team started from East Fifth street and ran at a terrific speed through Park avenue and Front street, and at the risk of his life, Jedediah M. Smalley stopped the horses on Front street. Fortunately there was no danger.

A Turkey Dinner.

A number of the members of the Independent Gun Club and their families enjoyed a "turkey" supper at the Crescent Hotel last evening. There were songs recitations and general jollity and the party did not break up until at an early hour this morning.

Mrs. Staats, the mother of Mrs. Elias H. Bird, of Elm place, is improving from a severe illness.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

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Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1 50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—1c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

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Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m. / Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m. / Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure.

DUNELLEN.

Court Dunellen, I. O. F., gave a sort of reception and smoker in their rooms in the Lincoln School building, last evening, during which a collation was served and toasts were given for the good of the order.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shively, of High street, who has been dangerously ill with the croup, is improving, and her recovery is now almost assured.

The Misses Hunt entertained about thirty members of the Manhattan Euchre Club, of Bound Brook, Wednesday evening, and the sport was kept up until a late hour, during which time supper and dancing were indulged in. The interior of the house was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums, and cut flowers and variagated paper trimmings added materially to the parlor and dining room decorations. The first gentleman's prize, a silver cup, went to Fred Pettengill; the second, a smoker's ash try, to John Caulfield. The ladies' prizes were awarded: First, a silver nat pin, Miss Mary Sullivan; second, a rose bowl, Miss David Teston.

The direct cause of the fire in John Mohan's house yesterday morning, as reported in The Press, was from the continual jarring by passing trains. The building was located almost directly alongside the railroad track, and the many passing trains shook a leg from under the stove, allowing it to topple over and set fire to the flooring.

Henry Stevens, the faithful colored driver for W. H. Cole, has been laid up for a day or two with a cold, bordering on pneumonia.

Railroad Detective Wm. Dougherty captured a coal thief near the Greenbrook tanks, yesterday noon, and locked him up. Much coal has been stolen from the cars at this point, and the Central Railroad Company is determined to put an end to the practice.

Miss Mamie Hubbard, of Plainfield, is visiting her parents here.

Thos. Brennan, of this place, has resumed work in the Pond Machine Tool Company's Works, after a three-weeks absence.

Martin Brennan, of Dunellen, went to South Bethlehem, Pa., yesterday, to visit his friend, Charles Heagany, who was injured in a railroad accident at Easton a few weeks ago.

Firman Gise is at work staking out for a new barn on the I. D. Titsworth property, on Prospect avenue, recently purchased by Mr. Fisher, of Newark. Plans are also out and being figured on for a new house on the premises to cost about $6,000.

Theodore Kuldosch went hunting yesterday and accidentally shot his dog in mistake for a rabbit.

Walter Smith is shipping many of his corncob pipes to Ontario and other points in Canada.

The Washington Avenue Euchre Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Barrett, North Plainfield, this evening.

Frank Tinson, brakeman on the club car "Netherwood," is suffering from a heavy cold.

G. W. Lance, agent for the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company, was in town yesterday.

Charles Dunham and Special Officer Dougherty will go to North Branch on Sunday for a brief visit.

Yesterday afternoon the atmosphere was cool and invigorating and about a dozen young girls amused themselves by playing football in the depot park. They enjoyed the sport to a very great extent.

Beginning this evening the series of evangelistic services will begin in the Dunellen M. E church. Rev. J. L. Glascock, the well-known evangelist, will be in charge, and the meetings will continue throughout next week.

The electric street lights here were not turned on again until 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, and the streets were in total darkness until that time.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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Engineer John R. McCall and his grandson, John Syres, will go to Providence, R. I., on Saturday to visit Mr. McCall's mother, who is advanced in years and all.

The blowing off of steam by an engine or two at the roundhouse, Wednesday, caused a runaway on Front street. Two ladies and a gentleman were in a two-seat covered wagon, when the horse took fright and started toward Plainfield at a breakneck speed. The driver kept control of the horse, but the animal ran almost to Evona before it was brought to a stand.

Miss Florence Howard, of Washington avenue, is visiting among Plainfield friends.

An immense flock of wild geese passed over Dunellen Wednesday afternoon, going north. There were fully one hundred birds in the flock and they were flying very low.

Miss Alice Messler and her two younger sisters have returned from a visit with friends in Essex county.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The Scotch Plains boys are "whooping 'em up" for Thanksgiving Day, when they hope to get a football game on with some Plainfield team.

J. D. Humes, while at work on A. D. Shepard's place, yesterday, cutting out a tree, which had blown down and was laying across the brook, was painfully injured on the arm. He had cut off the larger limbs and was working near the trunk, when the tree parted and struck him. Mr. Humes was very much dazed for a few minutes, but the only serious injury he sustained was to his arm.

Hunters from here continue to bring in considerable game. The mountains and meadow-land has been pretty thoroughly canvassed, but there are yet many "cotton tails" running at large.

The twenty-fourth annual reception and ball of Goodwill Lodge, No. 101, K. of P., of this place, was held in Excelsior Hall, last evening, and it was largely attended. Prof. Eugene O'Reilly furnished the music for dancing and a merry party of the Plainfield Knights were present and participated in the enjoyment. Those to whom is largely due the credit for the successful entertainment are the following, who constituted the committee of arrangements: T. Brookman, J. B. Guttridge, T. Emery, L. Drexler and E. T. Bowman.

WESTFIELD.

John Kittyles was sentenced yesterday to five months in the county jail for beating his wife, and Michael Corrigan, who robbed Hugh Kelley, the newsboy, of ten cents, was also sentenced to five months in the county jail.

Real estate is active again and eight houses are now in course of erection, and one contractor has fourteen to start at once.

STIRLING.

The contracts are to be awarded in a few days for the new silk mills that are to replace the one burned a few months ago. Parties from Plainfield and other cities in the vicinity have figured on the plans.

Henry Bremmer, superintendent of Laufer's Rose Hill farm, will spend the next week with friends in Newark.

Had No License.

Patrolman Cooney arrested a man named C. W. Ryon, of New York, on West Front street, today, for selling harness oil without a license. He was taken before Judge DeMeza, who fined him $2 or ten days. The man plead so hard to get off, claiming that he had no money, that the Judge suspended sentence with a reprimand.

English Outing Flannel.

Fifty pieces on sale tomorrow at White's. Pink, blue, cream and grey. Regular 12c. goods will go for 6c.

—The funeral of Frederick J. Endress, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Endress, of West Front street, was held yesterday afternoon from the house at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes officiated and spoke words of comfort and consolation to the bereaved parents. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Plainfield avenue.

Mrs. W. A. Coddington, of Park avenue, together with some friends, attended a matinee performance at one of the New York theatres yesterday.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, left town this afternoon to spend a few days with friends in Brooklyn and attend the Yale-Princeton game.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—The literary society at Monroe Avenue chapel will meet tonight.

—Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will hold its regular meeting tonight.

—Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., will meet this evening in regular session.

—An important meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will be held tonight.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, will hold a meeting this evening.

—John H. Kitchen staked out a cellar for a new house on Coddington avenue yesterday.

—A stageload of young people from East Fifth street went over to New Brunswick last evening.

—The class of '99, at the North Plainfield High School, has selected red and white as its class colors.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church will hold a consecration service this evening.

—The Borough Council will hold an adjourned meeting this evening and consider several important matters.

—The managers of the Children's Home gratefully acknowledge the receipt of sixty-seven new garments from the Needlework Guild.

—The fair of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., opens at Ulrich's clubhouse on Monday night.

—A "live doll" entertainment will be given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church this evening and a very enjoyable programme has been prepared.

—The Oriental Council of Crescent Division, No. 13, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., will meet this evening and initiate a number of candidates in the Oriental degree.

—T. J. Pruden's oil wagon met with a slight accident yesterday, when the king bolt dropped out and allowed the front of the wagon to fall. The damage was slight.

—The Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday, at 4:15 p. m., will be conducted by A. C. LaBoyteaux as an evangelistic Bible class. The male choir and Miss Bessie Blair will sing.

—George A. Hallock, the hatter, will soon leave his store on West Front street and establish himself in E. A. Laine's store at the corner of Park avenue and second street.

—Three of the "Seven Wonders" and a young lady friend drove over to New Brunswick yesterday afternoon and were taken through Rutgers College by some of their student friends.

—The Plainfield Water Supply Company shut off twenty-seven consumers yesterday for nonpayment of water. The company will strictly comply with the rules in this particular.

—Miss Rachael G. Maire, who is doing mission work in Liberia, Africa, has written an interesting letter to a Plainfield friend, and it will be read this evening at the meeting to be held in Warren chapel at 8 o'clock.

—It is not necessary to go to New York if you wish to purchase sporting goods. The Plainfield Cycle and Sporting Goods Company, of North avenue, carry a complete line of all kinds of sporting goods at prices to suit.

—The case of McVey against Allen was tried in Justice Newcorn's court yesterday morning and judgment was given the plaintiff. A summons has been issued in the case of Baldwin against Cramer, returnable November 25th.

—Abraham Lincoln Camp, No. 2, Sons of Veterans, was organized and instituted at Elizabeth Wednesday evening by the New Jersey division officers. The new camp has a membership of fifty-nine. H. S. Thatcher, of Camp 28, of this city, acted as chaplain during the institution.

—A joint-committee meeting was held this afternoon of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., and from Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, the only confined auxiliary of the order, at which time the final arrangements for the coming fair were completed.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired. Inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

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THE MISTRESS of the Mine.

or A Woman Intervenes.

By Robert Barr

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Author of The Face and The Mask.

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some girl beside him got on very well together. At the end of the dinner she seemed to have some difficulty in getting up from her chair, and Wentworth showed her how to turn it around, leaving her free to rise. She thanked him prettily.

"I am going on deck," she said, as she turned to go; "I am so anxious to get my first glimpse of the ocean at night from the deck of a steamer."

"I hope you will let me accompany you?" returned young Wentworth. "The decks are rather slippery, and even when the boat is not rolling it isn't quite safe for a lady unused to the motion of a ship to walk alone in the dark."

"Oh, thank you very much!" replied Miss Brewster, with effusion. "It is kind of you, I am sure; and if you promise not to let me rob you of the pleasure of your after-dinner cigar I shall be most happy to have you accompany me. I will meet you at the top of the stairway in five minutes."

"You are getting on," said Kenyon, as the young woman disappeared.

"What's the use of being on board ship," said Wentworth, "if you don't take advantage of the opportunity for making shipboard acquaintances. There is an unconventionality about life on a steamer that is not without its charm, as, perhaps, you will find out before the voyage is over, John."

"You are merely trying to ease your conscience because of your heartless desertion of me."

George Wentworth had waited at the top of the companionway a little more than five minutes when Miss Brewster appeared, wrapped in an arrangement tipped with fur, which lent an additional charm to her complexion, set off as it

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was by a jaunty steamer cap. They stepped out on the deck, and found it not at all as dark as they expected. Little globes of electric light were placed at regular intervals in the walls of the deck building. Overhead was stretched a sort of canvas roof, against which the sleety rain pattered. One of the sailors, with a rubber mop, was pushing into the gutter by the side of the ship the moisture from the deck. All around the boat the night was as black as ink, except here and there where the white curl of a wave showed luminous for a moment in the darkness.

Miss Brewster insisted that Wentworth should light his cigar, which, after some persuasion, he did. Then he tucked her hand snugly under his arm, and she adjusted her step to suit his. They had the promenade all to themselves. The rainy winter night was not as inviting to most of the passengers as the comfortable rooms below. Kenyon, however, and one or two others came up, and sat down in the steamer chairs that were tied to the brass rod which ran along the deckhouse wall. He saw the glow of Wentworth's cigar as the couple turned at the further end of the walk, and as the two passed him he heard a low murmur of conversation, and now and then caught a snatch of silvery laughter. It was not because Wentworth had deserted him that Kenyon felt so uncomfortable and depressed. He couldn't tell just what it was, but there had settled on his mind a strange, uneasy foreboding. After a time he went down into the saloon and tried to read, but could not, and so wandered along the seemingly endless narrow passage to his room, which was Wentworth's as well, and, in nautical phrase, "turned in." It was late when his companion came in.

"Asleep, Kenyon?" he asked.

"No," was the answer.

"By George! John, she is one of the most charming girls I ever met. Wonderfully clever, too; makes a man feel like a fool beside her. She has read nearly everything. Has opinions on all our authors, a great many of whom I've never heard of. I wish, for your sake, John, that she had a sister on board."

"Thanks, old man; awfully good of you, I'm sure," said Kenyon. "Don't you think it's about time to stop raving and get into your bunk, and turn out that confounded light?"

"All right, growler, I will," was the answer.

Meanwhile, in her own stateroom, Miss Jennie Brewster was looking at her reflection in the glass. As she took out her long hair until it rippled down her back, she smiled sweetly, and said to herself:

"Poor Mr. Wentworth! Only the first night out and he told me his name was George."

CHAPTER III.

Next morning Wentworth worked his way, with much balancing and holding on of stanchions, along the deck, for the ship rolled fearfully, although there seemed to be little wind and the sun was shining brightly, but the person he sought was nowhere visible. He thought he would go into the smoking-room, but changed his mind at the door, and turned down the companionway to the main saloon. The tables had been cleared of the breakfast belongings, but on one of the small tables a white cloth had been laid, and at this spot of purity in the general effect of red plush sat Miss Brewster, who was complacently ordering what she wanted from a steward, who did not seem at all pleased in serving one who had disregarded the breakfast hour to the disarrangement of all saloon rules. The chief steward stood by a door and looked disapprovingly at the late guest. It was almost time to lay the tables for lunch, and the young woman was as calmly ordering her breakfast as if she had been the first person at the table.

She looked up brightly at Wentworth, and smiled as he approached her.

"I suppose," she began, "I'm dreadfully late, and the steward looks as if he would like to scold me. How awfully the ship is rolling. Is there a storm?"

"No. She seems to be doing this sort of thing for amusement. Wants to make it interesting for the unfortunate passengers who are not good sailors, I suppose. She is doing it, too. There's scarcely anyone on deck."

"Dear me. I thought we were having a dreadful storm. Is it raining?"

"No. It's a beautiful sunshiny day; without much wind, either, in spite of all this row."

"I suppose you have had your breakfast long ago?"

"So long since that I am beginning to look forward with pleasant anticipation to lunch."

"Oh dear! I had no idea I was so late as that. Perhaps you had better scold me. Somebody ought to do it, and the steward seems a little afraid."

"You overestimate my courage. I am a little afraid, too."

"Then you do think I deserve it?"

"I didn't say that, nor do I think it, I confess, however, that up to this moment I felt just a trifle lonely."

"Just a trifle! Well, that is flattery. How nicely you English do turn a compliment. Just a trifle!"

"I believe, as a race, we do not venture much into compliment-giving at all. We leave that for the polite foreigner. He would say what I tried to say a great deal better than I did, of course; but he would not mean half so much."

"Oh, that's very nice, Mr. Wentworth. No foreigner could have put it nearly so well. Now what about going on deck?"

"Anywhere, if you let me accompany you."

"I shall be most delighted to have you. I won't say merely a trifle delighted."

"Ah! Haven't you forgiven that remark yet?"

"There's nothing to forgive, and it is quite too delicious to forget. I shall never forget it."

"I believe that you are very cruel at heart, Miss Brewster."

The young woman gave him a curious side look, but did not answer. She gathered the wraps she had taken from the cabin, and, handing them to him before he had thought of offering to take them, they went on deck. He found there chairs side by side, and admired the intelligence of the deck steward, who seemed to understand what chairs to place together. Miss Jennie sank gracefully into her own, and allowed him to adjust the wraps around her.

"There," she said, "that's very nicely done; as well as the deck steward himself could do it, and I am sure it is impossible to pay you a more graceful compliment than that. So few men know how to arrange one comfortably in a steamer chair."

"You speak as though you had vast experience in steamer life; and yet you told me this was your first voyage."

"It is. But it doesn't take a woman more than a day to see that the average man attends to such little niceties very clumsily. Now, just tuck in the corner out of sight. There! Thank you, ever so much. And would you be kind enough to—yes, that's better. And this other wrap so. Oh! that is perfect. What a patient man you are, Mr. Wentworth."

"Yes, Miss Brewster, you are a foreigner. I can see that now. Your professed compliment was hollow. You said I did it perfectly, and then immediately directed me how to do it."

"Nothing of the kind. You did it well, and I think you ought not to grudge me the pleasure of adding my own little improvements."

"Oh, if you put it that way, I will not. Now, before I sit down, what book I can get that will interest you. The library contains a very good assortment."

"I don't think I care about reading. Sit down and talk. I suppose I am too indolent to-day. I thought, when I came on board, that I would do a lot of reading, but I believe the sea air makes one lazy. I must confess I feel entirely indifferent to mental improvement."

"You evidently do not think my conversation will be at all worth listening to."

"How quick you are to pervert my meaning. Don't you see that I think your conversation better worth listening to than the most interesting or improving book you can choose from the library? Really, in trying to avoid giving you cause for making such a remark, I have apparently stumbled into a worse error. I was just going to say I would like your conversation much better than a book, when I thought you would take that as a reflection on your reading. If you take me up so sharply, I will sit here and say nothing. Now, then, talk."

"What shall I say?"

"Oh, if I told you what to say I should be doing the talking. Tell me about yourself. What do you do in London?"

"I work hard. I am an accountant."

"And what is an accountant? What does he do? Keep accounts?"

"Some of them do; I do not. I see, rather, that accounts other people keep have been correctly kept."

"Aren't they always correctly kept. I thought that was what bookkeepers were hired for."

"If books were always correctly kept there would be little for us to do; but it happens, unfortunately for some but fortunately for us, that people occasionally do not keep their accounts accurately."

"And can you always find that out if you examine the books?"

"Always."

"Can't a man make his accounts so that no one can tell that there is anything wrong?"

"The belief that such a thing can be done has placed many a poor wretch in prison. It has been tried often enough."

"I am sure they can do it in the states. I have read of it being done and continued for years. Men have made off with great sums of money by falsifying the books, and no one found it out until the one who did it died or ran away."

"Nevertheless, if an expert accountant had been called in he would have found out very soon that something was wrong, and just where the wrong was and how much."

"I didn't think such cleverness possible. Have you ever discovered anything like that?"

"I have."

"What is done when such a thing is discovered?"

"That depends upon circumstances. Usually a policeman is called in."

"Why, it's like being a detective. I wish you would tell me about some of the cases you have had. Don't make me ask too many questions. Talk."

"I don't think my experiences would interest you in the least. There was one case with which I had something to do in London two years ago that—"

"Oh, London. I don't believe the bookkeepers there are half so sharp as ours. If you had to deal with American accountants you would not find out so easily what they had or had not done."

"Well, Miss Brewster, what I tell you is, of course, in confidence. I wouldn't whisper it to anybody else, but I may say I have just had an experience of that kind with some of your very sharpest American bookkeepers. I found that the books had been kept in a most ingenious way, with the intent to deceive. The system had been going on for years."

"How interesting. And did you call in a policeman?"

"No. This was one of the cases where a policeman was not necessary. The books were kept with the object of showing that the profits of the m—of the business—had been much greater than they really were. I may say that one of your American accountants had already looked over the books, and, whether through ignorance or carelessness, or from a worse motive, he reported them all right. They were not all right, and the fact that they were not will mean the loss of a fortune to some people on your side of the water and the saving of good money to others on my side."

"Then I think your profession must be a very important one."

"We think so, Miss Brewster. I would like to be paid a percentage on the money saved because of my report."

"And won't you?"

"Unfortunately no."

"I think that is too bad. I suppose the discrepancy must have been small, or the American accountant would not have overlooked it."

"I didn't say that he had overlooked it. Still, the size of the discrepancy does not make the difference. A small error is as easily found as a large one. This one was large. I suppose there is no harm in my saying that the books, taking them together, showed a profit of £40,000, when they should have shown a loss of nearly half that amount. I hope nobody overhears me."

"No; we are quite alone, and you may be sure I will not breathe a word of what you have been telling me."

"Don't breathe it to Kenyon, at least. He would think me insane if he knew what I have said."

"Is Mr. Kenyon an accountant, too?"

"Oh, no. He is a mineralogist. He can go into a mine and tell with a reasonable certainty whether it will pay the working of it or not. Of course, as he says himself, any man can see six feet into the earth as well as he can. But it is not every man that can gauge the value of a working mine so well as John Kenyon."

"Then while you were delving among the figures, your companion was delving among the minerals?"

"Precisely."

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St

SECOND WARD.

First election district at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.

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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY-To Valerie Baird and Z. Taylor Baird: By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the date hereof, in a cause wherein Charles A. Reed is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of said complainant on or before the twenty-eighth day of December next, or the said bill be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Z. Taylor Baird to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, dated April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you, Valerie Baird are made the defendant because you were the owner of said premises and claim to be entitled to and inchoate right of dower therein. And you Z. Taylor Baird are made defendant because you were the owner of said premises and may still claim some interest therein.

Dated October 27, 1896.

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Solicitors of Complainant.
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10-30-4 wf

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT -- Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of Sybilla E. Albert, deceased, will be audited and stated by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the 16th day of December next.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 30, 8 00, 8 33, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 25, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 12, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 1b, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 20, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 2), 10 2

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 3 22, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 8 19, 6 38, 7 13, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 10, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 35, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 30, 5 10, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 p. m., 4 55, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 33, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 30, 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 6 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 28 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 2 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 2 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 2 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 2 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3 51, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 46, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 1* night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 56 a. m., 3 25, 4 55, 5 14*, p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17 8 46, 10 46 a. m., 2 17, 5 39*, 6 45 p. m., 1 17. Sundays 5 17, 10 46 a. m., 5 14*, p. m., 1 17 night.

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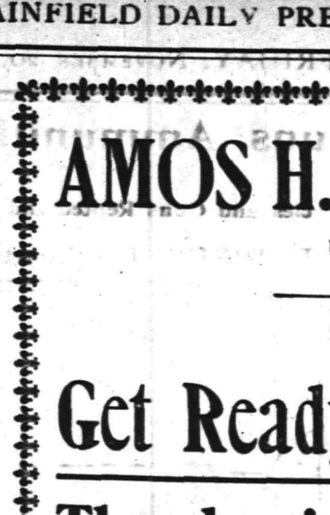

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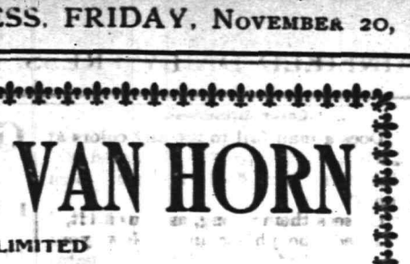

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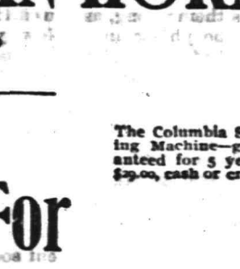

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DIED FROM HEART DISEASE.

F. P. Arbuckle, Denver's School Commissioner, Was Not Murdered.

New York, Nov. 20.—The theory advanced by the police that Frank P. Arbuckle, the Denver, Col., school commissioner, prominent politician and mine owner, who was found unconscious in a lot near High bridge yesterday and died in an ambulance while on the way to the hospital, had been sandbagged and robbed, is dispelled by an autopsy performed by the coroner. The conditions found indicated that death was due to heart disease. The coroner found fatty degeneration of the heart sufficient to produce death, he said. There was, however, found the presence of slight gastritis in the stomach, which may have been due to alcohol or some irritant poison. To settle the matter definitely the contents of the stomach will be chemically analyzed. There was a very slight contusion visible under the scalp back of the right ear and a slight hemorrhage of the right kidney which, the coroner says, were probably caused by the man falling to the ground, and were not, he said, the result of an assault.

Was Born at Erie, Pa.

Denver, Nov. 20.—Frank P. Arbuckle's home was at Highlands, a suburb of this city. He married Miss Emma Swift of Fond du Lac, Wis., who with two sons and a daughter, Mrs. I. N. Darrow of Denver, survive him. He was a telegraph operator at Russell, Kan., where he went years ago from his native city, Erie, Pa., and afterwards became active in politics and removed to Colorado. Under the first Cleveland administration Mr. Arbuckle was appointed receiver of the land office at Lamar.

Mrs. Arbuckle Enroute to New York.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Frank Arbuckle, whose husband was found in a dying condition in New York yesterday morning, passed through here enroute to New York last night. Mrs. Arbuckle said the interment will probably be in Denver.

EIGHT-HOUR WORK DAY LAW.

Important Case Before the U. S. Supreme Court To Test Its Constitutionality.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The supreme court of the United States has been called upon to determine the constitutionality of the law passed by the Utah legislature limiting to eight hours a day work in an underground mine in that state. The statute provides that except in the case of an emergency, where life or property is at stake, no one shall work more than eight hours a day in an underground mine, and that no one shall employ a man to do so. Albert F. Holden was convicted and fined by a justice of the peace in Salt Lake county for violating the law in the employment of a miner, who engaged to work ten hours a day. He sought release from the custody of the sheriff of Salt Lake county on the ground that the law was unconstitutional, in that it was class legislation and restricted the right of citizens to contract for labor as they chose. Failing to get relief from the state courts, Holden appealed to the supreme court of the United States, by which the case has not yet been decided.

Death of Mrs. Scott-Siddons.

Paris, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Scott-Siddons, the well-known actress, is dead. She was a great-granddaughter of the great Sarah Siddons. She began her career on the stage in London in 1867. She enjoyed considerable popularity, both in London and in the provinces. She first came to the United States in 1868. In later life Mrs. Siddons traveled extensively in the British colonies and achieved considerable popularity in Australia, but advancing years robbed her of much of her beauty and she gradually lost her power of public attraction. She was a woman of great intelligence but limited dramatic power.

Ex-Gov. Eli H. Murray Dead.

Bowling Green, Ky., Nov. 20.—Eli H. Murray, ex-governor of Utah, who died here yesterday, had a distinguished record during the late war and was a strong opponent of polygamy and the Mormon church during his residence in Utah.

She Wants To Be a Citizen.

New York, Nov. 20.—Patty Watkins, late of the Salvation army, but now of Ballington Booth's Volunteers, has filed her petition for citizen papers in the supreme court.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Market weak; fair demand. Dec., 85⅛c.; May, 86⅜c.

Corn—Spot trade weaker and quiet. Dec., 29¼c.; May, 32⅝c.

Oats—Trade dull and prices easy. Dec., 23¼c.; May, 26c.

Pork—Spot weak and irregular. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and inactive. Steam rendered, $4.05.

Eggs—Steady and good demand State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@25c.; ice house, 16½@18c.; western, fresh, 21@23c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 21@22.

Butter—Light receipts; good demand. Creamery western extras, 21½c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, full made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6¾c.

Potatoes—Demand is still slow. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.21.

JOHN R. GENTRY SOLD

The King of Pacers Brought $19,900 Under the Hammer.

L. G. TEWKESBURY HIS NEW OWNER

Spirited Bidding and a Big Crowd Present in Madison Square Garden, New York, When the Celebrated Horse Was Put Up at Auction.

New York, Nov. 20.—Before the largest crowd ever seen at a horse sale and after a most sensational auction, John R. Gentry, the champion harness horse of the world, passed into the hands of Lewis G. Tewkesbury of this city for $19,900 at Madison Square garden last night. It was 8:30 o'clock when the band which was stationed over the main entrance of the garden struck up "Hail to the Chief," and Gentry was brought with difficulty through the crowd to the front of the auctioneer's stand. The whole section of the west side of the garden, boxes and reserved seats, were as full as they could hold, while inside the ring and on the miniature track the throng of people were pushing and falling over each other in their efforts to get a glimpse of the pacing king. Thirty-five hundred was a low estimate of the number of people. When the horse was fairly in front of Auctioneer Bain of Lexington, Ky., who sold him here last February when Wm. Simpson was the purchaser at $7,600, the band ceased playing. It was not, however, until the assistance of the police was called that space was made barely sufficient to allow the horse to move round. A cheer went up from the crowd and in a few well-chosen words the auctioneer called for bids for the champion harness horse of the world, who had paced the fastest three heats ever accomplished — 2:03¾, 2:03¼, 2:03¼—had lowered the harness record to 2:01¾, and to crown his glory and indelibly stamp himself lord and king of the turf, had covered a mile against time in 2:00½, a second faster than any other horse ever accomplished the distance in harness. Bids came in with such rapidity that the auctioneer could scarcely keep track of them. Four, six, eight, ten and eleven thousand dollars were offered from different parts of the house with scarcely breathing time between. But the real battle of bids was to come when the struggle narrowed down to two—Louis W. Wormser and Lewis G. Tewkesbury, both New Yorkers. Mr. Wormser came into the battle at $12,000, his bid being delivered in a loud clear voice, and the crowd applauded. Promptly Mr. Tewkesbury went $500 better. Thus the battle waged between the two, with scarcely a moment's hesitation up to $19,500, Mr. Wormser's bid. Great applause greeted the bid. "I raise it $400," said Mr. Tewkesbury. The auctioneer turned to Mr. Wormser, expectantly. There was no reply, and on the "three" the auctioneer's gavel fell. The gallant son of Ashland Wilkes and Dame Wood, who had stood, like the thoroughbred he is, the pressure of the crowd and the strains of the band, became the property of the owner of Robert J., the only horse who had shown himself a dangerous rival to the king, who in futurer will be his comrade. With Gentry, Robert J. (2:01¼) and Mascot (2:04) Mr. Tewkesbury has a stable of phenomenal greatness.

National Grange Resolutions.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, has adopted resolutions, which recommend a stable currency; that United States senators be elected by the people; free rural mail delivery; and expressed sympathy with Cuba. It favored arbitraion whenever it can be resorted to without sacrifice of honor. It congratulated the grange that political differences and heated contests had made no difference in the fraternal feeling of the order, and ended by pledging the united support of the order to the country and the flag.

Naval Laundry Contract Investigation.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Secretary Herbert has ordered a court of inquiry to meet in Washington next Monday to inquire into the circumstances of letting the laundry contract for the current fiscal year. It appears that last year the towels were washed under contract with a local firm at $1 per hundred. The present contract appears to have been let at the rate of $10 per hundred, although firms offer to do it at the old rate.

Petrel Ordered to Chinese Waters.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Admiral McNair's Asiatic squadron is to be increased by the addition of the cruiser Petrel, now repairing at the navy yard, Mare Island, California. Orders have been issued to place the vessel in commission Dec. 16, with lieutenant-commander Edward P. Wood in command. The Petrel, on account of her small size, is especially adapted to ascending the Chinese rivers.

University of Paris.

Paris, Nov. 20.—President Faure, most of the cabinet ministers, and a number of senators, accompanied by members of the diplomatic corps, were present at the inauguration of the University of Paris, which was established by law in the present year.

To Meet Next Year at Milwaukee.

St. Louis, Nov. 20.—The Society of the Army of the Tennessee will hold their next annual reunion in 1897 in Milwaukee.

Conscience Contribution.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The treasury has received a conscience contribution of $25 from Syracuse, N. Y.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:54 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:38 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:38 p. m.

WHSTI.

From the following communication it will be seen that the various clubs in the State Association will soon be striving to win another trophy:

November 14th, 1896.

T. E. Otis, President of the New Jersey Whist Association.

My Dear Sir—The result of the game last evening between the Jersey City Whist Club and the Park Club of North Plainfield will have been reported to you before the receipt of this, and being in favor of the Park Club, gives to them, as I understand it, the permanent ownership of the trophy.

I need not express to you the pride and satisfaction we feel at having successfully contested for this honor with such capable clubs as form the association, nor, while an opportunity offers, can I fail, on the part of our club, to recognize the gentlemanly and sportsmanlike treatment shown us by all the contestants that we have met.

But with the withdrawal of the present trophy from competition, challenge contests in the asociation should not cease, and so the governors of the Park Club ask the privilege of presenting to the association for challenge contest, a new trophy, which they ask shall be known as the "Park Club Challenge Trophy," to be played for under such conditions, in all respects, as the association shall prescribe.

If we ventured to make any suggestions with reference to those conditions, it would be to inquire whether more frequent play than we have had in the past contest is not desirable.

If the interval between games was shortened, would not the interest in the games and in the fight be stimulated and maintained?

I am, Mr. President, very sincerely,
George T. Rogers,
Chairman Whist Committee of the Park Club of North Plainfield.

The above matter will be presented to the directors of the New Jersey Whist Association and action taken immediately. The suggestions made by the Park Club, that games in this contest be played more frequently, is a wise one, as there should be played a game each week, from September 15th to June 15th.—Newark News.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Wm. Feiring, the popular West Front street barber, spent yesterday near Metuchen hunting cottontails.

—Supt. John Adleman, of the street railway, yesterday shot four rabbits, two squirrels and one quail.

—Teddy Smith, a clerk at A.D Findlay's, yesterday while hunting shot a large snappin' turtle, a red heifer and a passing milk wagon. The driver was missed. He brought home four rabbits—price $1.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell is confined to his nome by illness.

Chas. and Geo. Bull of East Ninth street, sail tomorrow for Venezuela.

Ex-Constable Garret P. Smith, of West Third street, will celebrate his fifty-first birthday this evening with a family gathering.

The marriage of Miss Louisa Alcott Baker, of Watchung avenue, and Lawyer Harry C. Runyon, of Arlington avenue, is announced to take place at the bride's home on Dec. 28th

The condition of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., who has been ill with a heavy cold for nearly two weeks, remains unchanged, but the attending physician, Dr. Probasco, feels confident of his recovery.

Mrs. Orville Taylor Waring and Miss Florenia Amelia Waring will give an afternoon reception next Saturday from 4 until 7, at their home on Park avenue Calling days are also announced for December 3d and 10th.

—Freeholder Hubbard has the checks for election officers, and they can be had by calling at the Dime Savings Bank.

—Special exercises consisting of recitations, vocal and instrumental music were held in the North Plainfield Public High School this forenoon.

There is considerable talk of a game between the Alis and Hunter football teams. The latter considerably outweigh the Alis boys, but the Alis team has the great advantage of long practice and consequently excellent team work. The Hunter boys think they can defeat their plucky little rivals, while the Alis contingent are of the opposite opinion. The question is likely to be settled in a game.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. - L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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GAMES AND FUN.

Social Given by the Endeavorers of the Trinity Reformed Church.

The social given last evening by the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church, was so very much unlike the usual social, that it was one of the greatest pleasure to the large number of persons present. The committee in charge arranged the Sunday-school in a most cozy manner, and one would imagine they were in a handsome parlor. Banquet lamps were used and the pretty colored shades shed a pleasing light, while here and there was a bouquet of fragrant flowers. The room was filled with Christian Endeavorers and their friends who entered most heartily into the festivities of the occasion. All sorts of games were played such as checkers, dominoes, telegraph boy, truth, tiddlewinks, go bang, fishing pond, spinning the platter, blow out the candle, blow the feather, and going to Jerusalem. While the latter game was being played Miss Olive Newell rendered several selections on the piano.

Refreshments were served by the following persons who comprise the committee: Miss Jennie Ross, Mrs. F. C. Adams, Miss Edith DuBois, Miss C. J. Smalley and E E. Garetson. The committee deserves credit for their efforts to please all, and everyone agreed it was one of the best socials ever held.

MISCHIEVIOUS YOUNGSTERS.

Evona Boys Act in an Unseemly Manner Around a Church.

For some time past a certain crowd of boys have been in the habit of causing a great deal of trouble about the Church of the Heavenly Rest, and their acts at times have been almost to the extreme. They have cut the bell rope in the church so short that it was with difficulty repaired. On several occasions they have broken into the church and chapel and have upset thing in a general way. The officers of the church are much perplexed over this constant annoyance, and they are unable to put a stop to it. Wednesday evening while the entertainment was being held in the chapel the boys made their appearance and amused themselves by ringing the church bell and being otherwise troublesome. Patrolman Cash made his appearance and kept the boys away until after the entertainment. It is impossible, it seems, for anyone to catch one of the boys to make an example of, but it is evident that stronger means must be adopted.

JUNIOR COUNTY UNION MEETS.

Officers are Elected and Plans Made for the Future.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Union county met at the Third Presbyterian church, of Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon.

The annual election of officers was held and resulted as follows: President, Mrs. W. S. Lowry, of Plainfield; vice-president, W. J. Humphrey, of Elizabeth; secretary, Miss Mary Baumgarten, of Rahway; treasurer, Miss Mabel Pruden, of Plainfield.

The union voted to take up department work in the lines of missionary, temperance and good citizenship. A very interesting paper on "What are You Aiming at in Your Society?" was read by Mrs. Altman, of Elizabeth.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at Rahway on the last Thursday in January.

Thanksgiving Appeal:

The Relief Association makes its annual appeal to the puplic for supplies with which to furnish Thanksgiving dinners to the poor of Plainfield. Contributions of money as well as of provisions will be acceptable and may be sent to the Relief rooms, 544 West Front streeet, not later than Wednesday (Tuesday preferred). If poultry be donated, small turkeys and chickens are preferred. It is earnestly requested that all churches and Kings Daughter Circles will send to Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, 544 West Frant street, the names of all those to whom they intend giving dinners. Those names will be kept confidential.

Mrs. C. E. Brooks
Secretary.

In Hard Luck.

J. Philip Kirch, of Somerset street, is in hard luck. Wednesday he broke the handle-bars to his bicycle and then purchased a pair of wooden ones. Yesterday he was riding down Park avenue when the handle-bars became loose and Mr. Kirch described a graceful curve and landed on his head. He came out of the encounter with a cut hand and a sprained wrist. About two minutes later he was run into by a lady cyclist and took a second tumble. This was the fourth tumble he has taken during the last two weeks.

To Have a Social Side.

Senate Lodge, Knights of Honor, held its regular bi-monthly meeting in Firemen's Hall last evening. The attendance was good and much enthusiasm prevailed. It is proposed to make the meetings in the future more interesting and an entertainment committee was appointed to that end. Progressive euchre with prizes will be in order at the next meeting two weeks hence. Members should bear this in mind.

Color Blindness.

"Does a man fail to see any colors at all when he is color blind?" asked Mr. Drinkhorn, "or does he see them wrong?"

"He sees them wrong, as you call it," explained the physician. "Now, your nose, instead of appearing in its natural color, would look to a color blind person to be green."

"Green? Any particular shade?" asked Mr. Drinkhorn with the intention of being facetious.

"Yes — bottle green." — Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wanted the Other Kind.

The lawyer patted his client soothingly on the shoulder.

"Now, don't you worry," he said with a reassuring air. "You shall have a fair trial."

The gentlemanly burglar turned pale.

"That—that's what I'm afraid of," he returned nervously.—New York Sunday World.

The Ruling Passion.

"What will Senator Sorghum do if he's defeated?"

"Oh," replied the rural constituent, "he'll git ready ter run ag'in."

"And what course will he pursue if he's re-elected?"

"Same as usual. He'll git ready ter run ag'in."—Washington Star.

Had Been There Before.

Mother—Don't eat your pie now, Johnnie. Save it until the last.

Johnnie—Say, maw, I don't distrust you, but the kid who swiped my pie at the picnic said the same thing.—Adams Freeman.

Looking.

"They are a curious couple."

"Yes?"

"Yes. She cares for nothing on earth but looks and he — well, he's very visionary."—Detroit Tribune.

Her Inside Pocket.

She has pockets in her jacket;
She has pockets in her dress;
She has pockets in her bloomers
And most everywhere, I guess,
And she thrusts her dainty fingers
In a way that makes me start
In the little inside pocket
That lies just above her heart.
For not long ago I gave to her
A photograph of mine,
And she vowed that on her bosom
It forever should recline.
But her tantalizing manner
Often fills me with despair,
Till my heart grows weary, longing
Just to know that it is there.
—New York Sunday Journal.

Wayside Subtleties.

Wayworn Watson—These here newspaper writers is too high for me. What is the difference between livin and existin, I want to know?

Perry Patettic—Heaps—miles, oceans. A man can exist on bread and meat, but he has to have booze to really live. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

Another game in the Journal League will be rolled tonight between the Cranford and Roselle teams on the latter club's alleys.

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NURSERY IDOLS OF LIFE AND ANIMATION

Laugh-Provoking Exhibit at the First Presbyterian Church.

DOLLS WITH ALL SORTS OF DEFECTS.

John Petrie Impersonates the Doll Tinker and the Number of Intricate Jobs He Has Thrust Upon Him, and the Manner in Which He Dealt With the Subjects, Prompted Roars of Risibilities in the Audience—Names of Participants.

Talk about poultry and cat shows, or even horse shows, they are not to be compared to the "live doll" exhibit that was given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church last evening. With dull staring faces, except, of course, when their owners forgot and laughed, the dolls did some remarkable things and managed to keep the audience in one continual roar of laughter. Dolls of all varieties were there, from the extremely limp rag doll to the "Yellow Kid," loaned by the New York World, especially for the occasion, so they said, at least.

As if to prepare the minds of the spectators for the proper appreciation of the dolls, the front of the room and the curtain were appropriately decorated. All kinds of dolls hung about the walls in various artistic positions. On the curtain was a varied assortment of paper dolls cut from newspapers, while in the centre of it the picture of the Republican candidate for Mayor smiled at his peculiar companions in true Fisk fashion. The likeness was that published in last night's Daily Press.

There was a fair-sized audience present, but the entertainment was deserving of one much larger. What it lacked in numbers, however, it made up in enthusiasm. The different numbers on the programme were made evident to all by a large poster which hung from the wall.

The entertainment opened with a piano duet by Miss Josephine Petrie and Miss Lottie Remson. A charming little dialogue, "The Valentine," was given by Miss Grace E. Overton and Miss Mary A. Luckey, and then Miss Bessie Blair sang the solo "Dutch Dolls." Next came the "live doll" exhibit.

As the curtain was pulled to one side, "Dr. Kill's" repair shop for dolls was disclosed on the platform while the proprietor of the place was apparently fast asleep there, stretched out on a chair. Had some of the paint been removed from his face and had he been otherwise clad in civilized garb, the familiar features of John Petrie might have been recognized. A ragged coat and vest, which he removed when he got down to work, hid a striped shirt built on the Sing Sing plan. A pair of corduroy trousers and a grey high hat completed his equipment. His assistants were three in number. Miss Nora Williams, clad in a calico dress of mixed patterns with tight fitting sleeves and with her hair covered by a red bandana turban, wielded the the dust brush. Miss Flora Petrie, in another queer gown, assisted in looking after the dolls, while the understudy, George Taylor, rigged out in overalls and coat, made himself generally useful. All sorts of tools lay around on the tables and projected from the pockets of "Dr. Kill" and his understudy.

The dreamer roused himself to receive his first patient, which arrived on wheels or rather on roller skates. It, perhaps it would be better to say she, was a wooden doll and Taylor began to oil up the joints a little to the vast amusement of the juvenile occupants of the front row. Then one after another the assistants led and pushed the rest of the "dolls" on to the platform.

The identity of the various dolls was as follows: Talking doll, Miss Eleanor T. VanDeventer; walking doll, Miss Agnes Blair; wooden doll, Miss Lillian Hunt; china doll, Miss Edith L. Pruden; fairy, Miss Mary A. Luckey; negro; doll, Percy Dayton; rag doll, Miss Grace E. Overton; gypsy doll, Miss Margaret Cave; Japanese doll, Miss Elizabeth Bittenbender; baby doll, Miss Pansy Herring, and the "Yellow Kid," Frank Flannery.

Now there was something the matter with all the dolls, and they had been sent to the repair shop to be repaired. Dr. Kill and his assistants bustled around, oil can in hand, tightening a loose screw here and adjusting some of the mechanism there, and attempting to make the necessary repairs.

They first experimented with the walking doll to which there was a letter attached. It said that this 1892 model, low gear walking doll was all out of order and needed a new face. The steps were too short, read the let-

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NO SERVANT; NO RECTOR

REV. E. P. DYER TRIED AND TRIED BUT GET NO COOK.

Then the Family Went a Half Mile for Meals, But Owing to Mrs. Dyer Being an Invalid This Could Not be Continued.

At Metuchen, the hired girl reigns supreme. It is she who dictates the number of courses at dinner and how often coal shall be put on the library fire. There the mistress of the kitchen eats with the family. There she flounces out of the house whenever it suits her own sweet will. If you don't believe it ask the Rev. E. P. Dyer, rector of the smart parish of St. Luke's.

For ten years the Rev. Mr. Dyer has been a clergyman in the Protestant Episcopal church. Nine of them he spent as rector of St. Andrew's in Baltimore, his native city. Then he went to Philadelphia, where the cooking is good and the servant girl question pretty nearly solved. He received his call from Metuchen last August.

When the clergyman came to his new work it was with the enthusiasm born of a good cause and the thought that St. Luke's was the best parish in Metuchen, possessed not only of a charming little church, but also of a fine parish house and a cozy parsonage. It was with no little satisfation then that the new clergyman installed his wife and nine year old daughter there. Alas, he reckoned without the hired girl!

"I'll just run around to the employment agency," he remarked to his wife, who is something of an invalid, on the day of their arrival, "and get you a cook."

But he didn't. He couldn't. Metuchen has no employment agent. So the family had to go out for dinner that night and for many nights afterwards, and the only place where they could get anything fit to eat, though Metuchen boasts itself of being a lively suburb, was half a mile away. Next day he tried again, seeking out the humble and lowly who might be glad to go out to service for high wages. But the humble and lowly wouldn't go out even for high wages, unless they could have every night off and Sundays and holidays.

The weeks rolled by and the months. The family went to New York, but as fast as he took a servant out to Metuchen just as fast did she want to go back to Sixth avenue or the Bowery. They tramped through the rain; they waded through the mud three times a day that weary half mile to get something to eat. Sometimes they got a girl from the neighborhood. Just as often she gave notice

"Let me do the work," pleaded Mrs. Dyer, but her husband wouldn't hear of it, having in mind her illness and the dire consequences that might follow.

And now he has resigned the pastorate of St. Luke's. On December 15th, Rev. Mr. Dyer will move out of the cozy parsonage and take his family back to Philadelphia.

"It has been fearful," said he yesterday. "It is a lovely parish and the people are so good to me that I am sorry to go, but it is simply a question of my wife's health. We cannot get a servant here and my wife cannot do the work. We have offered high wages; we have treated the girls as well as we knew how. We could not get one to stay.

"The vestry has treated me kindly. They even offered to let me live somewhere else and keep up the parish here, but that would be unfair to them. I must go. But oh, how horrible is the servant question here! One of my parishioners invited me to supper the other night. He kept five servants. When the guests arrived, not one of the five was left. They had departed in high dudgeon."

Mr. Dyer has been well liked by his congregation. The vestry, though willing to do everything, could not provide a servant girl. So on December 15th Rev. Clarence Dunham will try to solve the problem.

Names of the Fugitives.

The names of the three boys who escaped from the Jamesburg Reform School and who were captured at West Dunellen, as was told exclusively in The Daily Press yesterday were Frank Watt, George Mount and William Atkins.

Improvements at the Park Club.

The pool and billiard room at the Park Club are receiving a thorough overhauling. Several of the tables are being re-covered and a new set of cues and billiard ball have been purchased. The new set of pins in the bowling alleys were used for the first time in last Monday's game.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

EPWORTH LEAGUE RALLY

INTERESTING PROGRAMME RENDERED IN VINCENT CHAPEL.

Encouraging Reports Received From Various Societies in Their District.—Good Work Being Done All Over the County.

The members of the Epworth League of the M. E. churches in this city, held a rally in Vincent Chapel, last evening, and it was a most successful entertainment, over three hundred persons, young, middle aged and old being included in the gathering. The evening's entertainment opened with singing "Coronation" and prayer by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Barnes.

President of the League R. W. Davis in a few well-chosen and appropriate words welcomed the audience, after which Rev. Mr. Johnson, as a representative from Grace M. E. Church, told of the work and the much good being accomplished there.

Mr. Moorehouse spoke on behalf of the Westfield League which, he said, was holding regular Sunday and Tuesday meetings and they are prolific of much good.

A. H. Strong spoke for the Scotch Plains League and said in part: "The Scotch Plains League appreciates these rallys, and as the members go back home they fell that they are not alone in the movement, and we begin to realize what a mighty force is marching with the Epworth League."

Rev. Mr. O'Donnell, of the Monroe Avenue chapel, next spoke on "Personal Responsibility." "The M. E. church," said he, "is one of the best in the world, and the Epworth League has learned to do and endure in the church work. Human character—the human heart—is the work which shall endure, and the Epworth League is just this sort of an organization. The League is not simply a social organization, yet, through its religious training, many are brought into the church. Its great aim is to impress on all souls God's likeness; therefore, let us all work for the glory of God, who shall give us victory, for He provides the strength and power."

Robert Douglas sang a delightful solo, and the audience appreciated his efforts to such an extent that he was obliged to respond to an encore.

Rev. Dr. Barnes the pastor, also spoke a few helpful and encouraging words. He spoke with partial reference to the practice some have of "serving God by proxy," as he put it. "A good many," he said, "can sit up all night to get the election returns, but they can't find time to go to church. The Epworth League is one of the mainstays of the church and the official board so recognizes this fact." Dr. Barnes considered that the church had made a serious mistake in giving up the circuit system, as he termed it. All should be united and work harmoniously together, so that one society could consult with another. They should join in the benefit, intent and co-operation, and centre together to do all that is good in God's work—not hinder, but join and help one another. In conclusion Dr. Barnes said he favored these rallies for the good of the church.

Miss Edith Burt gave another of her charming readings, "The Spirit of Thanksgiving;" Miss Margaretta Barnes sang a delightful solo; Miss Burt recited and Mr. Douglass closed the vocal and instrumental part of the programme with a beautiful solo.

But this was not all, for immediately afterward the members of the League served delicious cream and cake in abundance to all present.

HIGHLY HONORED.

A Plainfield Girl Admitted to a German College by Special Order.

Under the heading of "Foreign Notes of Real Interest." The New York Sun published on Tuesday the following:

"Prof. Brunner, rector of the University of Berlin, has refused the use of the university aula for a lecture by a woman. Fraulein Hel-ne Lange had been invited by a students' society to speak on "Man and Woman" there.

The Berlin University has not favored the higher education of women, and consistently refuses permission to German women to attend its advanced lecture courses, and none have thus far been admitted. It is perhaps all the greater honor when an American lady, by reason of her scholarship and graduation from one of our own colleges is admitted to the Berlin University. Miss Caroline Fitz Randolph, of this city, a graduate of Wellesley, has by special consent of the Royal Curatorium of the Friedrich Wilhelm University of Berlin, been admitted to the lectures of Prof. Kirschoff on the history of Greek literature. Herr Rektor Brunner and Herr Doktor Kirchoff both gave their kind and cordial consent to this admission. Miss Randolph is an excellent Greek scholar and is now in attendance on the lectures. They are given, of course, in the German language, in which also Miss Randolph is proficient.

HOME FOR WAGONERS.

CHARITABLE PEOPLE INTERESTED BY THE STORY IN THE PRESS.

Two Youngest Children Will be Taken in the Children's Home, and a Place Found For the Third—Mother Willing to Work.

The widow and fatherless Wagoners are to have a happy Thanksgiving after all. Before The Press took up their case and told the facts as to their destitution and want it was not a happy prospect that greeted the family with the ravages of a severe winter ready to break forth with howling, piercing winds and blinding snow storms, but the story in this paper touched many hearts and charitable and sympathetic people were soon at work to relieve the conditions that confronted them in the isolated and miserable hut in Warren township.

As has already been told, Mrs. F. H. Wills, of LaGrande avenue, was the first person to go to the rescue of the forlorn family, and her gift of a big box of groceries gave them temporary relief. Mrs. Wills did not stop there, however, but she interested several other persons in the case and efforts were immediately made to get the various members of the family into comfortable circumstances. An appeal was made to the managers of the Children's Home to accept the two youngest children—a boy five years old and a girl seven years old. It was thought that there would not be room for them till December 1st, but yesteray Mrs. Horace Kimball, president of the board, found that they would be able to receive them by next Wednesday and she has notified Mrs. Wagoner to that effect. An attempt is being made to find a place for the other girl, who is thirteen years old, in some family, and anyone who is in a position to assist in that direction should notify the Children's Home Board.

With the three dependent children looked after, Mrs. Wagoner will be able to find work and provide for herself. She is anxious to work, but with the children to care for this would have been almost impossible.

FIRE LADDIES TO HAVE A TIME.

Will Have a "Wash" and Then a Turkey Supper Thanksgiving.

The members of Engine Company No. 2 are making preparations for a big time on Thanksgiving Day, in which they will combine business and pleasure. The business end of the affair will be a "wash," to take place along Cedar brook, near Park avenue. After this they expect to receive a delegation from Protection Engine Company, of Bayonne, and will show them the sights of Greater Plainfield. In the evening they will sit down to their annual turkey supper, to be given in one of the vacant stores in the Jersey Cycle Academy building on Watchung avenue. The occasion will be one of great jollity. It is expected that the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will be engaged to furnish the music for the parade which will precede the "wash."

Mrs. A. T. Runyon Surprised By Friends.

A very pleasant birthday surprise party was given to Mrs. A. T. Runyon, of La Grande avenue, last evening. It was arranged by her husband, and C. F. E. Wyckoff, of East Sixth street. Mrs. Runyon was presented with a handsome set of engravings by her guests. Refreshments were served at midnight and the party broke up about one o'clock. Those present were: Mrs. A. T. Runyon, Miss Fanny Mills, the Misses Wyckoff, Miss Stiglits, A. T. Runyon, John Stocker, Julius Williams, George G. Eckhardt and Thomas Wyckoff.

For a Permanent Club.

A meeting of the Young Men's Republican Club was held in the Republican Association rooms last evening, with President Wm. N. Runyon in the chair. Secretary Frost read the minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved as read. A committee of three, consisting of the president, secretary and one member of the executive committee, was appointed to draw up a constitution and bylaws for a permanent organization. Adjournment was made to December 15th, at the same place and hour. The membership of the club is now 196, and it is rapidly growing.

In City Court.

The cases against the hackmen for their recent squabble and runaway were adjourned for one week in the city court this morning. The Richards was also adjourned to the same time. The Saunders case was adjourned to Friday.

Guince Fined $10.

Corneliul Guince, who was found guilty yesterday in the city court for fighting at the North Avenue station recently, appeared before Judge De-Meza this morning for sentence. He was fined $10.

VANDALS AT THE PLAINS

MARAUDERS COMMIT THEFT IN THE CHURCH AND SCHOOL.

The Town-people Arroused and Have Employed Detectives to Hunt Down the Guilty Ones—Punishment Awaits Them.

The residents of Scotch Plains and Fanwood are very much incensed over the depredations commited last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by some unknown young men in that locality. They entered the public school and All Saints P. E. church and destroyed many things of value.

At the School-house the seats and interior wood work was mutilated and things in general were turned upside down. At the church they stole a portion of the communion service and several fancy articles were completely torn in shreds. The furniture was changed about and general destruction seems to have been the purpose of the intruders. Their actions were certainly devilish in the extreme. As soon as the facts were learned the citizens interested themselves and secured the services of two detectives who are now at work on the case. They are determined to catch the guilty ones and bring them to justice, and thus make an example of them.

GOT THE CROPS WITHOUT RENT.

Burnett Leased the Farm, Harvested the Products and Quit.

The case of Miss Blume, of Passaic, against Burnett, of Howard street, was tried in Justice Crosley's Court this morning. W. R. Codington represented the plaintiff and W. A. Coddington the defendant. It seemed that about five years ago Burnett leased a farm owned by Miss Blume and after retaining it long enough to secure all the crops, he gave up the place without making a settlement. Repeated efforts were made to have the difference adjusted but without success. The plaintiff claimed $200, and the defendant claimed that he did not owe her anything. The case was given to the jury at 11:30 and in a short time they returned with a verdict for the plaintiff allowing her $200.

A Dastardly Trick.

Mrs. Chas. Sturtevant, of Orchard place, had a narrow escape from injury last evening while returning home on her wheel. She had just turned into her own street when a lad named Huff ran out and thrust a whip into the spokes of her rear wheel. She was riding slowly and the spokes of her wheel were stout so the whip twisted around the wheel and chain bringing her to a sudden stop. Had she been riding rapidly a fall would have been the result

First Come, First Served.

The management of Robertson's comedy, "Caste," to be given at the Casino Thursday evening, December 3d, desire to state that no tickets will be reserved by them, except six for the press. All will be placed on sale for the public; first come, first-served. Sale to commence at Armstrong's (Reynolds') drug store, Monday Nov. 23, at 8 a. m., sharp.

Played at Cards.

The Washington Avenue Card Club met at the Misses Bannett, North Plainfield, last night. After their favorite games, it was found that Miss Emma Marlou and Chas. D. Boice had won first prices. Miss Jesse Haynes won two lady's and Chas. B. Mattis and Thos. I. Bannett tied for the second gentleman's prizes Mr. Mattis won.

Dr. Barnes to Lecture.

Rev. C. R Barnes, D. D., will give two lectures, by request, at Vincent chapel, Monday afternoon and evening, on "The Jewish Tabernacle and Priesthood," under the auspices of the Primary Teachers' Union. The lectures will be free to all. Dr. Barnes has one of the finest models of the Tabernacle in the country and it will be set up complete.

Mountain Avenue Improvement.

The assistant surveyor of highways of Somerset county is in the borough today making a survey of Mountain avenue, which is to be macadamized. Samuel B. Wheeler, of the Netherwood farm, has been appointed supervisor of the work of macadamizing.

Evening Singing Class.

Miss Anna O. Marsh, of 915 Madison avenue, hopes to start her evening class for mixed voices the first week in December. $3 for ten lessons. Prompt applications are desired so that the time and place of meeting can be decided upon without delay.

—Tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock the Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregation church will hold a very novel Thanksgiving meeting. Several short, bright Thanksgiving stories will be read, and there will be special music. All Endeavorers and their friends are very cordially invited to be present.

HOT TALK ABOUT A FIRE DEPARTMENT

Borough Councilman Disagree About the Need of Prideville.

DECIDED TO HAVE A NEW HOUSE.

Councilman McLaughlin Said that the Property Owners Were Asking Too Much for the Northern Part of the Borough—He Proposed a Paid Driver and Their Own Horses—Mayor Hegeman Insists That the Proposed New House is Needed—Only Two Dissenting Votes.

The adjourned meeting of the borough Council held last evening was anything but a quiet one though at the start everything looked calm and peaceful. As usual, it was late when Mayor Hegeman called the meeting, and there were present Councilman McLaughlin, Woolston and Valiant. Later Councilman Peck and Lounsbury appeared and as will be seen the two latter made things lively.

A petition was recived from Susan C. Rafferty, Susan Clapp and Eleanor Roome, asking that a bridge be placed on Sycamore avenue across Green brook. The matter was referred to the street committee. This is the new street which has been extended from the borough to the city.

Borough Counsel Charles A. Reed presented a claim of $37.35 for the searching of titles relative to the purchase of property on Watchung avenue, and the same was paid. Mr. Woolston reported progress in the Watchung avenue work, and stated that F. A. Dunham had present with him the maps regrading Chatham street and the map of Watchung avenue and on his request Mr. Dunham explained the same later in the evening.

Mr. Valiant offered a resolution authorizing the Corporation Counsel to incur such expense as might be necessary in settling the claim of Mrs. Ptaschinska against the borough for injuries received by falling into an opening on Linden avenue. Mr. Woolston offered a resolution that the grade on map 5 prepared by F. A. Dunham be accepted as the proper grades for Jackson avenue, Race street, Chatham street and Pearl street, and it was so ordered.

Mr. MacLaughlin called from the table the resolution regarding the purchase of an assessor's map. He then offered a resolution that the Council purchase an assessor's map at a cost not to exceed $30 a section. The resolution was lost, as Mayor Hegeman voted no with Messrs. Peck and Valiant, while Messrs. Woolston and MacLaughlin voted in the affirmative.

Later, when Mr. Lounsbury was present, Mr. MacLaughlin moved that the matter be reconsidered, as the former member was in favor of purchasing the map, and he thought that the question should be brought up again. The motion prevailed after a heated discussion, a resolution being adopted that the map be purchased. Mayor Hegeman gave as his reason for voting no that he thought the borough was not in a position to expend $700 for the map, though he thought they should own one.

Mr. Peck then brought up the matter of the extra fire protection for the borough. He said that a new hose house, company and appurtenances had been considered for a long time. Plans for a house, the location of the same and estimates of cost had been secured. Mr. Peck submitted the following as the estimate of cost: Lot, $200; hose and fixtures, $600; house, $848; architect's services, $42.50; electrical appliances, $90; repairs of hose carriage, $75; house furnishings, $75; grading and fencing, $85; total, $2,015.50. For the construction of the house three bids were presented as follows:

Titus & Pope, $1,526; Pearson & Gayle, $1,150; E. E. Pope, $848.

Mr. Peck said that it was proposed to issue fire department bonds in sums of $500 and to retire a bond each year. The interest in all would amount to $175 at 5 per cent. The amount of bonds to be issued was fixed at $3,500. This would include the expense of $1,200 which was issued in building the new fire tower and purchasing the bell. The report made by Mr. Peck was received, and the latter offered a resolution that the council purchase a lot on Harrison street with a fifty feet front, for the sum of $200.

Mr. McLoughlin arose and objected to the scheme. He thought that too much was anticipated in protecting that part of the borough known as Bull Frog city, Continuing, the member said: "Harrison street is one of the best in the borough and I have made an investigation of the matter

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INDIANS AT PEACE

Gratifying Reports of Several Department Commanders.

THE APACHES STEADILY IMPROVING

Cultivating Their Small Farms and Sending Their Children to School---Creditable Progress of the Utes---Work of the U. S. Troops.

Washington, Nov 21.—Gen. Wesley Merritt, commanding the department of the Missouri, in his annual report recommends that at each post where cavalry is likely to be stationed a riding hall be constructed on the general plan of those at forts Riley and Leavenworth. Gen. Frank Wheaton, commanding the department of Colorado says that as there are 49,894 Indians on reservations within the limits of his command, it is a satisfaction to be able to report that none are on the warpath nor are there any present indications that settlers on our Arizona, New Mexico or Utah sparsely settled frontiers will be disturbed by them. The Apaches are steadily though slowly improving, cultivating their little farms, supplying our military posts with the results of their labors, and sending numbers of their brightest children to the Indian's school at Albuquerque, New Mexico. The progress of the Utes—Uintahs and Uncompahgres has been most gratifying. Under the supervision of Major James F. Randlett, Ninth cavalry, they have opened during the past year miles of irrigating canals, thus enabling them to add greatly to their number of very creditably cultivated farms. Some idea can be formed of the labor performed by the troops in their efforts to rid Arizona of predatory Indian bands when it was shown that scouting parties and detachments on such duties have marched 43,457 miles during the year. Gen. Elwell S. Otis of the department of the Columbia says: "My inspecting tours of the present season included a trip to southern Alaska. The most reliable data shows its native population to be about 27,000—10,000 Indians and 17,000 Eskimos; 5,000 of these Indians dwell in the southeastern part of the territory below Mount St. Elias."

WILL HAVE TO ARBITRATE.

Government Officials's Humorous View of the Civilized Indians' Proposition.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The story published yesterday that the Five Civilized Tribe of Indians had made a proposition to the effect that they would surrender their tribal autonomy for $500 per capita to be paid immediately, and that they also demanded that their whole amount of land be allotted to them equally and their title be made inalienable for a period of twenty-five years, caused humorous remarks among high officials of the Indian bureau in Washington. While the Dawes commission, now in the Indian Territory, will treat with these Indians in the matter, the officials of the bureau are well enough posted to see the absurdity of the alleged proposition at a glance. The first obstacle to the supposed demands of the Indians would be the difficulty of providing for the immediate payment by the government of $40,000,000, as that would be the amount at $500 per head. Another obstacle would be the disposition of all the town sites and coal lands. The value of these amount to many millions of dollars. It is thought at the Indian bureau that the Indians will have to arbitrate.

WARDEN M'CREA'S DEATH.

Cronin, the Prisoner, Held by the Coroner on a Charge of Murder.

Pittsburg, Nov. 21.—The inquest on the body of Warden McCrea of the Erie prison who was killed was concluded late last evening. Patrick Cronin, the prisoner who was attempting to escape from the train, was held to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of murder. The testimony of witnesses showed that Cronin had hold of McCrea and pulled him from the train as he jumped. The remains of Warden McCrea have been taken by his brother to Butler, Pa., for interment. The condition of the prisoner, Cronin, now in the hospital department at the penitentiary, is said to be critical, with only slight chances for recovery from his injuries.

An Interesting Geological Specimen.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 21.—At Wesleyan university there has been received a slab of red sandstone, twelve by twenty feet, upon which have been found excellent samples of reptilian footprints of the Palaeozoic age. On the slab are also raindrop marks, indicating that a shower was in progress when the reptile passed. The huge stone was discovered after a blast at the Portland, Conn., quarries recently, and is considered very valuable by the officials of the college.

Trade Relations with Germany.

London, Nov. 21.—A Berlin dispatch to the Post says: German manufacturers are much exercised at the decision of Mr. Uhl, the United States ambassador, to make an official inquiry into the importation into the United States of German wines, beer, perfumes, etc. It is intended to submit to Mr. Uhl a statement of the precautionary measures adopted to prevent the export of non-tested articles.

Patchen and Star Pointer To Race.

Baltimore, Nov. 21. — Secretary Graham of the Pimlico Driving club announces that he has secured Star Pointer and Joe Patchen, the great pacing stallions, for a special race at the Pimlico track at an early date.

M. Henri Meilhac Seriously Ill.

Paris, Nov. 21.—M. Henri Meilhac the dramatic author and member of the academy, is dangerously ill.

WHERE IS WEYLER?

No One in Havana Seems To Know as to His Whereabouts.

AUTHORITIES ALSO IN IGNORANCE

Official Reports of the Routing, with Heavy Losses, of a Big Column of Insurgents---Other Stories of Unimportant Engagements.

Havana, Nov. 21.—It is officially announced that on Wednesday last the column commanded by Gen. Lopez Amor and the forces under Col. Arminan met 2,000 rebels led by Serafina Sanchez. The insurgents occupied good positions which commanded the passage of the Zazas river. After an engagement which lasted two hours the troops forced their way across the river, dispersed the rebels and encamped in the position that had been held by them. The insurgents carried their wounded with them in their retreat. It is stated that the rebels buried sixty of their number killed in the fight. Cuban sympathizers here question the truth of the government report and say it is incredible that the insurgents, when retreating from the troops, should stop to bury their dead. The Spanish losses are said to have been one lieutenant killed and two lieutenants and twenty privates wounded. Several other reports of unimportant engagements in which the Spaniards were uniformly victorious are issued by the government. Operations in the province of Pinar del Rio are apparently at a standstill. There has been no serious encounter reported since the engagement with the rebels under Munoz. No information is vouchsafed regarding the movements of Gen. Weyler and the impression grows that the authorities here know nothing about him. He is unofficially located at San Cristobal, but nothing definite is known as to his whereabouts. Gen. Luque reports that the rebel leaders Sanchez and Moles were killed and Carrillo wounded in an engagement with his command at Damas. The insurgents, according to Gen. Luque, had more than one hundred men killed or wounded. The general makes no mention of his own losses.

Foreign Sympathy for Troops in Cuba.

Madrid, Nov. 21.—Advices received here from Cuba are to the effect that Gen. Soto, ex-president of Costa Rica and one of the leaders of the insurgents, has been killed in a fight in the province of Havana. Another serious engagement is reported to have occurred between the Spanish column commanded by Col. Segura and a band of insurgents. No details are given. The Imparcial prints a letter of sympathy from the Russian, German, French and Austrian ambassadors, which accompanied a donation to the fund started by the Imparcial for the purchase of medical comforts for the troops in Cuba and the Philippine Islands.

GERMAN NEWSPAPER VICTORY.

The Reichstag Adopts a Motion That Authorship Need Not Be Disclosed.

Berlin, Nov. 21.—Despite the opposition of the government, the reichstag yesterday adopted a motion made by Herr Munckel Richter, radical, to eliminate from the judicial procedure bill the clause compelling members of a newspaper staff to testify, when required, as to the authorship of published articles. The government urged the necessity, in the interest of the state, of tracing the writers of treasonable articles. This contention elicited cutting references from the opposition to the recent revelations made by Prince Bismarck. The radicals, socialists, a majority of the clericals, and a minority of the national liberals supported the motion, which, however, will probably amount to nothing, inasmuch as the bundesrath, or federal council, will sacrifice the bill rather than relinquish the clause.

A New Advertising Medium.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The first enlarged number of the Monthly Bulletin of the Bureau of American Republics just issued includes several pages of paid advertising, this innovation in a government publication having been approved by all the republics taking part in the bureau. This is the first step to placing the bureau on a self-supporting basis and extending its scope and utility without additional tax on its supporters.

Gigantic Gas Combination.

New York, Nov. 21.—All the leading gas companies of this city, embracing the Consolidated, the New York & East River, the Equitable and the Standard companies, are reported to have concluded to consolidate. The combined capital is something in the neighborhood of sixty millions. It is further reported that the Standard Oil company is at the back of the movement.

To Start Up on Full Time.

Providence, Nov. 21.—The Nicholson File company's Central Falls shops, which have been running on short time, will start up in full on Monday. The Warren Foundry & Machine company's works will also start on full time in a few days.

Corbett Willing To Meet Fitz in New York.

Boston, Nov. 21.—Corbett has accepted the offer made by Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic club, of a purse of $26,000 for a glove contest with Fitzsimmons in New York on January 14.

Canard About Orders for Rifles.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 21.—Officers of the Winchester Arms company are quoted as denying unqualifiedly the report that they have any contract present or prospective to deliver 100,000 rifles to the federal government.

A RUN ON THE BANK.

It Was a Close Race, but True Genius Was a Winner.

It lacked one solitary moment of 10 o'clock a. m.

The streets before the national bank were alive with people, all intent upon business.

Suddenly there was a great commotion.

Amid a great roar and expressions of wonder and alarm two figures were seen going at a breakneck pace down the avenue in the direction of the bank.

One of these was a young man with the fire of genius in his eye and still more of the same in his legs. The other was a pompous, puffing old gentleman, with a pallid countenance which bespoke a terrible mental strain.

Somebody, seeing the hatless, coatless figures flying by, yelled: "Fire! Murder! Police!"

But the bluecoats were nowhere, and the two sprinters rushed on as if chased by 10,000 demons on wheels.

Suddenly they reached the marble steps of the bank, collided and rolled into the gutter, knocking down several passersby on their way.

Still undaunted, bruised and grimy, they arose simultaneously and made another break for the bank entrance, each flourishing a piece of paper in his hand.

Great rumors spread abroad. Ten thousand people gathered, and a run on the bank was momentarily threatened.

The bank president, very pale, came forth and addressed the multitude. "Friends and fellow citizens," said he, "there is no cause for alarm. The Hon. Josiah Peterkins had a daughter married last night, and in order to be thought the most generous papa-in-law in the world gave the bride a check for $50,000 with the intention of coming here ahead of the bridegroom and stopping payment or getting another check in ahead. But inasmuch as there is only $49,990 to his credit the bridegroom is bound to get it where the chicken got"—

"Nit!" shrieked the bridegroom, emerging from the bank with his coat pockets bulging and his hands full of greenbacks. "The account lacked $10, to be sure, but as I am not such a fool as to start out in the world with nothing it was easy for me to deposit the $10 before I shoved in the check for $50,000. Good day."

And the blow almost killed father.—New York Sunday Journal.

An Awkward Addendum.

"So both your sisters have married," said the man who puts his foot in it, "and you are the only one left? Excuse me," he hastened to add. "I should have said the only one remaining."—Indianapolis Journal.

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Blood

and was strongly advised by a friend to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. She said it had cured her and would no doubt cure my wife. So we tried it, and to say that its effect is wonderful, is only using a mild expression. It appears to be building up a new constitution for her; and, as we are a family of eleven, there are eleven of us rejoicing at the result.

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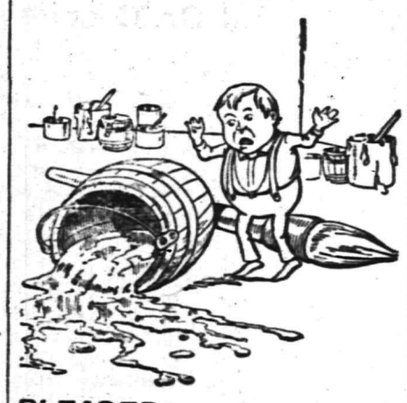

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20th Day of December

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4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

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ARBUCKLE'S DEATH.

New York Police Believe He was Drugged and Robbed—The Arrests.

New York, Nov. 21.—The police are still of the belief that Frank P. Arbuckle, the Denver politican who was found breathing his last in a lot near High bridge, as stated in these dispatches, was drugged and robbed, and they will push their investigation into the matter. The four men under arrest, George Stevens, John Davidson, Frederick Menger and a man named Stewart, are known to have been in Arbuckle's company during the evening. Stewart is said by the police to be a race track tout. He acknowledged that he had been in Arbuckle's company on Wednesday night along with Davidson, Menger and Stevens, and that the party had several drinks in Luchow's and the Academy saloons on Fourteenth street. Arbuckle was intoxicated. Some one suggested a game of cards, and Arbuckle refused to play. Then there was a quarrel between Menger and Stevens, and Stewart said he left the party, going to a barber shop to get shaved. He did not see any of the party again. The police say they expect to clear the whole mystery soon. It was known that the men now in custody had arranged a scheme to swindle Arbuckle and they were none too good to drug and rob him.

CANADA'S RESOURCES.

A Great Country for Industrious Emigrants, Says Sir Donald Smith.

Loudon, Nov. 21.—Sir Donald A. Smith, Canadian high commissoner in London, delivered an address before the Newcastle Geographical society last night upon "The Resources of the Dominion of Canada." The address embodied a comprehensive view of the progress of Canada since of landing of John Cabot on the coast of Newfoundland in 1497, and described the growth of her internal and international water and railway communications, her industries, agricultural, manufacturing and mining and her fisheries. In conclusion Sir Donald said: "More advantages can be obtained by emigrants of the right class in Canada than in any other quarter of the world. Canada does not want anybody unless he has a capacity for hard work energy and enterprise. Given these, nowhere can one realize so rapidly such great results. The Canadians are proud of their country and believe in it. They are proud of their connection with the mother country and constantly endeavor to make their beloved dominion not the least important in a family of nations all under one flag, which seems to be the ultimate destiny of the empire."

TAPPED TELEGRAPH WIRES.

Western Union Secures an Injunction Against an Alleged Thieving Concern.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—The Western Union Telegraph company has secured a restraining order from Federal Judge Grosscup against the Independent Telegraph company, which, it is alleged in an accompanying bill, has been tapping the wires of the Western graph company is Oscar M. Stone, arrested a year ago on the same charge. The concern has its headquarters in a room on Clark street, and sells market reports to a large number of local bucket shops. The sole purpose of the incorporation, the bill says, was to shield under the corporation the unlawful and nefarious traffic of the individuals composing the corporation and to give a semblance of legality to the business, in itself unlawful and contraband.

MOSES THATCHER DISMISSED.

Deprived of His Apostleship and Offices in the Mormon Church.

Salt Lake City, Nov 21.—Apostle Moses Thatcher has been declared "contumacious" and dropped from the rolls of the Mormon church. He was tried for his failure to take counsel of the church authorities before taking part in political matters a year ago, when he was a candidate for United States senator. A card appeared in the Desert News last evening, signed by the president of the Twelve Apostles to the effect that a meeting of the apostles had unanimously decided that Thatcher be severed from the council of the Twelve Apostles, and that he be deprived of his apostleship and other offices in the priesthood. Thatcher is still a candidate for the senate.

Dates for State Fairs in 1897.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—At the fourth annual meeting of the American Association of State Fair and Exposition Managers dates for fairs in 1897 were fixed as follows: New York, August 3-28; Ohio, August 30-September 4; Michigan and Minnesota, September 6-11; Indiana and Iowa, September 13-18; Missouri and Nebraska, September 20-25; Illinois, September 27-October 2; Missouri, October 4-9; South Dakota, October 11-16.

A Brig and Five of the Crew Lost.

London, Nov. 21.—The Norwegian brig S. N. Hansen, from Apalachicola, just arrived at Garston, brought to port three of the crew of the American bark Mary T. Kimball, Capt. Bowers, from Mobile for Guantanamo. The men were picked up on Oct. 3. The Kimball foundered on Sept. 22, and her captain and four of the crew were lost.

Sentenced for Counterfeiting.

Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 21.—In the United States court, Charles Gardner was convicted and Ward Rockwell was acquitted of passing counterfeit money in Waverly. Gardner was sentenced to the Erie penitentiary for eighteen months with a fine of $25.

Bermuda Sails for Halifax.

New York, Nov. 21.—The steamship Bermuda sailed for Halifax yesterday afternoon. She evidently had no cargo as her load line was high above the water.

PHENOMENAL GAINS

Volume of Business Increases Entirely Without Precedent.

A GREATER DEMAND FOR SUPPLIES

Clearing House Exchanges Largely Increased—Extraordinary Foreign Demand for Wheat—Money Rapidly Returning to This Country.

New York, Nov. 21.—Dun's weekly review of the state of trade for the week just ending will to-day say: The gain in volume of business continues entirely without precedent. More than 390 establishments have started work since Nov. 1 which were idle, and at least 300 have increased working forces, making 690 concerns which are known to have largely added to the number of hands at work, and these are only part of the whole number. Every day thus adds thousands to the number of those who are able to buy a week's supply, and to make up gradually for many months of enforced economy. Already this brings great increase in the volume of business, and the clearing house exchanges for the first time in several years, not only exceed those of last year by 10 per cent., but also exceed those of the same week in 1892 by 9 per cent. Business men are all anxious to prevent anything like the fictitious excitement of last summer, and in nearly all branches an excessive rise in prices is prevented. But with more hands at work there is inevitably a greater demand for supplies, materials, and products.

Extraordinary Demand for Wheat.

The speculative markets have been reacting, which is also natural. Wheat has risen with wonderful rapidity, so that exports had been checked by the higher prices, and realizing started a break which made the close 3⅝ lower for the week. It appears that Pacific exports of wheat, flour included, were nearly 3,000,000 bushels larger, July 1 to November 1, than last year, and all other exports about 15,800,000 bushels larger, or more than 50 per cent., and in November Atlantic exports have been 4,494,106 bushels, flour included, against 4,763,745 last year. The demand for freight room both here and on the Pacific coast is still so large as to disclose an extraordinary foreign demand. Western receipts for the month thus far have been only 14,796,188 bushels against 23,398,311 last year, but the visible stocks continue to increase, although the milling returns slightly exceed those of the last or any previous year.

Securities and Industries.

The course of securities has been disappointing for the moment because of continued realizing by American and foreign holders, and becauses multitudes refuse to see that the reported earnings refer to ancient history. The money market has caused no disturbance and rates have tended steadily money over shipment to the interior has been about $4,000,000. For the time money returns to this centre as rapidly as it went out in the days of apprehension and hoarding. In a transition period, industries record gains slowly, but the slight decline in prices of Bessemer pig iron and of finished products of iron and steel is partly due to realizing on speculative purchases and partly to the selling of nails by jobbers below the combination price. For most manufactured products of iron there is a better demand and a slow advance in prices. Shipments of boots and shoes for three weeks of November have increased, but while the works have orders for some time ahead, neither manufacturers nor dealers are disposed to do much because of the uncertainty about prices. In cotton and woolen goods no serious change appears, though there is continued weakness in cottons, and print cloths are a sixteenth lower. Stocks of wool purchased several weeks ago now prevent a further advance, but to November 15 wool had risen 10 per cent. on the average since September 1, and much more at the west.

Dedication of Military Park.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The public printer has just completed the report of the joint congressional committee on the dedications of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national military park. It contains 373 pages. All the exercises and speeches of the dedications, and the proceeding of the three great army societies in attendance are given at length. There are thirty-eight full page illustrations and a map of the park and its approaches.

Yale Civil Service Club.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 21.—The members of the Yale Civil Service club have arranged for two notable addresses the coming winter. The first will be by Theodore Roosevelt of New York. It will be given on December 2. The second will be by Charles Jerome Bonaparte of Baltimore, a relative of the emperor Napoleon Bonaparte. This will be given some time in January. The special themes of the addresses are not decided on.

Depew To Speak at Montpelier.

New York, Nov. 21.—Hon. Chauncey M. Depew will deliver an address before the Vermont Society of the Sons of the American Revolution at Montpelier, Monday, November 23. Both houses of the Vermont legislature have unanimously adopted a joint resolution to adjourn and attend in a body to hear the address.

Italo-Brazilian Treaty Signed.

Rome, Nov. 21.—The government officially confirms the report that the treaty between Italy and Brazil has been signed by both of the parties thereto.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Rain Tonight and Sunday; Warmer Tonight.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

The first real taste of winter came last night with the light fall of snow.

All is uncertainty as to what will happen at the Democratic city convention this evening.

What wonders time does work. Now it comes to pass that little Tommy Russell, whom the matinee girls raved over in the delicate character of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" on the stage but a few years ago, has evolved in the course of human growth and endeavor to big "Tom" Russell, the sturdy quarterback of a college football team. But the girls who looked on him before as "the dearest, sweetest little thing" can now regard him as "just the noblest, grandest fellow" that ever lived. Either stage or gridiron is a mecca for the hero-loving girls of the nineteenth century, so Tommy is not lost sight of after all.

DECLIINATIONS.

Two Are Averse to the Honors and a Third is a Republican.

To the Editor of The Daily Press—My attention has been directed to an unauthorized use of my name for a political office. I most positively declare I have no ambition for political preferment, and most emphatically decline to have my name appear on either Democratic or Republican ticket for any office whatever, more than twenty years since I came to Plainfield to spend my remaining days as a retired quiet private citizen, and as such I hope to continue.

John Dietrich.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—I notice in this day's issue of your paper that I had been nominated for Constable in the first ward on the Democratic ticket. I desire to inform my friends that my name has been used without my authority, and that I decline said nomination. I wish also to say that I am true to the cause of republicanism in municipal as well as State and National affairs.

Dennis Carney.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Please say in your paper tomorrow ocratic City Convention.

Jere Garretson.

THEATRICAL.

Laughter will be in order when the "millionaires of fun," Henshaw and TenBroeck, come with their new collection of laughables in the "New Nabobs." There's always fun when they strike town and they leave a smile when they depart. This season Manager W. W. Randall promises many new features and also announces it as the last and farewell tour of Henshaw and TenBroeck as farceurs. With the present company of "Nabobs" will be seen all new faces including a number of well-known comedians, new songs, new dances, and new specialties will make up the potpourri that will please the audience of this city at Music Hall tonight.

Gibson L. Douglass, Jr., of Mercer avenue, is spending this week at Washington, D. C., where he has gone on pleasure bent.

F. W. Perry, of Willow avenue, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, has now passed the crisis and is on the road to recovery.

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How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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Cleveland's, Pure and Sure.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

David Linbarger, of Elizabeth, was in the borough yesterday visiting relatives.

Miss May Ross, of West Fifth street, spent yesterday with friends in Bound Brook.

Mrs Ryder, of East Front street, is spending a few days in New York with friends.

T. H. Pittis, of Central avenue, is suffering with a relapse and is now very low.

Peter B. Matthews, of Grove street, is spending this week with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. Frentz, of Scotch Plains, will go south after the holidays and remain there until spring.

Henry Eggerding, of Arlington avenue, has left Rutgers College on account of his health.

Lawyer Swackhamer, of the Babcock building, was in New York yesterday on business.

James Pellett, of Baltimore, is a guest at the home of John Cathcart, of Rockview Heights.

Mrs. B. R. Force, of East Front street, continues to slowly improve from a severe illness.

Harry Bushnell, of Central avenue, has returned from Harvard College for a few days on account of illness.

Assemblyman elect VanDoren, of East Millstone, was the guest of Senator-elect Charles A. Reed yesterday.

Mr. Mills, of Summit avenue, is much improved from a recent accident, when three ribs were fractured.

Thursday for Baltimore, where he will remain for ten days visiting relatives.

Miss Justina Clark, who has been spending the past three weeks with Miss Gussie Emmons, of Rockview ovenue, returned to her home yesterday at Saratoga Springs.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

[Notices under this head are published by The Daily Press free of charge, when supplied fresh each week by authority. Copy must be in hand by 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion, and should be supplied Friday when possible.]

St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William. H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. George Luckenbill will preach. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Think and Thank." Thanksgiving theme. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45. Rev. Geo. W. Ferguson, of Sing Sing, will officiate.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer, 4:30. The free stages have been discontinued, as the trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor — Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Morning theme, "Born again; what does it mean?" Evening, "Crying at the right time."

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by Robert Love.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.

Congregational Church, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—Morning service at 10:30; subject, "The brook in the way." Sunday-school at 2:45. Christian Endeavor service at 7:30 p. m. at which time there will be special music rendered and Thanksgiving stories read.

First Presbyterian Church — Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Evening sermonette, "Reasons for Thanksgiving this year:" sermon, "Push."

W. C. T. U. Rooms—G. L. VanEmburgh will conduct the 4 o'clock p. m. meeting, to which all are invited.

Y. M. C. A. Bible training class and the workers class for members of the physical department will be conducted at 9:15 a. m.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—A. C. LaBoyteaux will speak and Miss Bessie Blair and the male choir will sing.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting at 7 p. m.; Morning subject, "The Cry of the Soul, and the Divine Answer." Evening Service at 7:30.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Chapel, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League meeting at 7:15 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "A Twofold Gospel: Life and Love:" evening, "The President's Thanksgiving Proclamation."

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

NURSERY IDOLS, ETC

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ter, causing the doll to wabble. When Dr Kill reached this part of the letter there came a suppressed gurgle from the doll, a choking sound, and its face assumed an expression that might have signified some internal trouble. They fixed the apparatus and the doll walked, but the matter was it didn't want to stop when it once began, and started off on every occasion, upsetting several of the other dolls, falling over everybody and causing Mr. Taylor an endless amount of trouble in rushing after it and catching it just on the edge of the platform.

The talking doll was pumped up with a bicycle pump, and then persisted in saluting all in French, and repeating that touching little hymn, "Twinkle, twinkle little star, etc.," in a very metallic voice After shouting "shut up" at the doll until he was hoarse, Taylor finally stuffed a wad of paper in its mouth, effectively silencing its remarks

But the rag dolls, those who had not laughed before, fairly screamed at its actions. It apparently had no spinal column, and was sufficiently limp to be well worthy of its name. It was constantly falling over, upsetting screens, and had to be dragged about the platform. They tightened the loose screws in its head, oiled it and tried to pump it up, but with no avail, and it continued limp as ever to the end. A tag stated it to be the property of Judge Codington.

The "Yellow Kid" had a talking attachment but it was ruined by the shock caused by the doctor's remarks. He told of a terrible murder that had been committed in the afternoon, how the painters, Marsh and Ayers had gone over to the City Hotel and hung a border. The "Yellow Kid" groaned and never spoke again. He was accompanied by a note from the New York World saying that they lent him until the next edition came out and requested that good care be taken of him. He was only upset twice by the walking doll. The Japanese doll was wrapped in newspapers after being oiled up and sent away.

The negro doll was an old fashioned "auntie," picked up in Central Africa, so read a card, by Fred Bettman in his latest missionary trip there. Taylor decorated its face with spots of white chalk while the doctor repaired it otherwise. Its pedestal was not firm and it showed a tendency to topple over especially after colliding with that "awful" walking doll. A china doll came from William H. Shotwell to have a new arm put on and its cracked face repaired. It smiled, to have a china face, when the doctor poured oil down its neck. The old arm was sawed off and the sawdust emptied out of it. Then a new arm was found that matched the other exactly

The baby doll was dressed in the most correct baby fashion and cried "Mamma" at intervals in a feeble voice. Sometimes it hid its face and some foolish person in the audience thought it was laughing.

The gypsy doll was accompanied by a note in which Rev. C. E. Herring said he had brought it home from Naples and wanted its cheeks colored and hair fixed, which was done in a way that caused Mr. Herring, who was in the audience, to express his complete satisfaction. The fairy doll was to frail to be dealt with harshly and Mr. Taylor contended himself with tightening a few loose bolts.

The remainder of the musical programme, which was given at intervals through the doll show, consisted of a piano solo by W. E. MacClymont, an autoharp solo by B. H. Pitcher, and a baritone solo by Mr. Tallamy.

The programme ended with an auction of the dolls in which the Dr. and his understudy acted as auctioneers while supporting the dolls. The negro doll was low man and sold for 6 cents while the walking doll, that had caused so many catastrophes, went for $21. The other dolls were sold at intermediate prices. The purchasers were requested to call this morning at the latch door, but it is not necessary to say that neither purchaser or dolls showed up. Then everybody adjourned to the alcoves to partake of ice cream and cake, in which occupation the dolls were willing to join.

Miss Emma Harper, of Jersey City, is visiting her brother, James Harper, on Manning avenue.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

The ten days series of evangelistic services opened in the Dunellen M. E. church last evening, and the meetings will be in charge of Rev. J. L. Glascock, the well known evangelist. On Sunday there will be special music and singing by the church choir.

Silas Naylor was able to walk out yesterday after a two-weeks confinement to the house with intermittent fever.

Miss Maude Bolton, of Somerville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harmon, of Front street.

A surprise party was tendered to Miss Lillie VanMiddlesworth, at her home on Front street, Thursday evening. The guests, some thirty-five in number, met at the residence of Miss Fritts and went over to the house in a body, accompanied by Prof. Snowden and his full orchestra. The surprise was complete and the dancing that followed was kept up until an early hour next morning. The committee of ladies who so successfully conducted the party were: Miss Mamie VanMiddlesworth, Miss Mary Snyder and Miss Della Fritts.

Bernard Sirisky was in Somerville yesterday looking after some real estate matters.

John Barrington, of East Millstone, was in town yesterday as the guest of Joseph Hill.

Mrs. William Conley, Miss Lena Maier and Mrs. F. A. Nelson were in New York yesterday both visiting and shopping.

Isaac Henry Stevens, of Prospect avenue, was tendered a surprise party at his home Thursday night, when about twenty young and middleaged people went to the house. Henry was equal to the emergency, so he bade his guests welcome, and they all made themselves "at home" until 5 o'clock next morning. Of course there was dancing and divers other amusements.

Judge Luckey issued warrants for the arrest of a man and woman at South Plainfield a day or two ago, and they were brought before him charged with disorderly conduct. As both were known to the Justice for their "scrapping" proclivities they were promptly put under bonds to keep the peace.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The Italians quartered in the rookery on East Front street bought and slaughtered a bullock yesterday. At dark last night the dead carcass was still suspended from a tree in the dooryard. None of them seemed to know how to get the hide off.

A party of eight Plainfield people lunched at Blimm's Hotel Thursday evening and then spent the balance of the night at the K. of P. ball.

Philip Jahn on Wednesday completed his contract of retinning the roof on the Gesang and Turn Verein Hall, North Plainfield.

John Collins, of New York, is assisting his brother-in law in the hotel business here for a few days.

W. H. Turton, who was so seriously injured by being thrown from a wagon, is able to get around, but he is yet very lame.

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in question. I find that in that locality there are thirty-eight dwelling houses and twelve barns, aggregating about $35,000 in value. There are other parts of the borough which needs protection more than the one mentioned. East and west of Somerset street on Coddington avenue there is $67,000 worth of property which is very poorly protected. There are nothing but streams of water to defend upon. Most of the members in the new hose company live on Harrison street and work in Plainfield. The carrying out of the proposed plan will not decrease insurance rates. It would be much better if the borough would buy a team of horses and secure the services of a man as driver. In this way the horses could be worked on the streets and they would pay for their keeping. Next year the tax rate will increare and it's our duty to keep it down as much as possible." Mr. Valiant thought there was a great deal of truth in what Mr. McLoughlin had said, with one exception, and that was that the latter thought the new plan would only protect $35,000 worth of property. Mr. Valiant thought there was valuable property in Washington Park which would be protected also.

Mr. Woolston thought it was a good idea to carry out the scheme but he had changed his mind for the present, for he could not see why it was so necessary to go to the additional expense just now. He thought the borough might better purchase a team of horses and carry out Mr. McLoughlin's scheme. Mr. Valiant said that Mr. McLoughlin objected to the location and Mr. Woolston to the expense. He thought it would cost the borough $600 a year for a regular man and the new plan he thought was $500 in favor of establishing a company in the proposed location.

Mr. MacLaughlin could not see why the Council wanted to locate the new house on Harrison street just to protect Bull Frog city. Mr. Lounsbury became interested and he believed the improvement was called for. He said said that the property in that locality, though some of it was only worth $1,000, was entitled to as much protection as any $6,000 house. He thought there would be far more [illegible] horses.

By this time the Mayor got interested and he took the floor. He spoke in part as follows:

"The subject has been handled with care and we are going to expend $2,000 for the improvement. The committee has gone over the subject and I have been interested from the first. Mr. MacLaughlin does not approve of the scheme and he has a right to his opinions. He advocates a system of economy, but his remarks do not indidate it. He thinks that we should purchase horses, secure the services of a man and do away with the primitive method of hailing the first ice wagon team when there is a fire, and he continues by saying that the horses could earn their own living. The fact that the horses would be out working does not help things one bit, and thus Mr. MacLanghlin's beautiful scheme of ecomony is knocked in the head. To be economical one has got to spend money frequently. When Mr. MacLoughlin says that only $35,000 worth of property would be protected he says what is not so. The new company would be called to do service in any part of the borough. We want to show a spirit of advancement and it should be our aim to spread out. The question is whether you shall buy a beautiful team of horses or vote for the building of a hose house which is absolutly needed?"

Mr. McLoughlin replied by saying that the Mayor allowed the members to think that he was running down certain parts of the borough. He answered: "Why have we not water on Somerset street near Coddington avenue? The water company will not give it to us. We can't get hydrants for sometime to come, and I have not yet heard a good reason why the proposed scheme should be adopted."

The question on the resolution was called for at this time, and all but Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin voted for the purchase of the lot.

Mr. Peck offered a second resolution that E. E. Pope's bid of $848 for erecting the hose house be accepted, and it was carried by three votes, Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin again voting no. Mr. McLoughlin wanted to defer the matter, but it was decided adversly.

A third resolution offered by Mr. Peck provided that the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee be authorized to go ahead and have the hose house erected, and a fourth resolution offered by the same member provided for the issuing of fire department bonds to the amount of $3,50 in sums $500 at 5 per cent. interest. Both resolutions were adopted, and again Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin voted no. This concluded the business and the meeting adjourned.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, meets on Monday evening next.

—The pictures of the officials at the last bicycle carnival have now been received.

—The T. A. B. Association holds its regular meeting on Monday evening of next week.

—Patrolman Mattox has been presented with a fine thoroughbred dog by his friends.

—The literary society at the Monroe Avenue chapel held a short meeting last evening.

—Stone Square Lodge, Colored Masons, will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening.

—Putnam & DeGraw have an elegant line of fleeced underwear which has become very popular.

—No. 2 Engine Company will hold their fair Dec. 14th to 19th. It is given for the benefit of the members.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., held their regular meeting last night and transacted routine business.

—An appeal has been taken in the case of Potter against Fett, which was tried in Justice Newcorn's court a few days ago.

—The exterior of Mrs. John Weir's house on Rockview avenue, is being handsomely painted by Marsh, Ayers & Co., of Park avenue.

—At the meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., next Tuesday evening, there will be nomination of officers.

—The low prices at which Crane & Clark, hatters, at 120 West Front street, sell gloves and sweaters, makes many a new customer for these goods.

—In the programme at the pastor's reception at the Park Avenue Baptist church last Thursday evening there were several solos by Wm. N. Runyon.

[illegible] street, is arranging a friendly shooting match for turkeys and ducks at his home next Monday, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

—Coddington & Ackerman, the Somerset street fish dealers, have a curiosity in their show window. It is called a skate fish and is very peculiar in its appearance.

—A visitor has arrived at fire headquarters and the members of the department hope he has come to stay. It is a white cat and will take the place of the one which was stolen sometime ago.

—When you are around the vicinity of Park and North avenues just drop in at Armstrong pharmacy and sample the hot soda drawn from a new fountain. It is delicious on a chilly day.

—Street Commissioner Meeker's men have about completed the cleaning up of the city streets before winter. They were at work on East Ninth street yesterday and expect to complete the work this week.

—Two contract cases came before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon and both were adjourned for one week. The cases were those of Coddington against Becker, and Pearson & Gayle against Contillo & Perruccione.

—Work was commenced yesterday on the erection of four massive stone gate posts at the entrance to Edwin S. Hooley's handsome residence on Rockview avenue, opposite Mercer. Contractor C. W. Lines is doing the work.

—Patrons of D. W. Rogers, the seafood dealer of West Second street, are advised to send in their orders for Thanksgiving early next week, so that there will be no delay in filling them. He has a very fine brand of oysters at 30 cents a quart that make excellent stuffing for turkeys.

—Next Monday afternoon at 4:30 and in the evening at 7:45 Dr. Barnes, of the First M. E. church, will deliver two illustrated lectures at the Y. M. C. A. building, on the "Tabernacle," before the members of the Primary Teachers' Union and their friends. All are invited to attend.

Inspecting Officer E. C. Morse, of Post 73, G. A. R., accompanied by several comrades, will go to Elizabethport this evening to witness the inspection of Kilpatrick Post, of that place.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœ Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, lots 34x105, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen. sidewalks flagged Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.

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TO LET—Two furnished rooms one front and one bed room With or without board. Call 316 E. Second st. 11 21 3

LOST—Last evening, a package of No. 2 Engine Company fair tickets. As the tickets are not stamped with the company's stamp, they are of no use to finder. Return to Press office and receive reward.

TO LET—Flat, 4 rooms, $8.00 per month. House to let, Race street, five houses from Watchung avenue, $10.00 a month. Geo. White, 116 W. Front street, tea store.

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DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

The ten days series of evangelistic services opened in the Dunellen M. E. church last evening, and the meetings will be in charge of Rev. J. L. Glascock, the well known evangelist. On Sunday there will be special music and singing by the church choir.

Silas Naylor was able to walk out yesterday after a two-weeks confinement to the house with intermittent fever.

Miss Maude Bolton, of Somerville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harmon, of Front street.

A surprise party was tendered to Miss Lillie VanMiddlesworth, at her home on Front street, Thursday evening. The guests, some thirty-five in number, met at the residence of Miss Fritts and went over to the house in a body, accompanied by Prof. Snowden and his full orchestra. The surprise was complete and the dancing that followed was kept up until an early hour next morning. The committee of ladies who so successfully conducted the party were: Miss Mamie VanMiddlesworth, Miss Mary Snyder and Miss Della Fritts.

Bernard Sirisky was in Somerville yesterday looking after some real estate matters.

John Barrington, of East Millstone, was in town yesterday as the guest of Joseph Hill.

Mrs. William Conley, Miss Lena Maier and Mrs. F. A. Nelson were in New York yesterday both visiting and shopping.

Isaac Henry Stevens, of Prospect avenue, was tendered a surprise party at his home Thursday night, when about twenty young and middleaged people went to the house. Henry was equal to the emergency, so he bade his guests welcome, and they all made themselves "at home" until 5 o'clock next morning. Of course there was dancing and divers other amusements.

Judge Luckey issued warrants for the arrest of a man and woman at South Plainfield, a day or two ago, and they were brought before him charged with disorderly conduct. As both were known to the Justice for their "scrapping" proclivities they were promptly put under bonds to keep the peace.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

The Italians quartered in the rookery on East Front street bought and slaughtered a bullock yesterday. At dark last night the dead carcass was still suspended from a tree in the dooryard. None of them seemed to know how to get the hide off.

A party of eight Plainfield people lunched at Blimm's Hotel Thursday evening and then spent the balance of the night at the K. of P. ball.

Philip Jahn on Wednesday completed his contract of retinning the roof on the Gesang and Turn Verein Hall, North Plainfield.

John Collins, of New York, is assisting his brother-in law in the hotel business here for a few days.

W. H. Turton, who was so seriously injured by being thrown from a wagon, is able to get around, but he is yet very lame.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financialy able to carry out any obligat ons made by their firm.
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in question. I find that in that locality there are thirty-eight dwelling houses and twelve barns, aggregating about $35,000 in value. There are other parts of the borough which needs protection more than the one mentioned. East and west of Somerset street on Coddington avenue there is $67,000 worth of property which is very poorly protected. There are nothing but streams of water to defend upon. Most of the members in the new hose company live on Harrison street and work in Plainfield. The carrying out of the proposed plan will not decrease insurance rates. It would be much better if the borough would buy a team of horses and secure the services of a man as driver. In this way the horses could be worked on the streets and they would pay for their keeping. Next year the tax rate will increare and it's our duty to keep it down as much as possible." Mr. Valiant thought there was a great deal of truth in what Mr. McLoughlin had said, with one exception, and that was that the latter thought the new plan would only protect $35,000 worth of property. Mr. Valiant thought there was valuable property in Washington Park which would be protected also.

Mr. Woolston thought it was a good idea to carry out the scheme but he had changed his mind for the present, for he could not see why it was so necessary to go to the additional expense just now. He thought the borough might better purchase a team of horses and carry out Mr. McLoughlin's scheme. Mr. Valiant said that Mr. McLoughlin objected to the location and Mr. Woolston to the expense. He thought it would cost the borough $600 a year for a regular man and the new plan he thought was $500 in favor of establishing a company in the proposed location.

Mr. MacLaughlin could not see why the Council wanted to locate the new house on Harrison street just to protect Bull Frog city. Mr. Lounsbury became interested and he believed the improvement was called for. He said said that the property in that locality, though some of it was only worth $1,000, was entitled to as much protection as any $6,000 house. He thought there would be far more heavy expense by buying a team of horses.

By this time the Mayor got interested and he took the floor. He spoke in part as follows:

"The subject has been handled with care and we are going to expend $2,000 for the improvement. The committee has gone over the subject and I have been interested from the first. Mr. MacLaughlin does not approve of the scheme and he has a right to his opinions. He advocates a system of economy, but his remarks do not indidate it. He thinks that we should purchase horses, secure the services of a man and do away with the primitive method of hailing the first ice wagon team when there is a fire, and he continues by saying that the horses could earn their own living. The fact that the horses would be out working does not help things one bit, and thus Mr. MacLaughlin's beautiful scheme of ecomony is knocked in the head. To be economical one has got to spend money frequently. When Mr. MacLoughlin says that only $35,000 worth of property would be protected he says what is not so. The new company would be called to do service in any part of the borough. We want to show a spirit of advancement and it should be our aim to spread out. The question is whether you shall buy a beautiful team of horses or vote for the building of a hose house which is absolutly needed?"

Mr. McLoughlin replied by saying that the Mayor allowed the members to think that he was running down certain parts of the borough. He answered: "Why have we not water on Somerset street near Coddington avenue? The water company will not give it to us. We can't get hydrants for sometime to come. and I have not yet heard a good reason why the proposed scheme should be adopted."

The question on the resolution was called for at this time, and all but Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin voted for the purchase of the lot.

Mr. Peck offered a second resolution that E. E. Pope's bid of $848 for erecting the hose house be accepted, and it was carried by three votes, Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin again voting no. Mr. McLoughlin wanted to defer the matter, but it was decided advers ly.

A third resolution offered by Mr. Peck provided that the Fire, Water nd Lamps Committee be authorized to go ahead and have the hose house erected, and a fourth resolution offered by the same member provided for the issuing of fire department bonds to the amount of $3,50 in sums $500 at 5 per cent. interest. Both resolutions were adopted, and again Messrs. Woolston and McLoughlin voted no. This concluded the business and the meeting adjourned.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, meets on Monday evening next.

—The pictures of the officials at the last bicycle carnival have now been received.

—The T. A. B. Association holds its regular meeting on Monday evening of next week.

—Patrolman Mattox has been presented with a fine thoroughbred dog by his friends.

—The literary society at the Monroe Avenue chapel held a short meeting last evening.

—Stone Square Lodge, Colored Masons, will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening.

—Putnam & DeGraw have an elegant line of fleeced underwear which has become very popular.

—No. 2 Engine Company will hold their fair Dec. 14th to 19th. It is given for the benefit of the members.

—Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., held their regular meeting last night and transacted routine business.

—An appeal has been taken in the case of Potter against Fett, which was tried in Justice Newcorn's court a few days ago.

—The exterior of Mrs. John Weir's house on Rockview avenue, is being handsomely painted by Marsh, Ayers & Co., of Park avenue.

—At the meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., next Tuesday evening, there will be nomination of officers.

—The low prices at which Crane & Clark, hatters, at 120 West Front street, sell gloves and sweaters, makes many a new customer for these goods.

—In the programme at the pastor's reception at the Park Avenue Baptist church last Thursday evening there were several solos by Wm. N. Runyon.

—Louis Wyckoff, of No. 26 Howard street, is arranging a friendly shooting match for turkeys and ducks at his home next Monday, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

—Coddington & Ackerman, the Somerset street fish dealers, have a curiosity in their show window. It is called a skate fish and is very peculiar in its appearance.

—A visitor has arrived at fire headquarters and the members of the department hope he has come to stay. It is a white cat and will take the place of the one which was stolen sometime ago.

—When you are around the vicinity of Park and North avenues just drop in at Armstrong pharmacy and sample the hot soda drawn from a new fountain. It is delicious on a chilly day.

—Street Commissioner Meeker's men have about completed the cleaning up of the city streets before winter. They were at work on East Ninth street yesterday and expect to complete the work this week.

—Two contract cases came before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon and both were adjourned for one week. The cases were those of Coddington against Becker, and Pearson & Gayle against Contillo & Perruccione.

—Work was commenced yesterday on the erection of four massive stone gate posts at the entrance to Edwin S. Hooley's handsome residence on Rockview avenue, opposite Mercer. Contractor C. W. Lines is doing the work.

—Patrons of D. W. Rogers, the seafood dealer of West Second street, are advised to send in their orders for Thanksgiving early next week, so that there will be no delay in filling them. He has a very fine brand of oysters at 30 cents a quart that make excellent stuffing for turkeys.

—Next Monday afternoon at 4:30 and in the evening at 7:45 Dr. Barnes, of the First M. E. church, will deliver two illustrated lectures at the Y. M. C. A. building, on the "Tabernacle," before the members of the Primary Teachers' Union and their friends. All are invited to attend.

Inspecting Officer E. C. Morse, of Post 73, G. A. R., accompanied by several comrades, will go to Elizabethport this evening to witness the inspection of Kilpatrick Post, of that place.

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Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, lots 34x105, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen, sidewalks flagged Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.
2 new houses on South avenue, near Berckman street, 6 rooms, good cellar and attic. Lot 50x100. Terms easy. All rooms papered. Sidewalks flagged, etc.
1 house on Third street, near New street, 6 rooms nicely papered; connected with sewer; large cellar and attic; hardwood mantels.
2 lots for sale on Third street, near New st., sidewalk flagged; easy terms; will advance money to build at 5 per cent. Elegant building lots on East Sixth street for sale; convenient to schools, churches, etc.; near trolley cars; very easy terms. I will offer the above property at such a low figure that any one desiring a home in a good location cannot do better with their money than to purchase before property advances. Come at see me at 171 North avenue. Open evenings until 9 o'clock. Monthly payments taken.
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TO LET—Two furnished rooms one front and one bed room With or without board. Call 316 E. Second st. 11 21 3

LOST—Last evening, a package of No. 2 Engine Company fair tickets. As the tickets are not stamped with the company's stamp, they are of no use to finder. Return to Press office and receive reward.

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"No; rather the other way. He finds the mines very good properties, and he thinks that if they are managed intelligently they will be good-paying investments—that is, at a proper price, you know—not at what the owners ask for them at present. But you can have no possible interest in these dry details."

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"For what I have told you," he said, "we were offered twice what the London people pay us for coming out here. In fact, even more than that. We were asked to name our own price."

"Really now. By the owners of the property, I suppose, if you wouldn't tell on them?"

"No. By one of your famous New York newspaper men. He even went so far as to steal the papers that Kenyon had in Ottawa. He was cleverly caught, though, before he could make any use of what he had stolen. In fact, unless his people in New York had the figures which were originally placed before the London board I doubt if my statistics would have been of much use to him, even if he had been allowed to keep them. The full significance of my report will not show until the figures I have given are compared with those already in the hands of the London people, which were vouched for as correct by your clever American accountant."

"You shouldn't run down an accountant just because he is an American. Perhaps there will come a day, Mr. Wentworth, when you will admit that there are Americans who are more clever than either that accountant or that newspaper man. I don't think your specimens are typical."

"I don't 'run down,' as you call it, the men because they are Americans. I 'run down' the accountant because he was either ignorant or corrupt. I 'run down' the newspaper man because he was a thief."

Miss Brewster was silent for a few moments. She was impressing on her memory what he had said to her and was anxious to get away, so that she could write out in her cabin exactly what had been told her. The sound of the lunch gong gave her the excuse she needed, so, bidding her victim a pleasant and friendly farewell, she hurried from the deck to her stateroom.

CHAPTER IV.

There was one man on board the Colorie to whom Wentworth had taken an extreme dislike. His name was Fleming, and he claimed to be a New York politician. As none of his friends or enemies asserted anything worse about him, it may be assumed that Fleming had designated his occupation correctly. If Wentworth were asked what he most disliked about the man he would probably have said his offensive familiarity. Fleming seemed to think himself a genial good fellow, and he was immensely popular with a certain class in the smoking-room. He was lavishly free with his invitations to drink, and he always had a case of good cigars in his pocket, which he bestowed with great liberality. He had the habit of slapping a man boisterously on the back and saying: "Well, old fellow, how are you? How's things?" He usually confided to his listeners that he was a self-made man, had landed at New York without a cent in his pocket, and look at him now.

Wentworth was icy toward this man, but frigidity had no effect whatever on the exuberant spirits of the New York politician.

"Well, old man," cried Fleming to Wentworth, as he came up to the latter and linked arms affectionately. "What lovely weather we are having for winter time."

"It is good," said Wentworth.

"Good. It's glorious! Who would have thought, when leaving New York in a snowstorm as we did, that we would run right into the heart of spring? I hope you are enjoying your voyage?"

"I am."

"You ought to. By the way, why are you so awful stand-offish? Is it natural, or merely put on 'for this occasion only,'?"

"I do not know what you mean by 'stand-offish.'"

"You know very well what I mean. Why do you pretend to be so stiff and formal with a fellow?"

"I am never stiff and formal with anyone unless I do not desire his acquaintance."

Fleming laughed loudly. "I suppose that's a personal hint. Well, it seems to me, if this exclusiveness is genuine, that you would be more afraid of newspaper notoriety than of anything else."

"Why do you say that?"

"Because I can't, for the life of me, see why you spend so much time with 'Dolly Dimple.' I am sure I don't know why she is here, but I do know this, that you will be served up to the extent of two or three columns in the Sunday Argus as sure as you live."

"I don't understand you."

"You don't? Why, it's plain enough. You spend all your time with her."

"I do not even know of whom you are speaking."

"Oh, come, now, that's too rich. Is it possible that you don't know that Miss Jennie Brewster is the one who writes those Sunday articles over the signature of 'Dolly Dimple?'"

A strange fear came over Wentworth as his companion mentioned the Argus. He remembered it as J. K. Rivers' paper, but when Fleming said Miss Brewster was a correspondent of the Argus he was aghast.

"I—I—I don't think I quite catch your meaning," he stammered.

"Well, my meaning's easy enough to see. Hasn't she ever told you? Then it shows she wants to do you up on toast. You're not an English politician, are you? You haven't any political secrets that Dolly wants to get at, have you? Why, she is the greatest girl there is in the whole United States for finding out just what a man doesn't want to have known. You know the secretary of state"—and here Fleming went on to relate a wonderfully brilliant feat of "Dolly's," but the person to whom he was talking had neither eyes nor ears. He heard nothing and he saw nothing.

"Dear me," said Fleming, drawing himself up and slapping the other on the back, "you look perfectly dumfounded. I suppose I oughtn't to have given Dolly away like this; but she has pretended all along that she didn't know me, and so I got even with her. You take my advice, and anything you don't want to see in print don't you tell Miss Brewster, that's all. Have a cigar?"

"No, thank you," replied the other mechanically.

"Better come in and have a drink."

"No, thank you."

"Well, so long. I'll see you later."

"It can't be true. It can't be true," Wentworth repeated to himself, with deep consternation, but still with some misgiving, warning him that, after all, it might be true. With his hands clasped behind him he walked up and down, trying to collect himself—trying to remember what he had told and what he had not. As he walked along, heeding nobody, a sweet voice from one of the chairs thrilled him and he paused.

"Why, Mr. Wentworth, what is the matter with you this morning? You look as if you had seen a ghost."

Wentworth glanced at the young woman seated in the chair, who was gazing up brightly at him.

"Well," he said, at last, "I am not sure but I have seen a ghost. May I sit down beside you?"

"May you? Why of course you may. I shall be delighted to have you. Is there anything wrong?"

"I don't know. Yes, I think there is."

"Well, tell it to me; perhaps I can help you. A woman's wit, you know. What is the trouble?"

"May I ask you a few questions, Miss Brewster?"

"Certainly. A thousand of them if you like; and I will answer them all if I can."

"Thank you. Will you tell me, Miss Brewster, if you are connected with any newspaper?"

Miss Brewster laughed her merry, silvery, little laugh. "Who told you? Ah! I see how it is. It was that creature Fleming. I'll get even with him for this some day. I know what office he is after, and the next time he wants a good notice from the Argus he'll get it; see if he don't. I know some things about him that he would just as soon not see in print. Why, what a fool the man is! I suppose he told you out of revenge, because I wouldn't speak to him the other evening. Never mind, I can afford to wait."

"Then—then, Miss Brewster, it is true."

"Certainly it is true; is there anything wrong about it? I hope you don't think it is disreputable to belong to a good newspaper?"

"To a good newspaper, no; to a bad newspaper, yes."

"Oh, I don't think the Argus is a bad newspaper. It pays well."

"Then it is to the Argus that you belong?"

"Certainly."

"May I ask, Miss Brewster, if there is anything I have spoken to you about that you intend to use in your paper?"

Again Miss Brewster laughed. "I will be perfectly frank with you. I never tell a lie—it doesn't pay. Yes.

"You haven't any political secrets that Dolly wants to get at, have you?"

The reason I am here is because you are here. I am here to find out what your report on those mines will be, also what the report of your friend will be. I have found out."

"And do you intend to use the information you have thus obtained—if I may say it—under false pretenses?"

"My dear sir, you are forgetting yourself. You must remember that you are talking to a lady."

"A lady!" cried Wentworth in his anguish.

"Yes, sir, a lady; and you must be careful how you talk to this lady. There was no false pretense about it, if you remember. What you told me was in conversation; I didn't ask you for it. I didn't even make the first advances toward your acquaintance."

"But you must admit, Miss Brewster, that it is very unfair to get a man to engage in what he thinks is a private conversation, and then to publish what he has said."

"My dear sir, if that were the case, how would we get anything for publication that people didn't want to be known? Why, I remember once, when the secretary of state—"

"Yes," interrupted Wentworth, wearily, "Fleming told me the story."

"Oh, did he? Well, I'm sure I'm much obliged to him. Then I need not repeat it."

"Do you mean to say that you intend to send to the Argus for publication what I have told you in confidence?"

"Certainly. As I said before, that is what I am here for. Besides, there is no 'in confidence' about it."

"And yet you pretend to be a truthful, honest, honorable woman?"

"I don't pretend it, I am."

"How much truth, then, is there in your story that you are a millionaire's daughter about to visit your father in Paris, and accompany him from there to the Riviera?"

Miss Brewster laughed brightly. "Oh, I don't call fibs that a person has to tell in the way of business untruths."

"Then probably you would not call what Mr. J. K. Rivers, of your estimable paper, did in Ottawa dishonorable?"

"Well, hardly. I think Rivers was not justified in what he did, because he was unsuccessful, that is all. I'll bet a dollar if I had got hold of those papers they would have gone through to New York; but then J. K. Rivers is only a stupid man, and most men are stupid," with a shy glance at Wentworth.

"I am willing to admit that, Miss Brewster, if you mean me. There never was a more stupid man than I have been."

"My dear Mr. Wentworth, it will do you ever so much good if you come to a realization of that fact. The truth is, you take yourself much too seriously. Now, it won't hurt you a bit to have what I am going to have published in the Argus, and it will help me a great deal. Just you wait here for a few moments." With that she flung her book upon his lap, sprang up, and vanished down the companionway. In a very short time she reappeared with some sheets of paper in her hand.

"Now, you see how fair and honest I am going to be. I am going to read you what I have written. If there is anything in it that is not true, I will very gladly cut it out; and if there is anything more to be added, I shall be very glad to add it. Isn't that fair?"

Wentworth was so confounded with the woman's impudence that he could make no reply.

She began to read: "By an unexplained stroke of enterprise, the New York Argus is enabled this morning to lay before its readers a full and exclusive account of the report made by the two English specialists, Mr. George Wentworth and Mr. John Kenyon, who were sent over by the London syndicate to examine into the accounts and inquire into the true value of the mines of the Ottawa river." She looked up from the paper and said, with an air of friendly confidence:

"I shouldn't send that if I thought the people at the New York end would know enough to write it themselves; but as the paper is edited by dull men, and not by a sharp woman, I have to make them pay 25 cents a word for puffing their own enterprise. Well, to go on:

"When it is remembered that the action of the London syndicate will depend entirely on the report of these two gentlemen—"

"I wouldn't put it that way," interrupted Wentworth, in his despair. "I would use the word 'largely' for 'entirely.'"

"Oh, thank you," said Miss Brewster, cordially. She placed the manuscript on her knee, and with her pencil marked out the word "entirely," substituting "largely." The reading went on: "When it is remembered that the action of the London syndicate will depend largely on the report of these two gentlemen, the enterprise of the Argus in getting this exclusive information, which will be immediately cabled to London, may be imagined. (That is the preliminary, you see; and, as I said, it wouldn't be necessary to cable it if women were at the head of affairs over there, which they are not.) Mr. John Kenyon, the mining expert, has visited all the mineral ranges along the Ottawa river, and his report is that the mines are very much what is claimed for them; but he thinks they are not worked properly, although, with judicious management and more careful mining, the properties can be made to pay good dividends. Mr. George Wentworth, who is one of the leading accountants of London—"

"I wouldn't say that, either," groaned George. "Just strike out the words, 'one of the leading accountants of London.'"

"Yes?" said Miss Brewster; "and what shall I put in place of them?"

"Put in place of them, 'the stupidest ass in London.'"

Miss Brewster laughed at that. "No; I shall put in what I first wrote: 'Mr. George Wentworth, one of the leading accountants of London, has gone through the books of the different mines. He has made some startling

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.

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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY—To Valerie Baird and Z. Taylor Baird: By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the date hereof, in a cause wherein Charles A. Reed is complainant, and you and others are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of said complainant on or before the twenty-eighth day of December next, or the said bill be taken as confessed against you.

The said bill is filed to foreclose a mortgage given by Z. Taylor Baird to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, dated April first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, on lands in the city of Plainfield, and you, Valerie Baird are made the defendant because you were the owner of said premises and claim to be entitled to and inchoate right of dower therein. And you Z. Taylor Baird are made defendant because you were the owner of said premises and may still claim some interest therein.

Dated October 27, 1896.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT -- Notice is hereby given. That the account of the subscribers, executors of Sybilla E. Albert, deceased, will be audited and stated by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the 16th day of December next.

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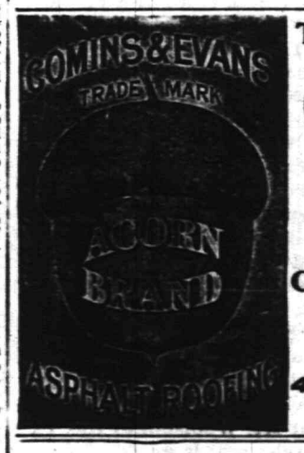

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 00, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 30, 8 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 30, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10 a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 05, 5 54, 6 40, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 38 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 13, 9 08, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 38, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 35 a m; 1 10, 1 35, 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 20

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 48, 3 11, 3 22, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 8 19, 9 38, 9 13, 9 24, 8 21, 10 28, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 8 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 03, 3 43, 5 14, 6 35, 10 35, 9 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 55, 8 19, 9 08, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 15, 4 55, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 53, 9 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 48, 2 11, 4 56, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m Sunday at 5 45, 8 16, a m; 3 03, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 22, 4 04, 7 03, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 37, 7 39 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 16 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 35 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 36 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 20 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 34 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 26 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, 8 13, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 12, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 9 53 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 39, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 51, 5 12, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 51, 5 12 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 17, 2 32*, 5 34*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m. 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*. p. m. 1 17 night.

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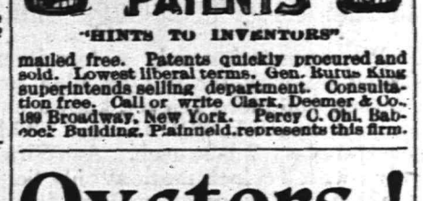

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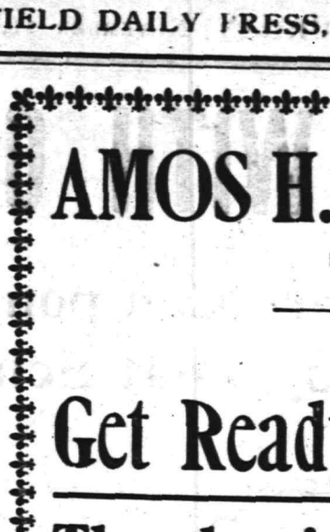

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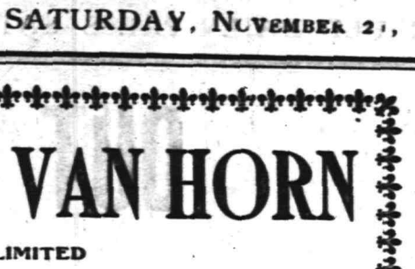

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BAYARD EULOGIZED.

His Address at Burnley Praised and His Approaching Withdrawal Regretted.

London, Nov. 21.—At a meeting last night of the Burnley Mechanics' institute the Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, the American ambassador, presented to the winners the prizes that had been awarded to them by the institute. The meeting was crowded. Among those present were Lord and Lady Monkswell, Lady O'Hagan, the Right Hon. Sir U. J. Kay-Shuttleworth, M. P., and Hon. Philip J. Stanhope, M. P. The corporation of Burnley presented an address of welcome to Mr. Bayard, in reply to which he said he represented his country as a friend to Great Britain. There was no imaginable cause, just or reasonable, for difference between the peoples of Great Britain and the United States. The same principles were the bases of both goverments. The leading editorial in the Daily News to-day gives the text of Mr. Bayard's speech at Burnley. The paper then proceeds to review the ambassador's diplomatic career, and expresses regret for his approaching withdrawal from office, which, it presumes, will follow the inauguration of Mr. McKinley as president. The News assures Mr. Bayard that the best wishes of the people of the United Kingdom will always follow him. The Standard eulogies Mr. Bayard's tactful and generous utterances at Burnley, which, it says, will be cordially appreciated in Great Britain.

TO BE TRIED FOR WIFE MURDER.

Charles Kaiser Found Guilty by the Coroner's Jury of Killing His Wife.

Norristown, Pa., Nov. 21.—Charles D. Kaiser will have to stand trial for the murder of his wife Emma. The latter was shot and killed on the night of Oct. 28. Kaiser was also wounded at the time, and he claimed that he had been robbed by highwaymen, who shot him and his swife. Some of the alleged stolen articles were afterwards found, and Kaiser was arrested charged with the murder of his wife. The evidence at the coroner's inquest yesterday was decidedly against Kaiser. The latter admitted to Chief of Police Rodenbaugh and Detective Geyer of Philadelphia that, though he did not murder his wife, he knew who did. He refused to give the name of the guilty party. There was an insurance of $10,500 on Mrs. Kaiser's life, and she had made a will in favor of the husband. The jury's verdict was as follows: "That Emma F. Kaiser came to her death by a gunshot wound inflicted by Charles O. Kaiser, Jr., being the result of a conspiracy entered upon by the said Charles O. Kaiser and others."

VIOLATED LABOR LAW.

A Brockton Employer Fined for Working Women over Ten Hours a Day.

Brockton, Mass., Nov. 21.—In the police court Alva P. Reynolds was yesterday found guilty of violating the law relative to the employment of women more than ten hours a day. The women testified that they voluntarily worked over-time on Fridays in order to be relieved from work on Saturdays. The defense claimed that if the women worked not more than fifty-eight hours in a week they could be employed over-time in order to make a short day on Saturday. The government claimed that the law makes no provision for working over-time on any day except in case of an accident to the machinery. The court found Mr. Reynolds guilty on three complaints. Two were placed on file, and the minimum fine of $50 was imposed on the third. An appeal was taken by Reynolds.

AN UNUSUAL EVENT.

The Setting Apart of a Young Lady as a Deaconess at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Nov. 21.—The setting apart of Miss Ruth Byllesby as a deaconess of the Protestant Episcopal church, in Trinity church yesterday, was an unusual and interesting event. The solemn services were conducted by Bishop Whitehead, assisted by Bishop Vincent of Cincinnati. At the conclusion of the services Miss Sanford, house mother of the Philadelphia training school, from which Miss Byllesby graduated one month ago, delivered an address on deaconess work. Miss Byllesby is the eldest daughter of the late Rev. Marison Byllesby, for twenty years rector of Emanuel church, Allegheny. Her work will be in St. Paul's parish. She is the first deaconess set apart in the diocese of Pittsburg.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot easier; market quiet. Dec., 84⅜c.; May, 84⅜c.

Corn—Spot trade weaker and quiet. Dec., 28⅝c.; May, 32⅜c.

Oats—Trade quiet and prices easy. Dec., 22⅝c.; May, 25⅝c.

Pork—Spot weak and irregular. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and inactive. Steam rendered, $4.05.

Eggs—Steady and good demand. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@24c.; ice house, 16½@18c.; western, fresh, 21@23c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 21@22.

Butter—Light receipts; good demand. Creamery western extras, 22c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, full made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—Demand is still slow. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.12.

FOOT BALL TO-DAY

Four Great College Teams Line Up This Afternoon.

YALE-PRINCETON IN NEW YORK

Old Eli's Sons and the Orange and Black Contesting for the Twenty-first Annual Championship — Pennsylvania and Harvard's Game.

New York, Nov. 21.—After many days of hard work under an army of coaches and trainers, Princeton and Yale lined up this afternoon to decide the twenty-first annual football championship game, and the men who wear the blue of old Eli and the orange and black of historic Nassau represent the brawn and sinew of their respective colleges. From 1876 to 1895 the struggle has been waged every year, and the scale of honor shows a lowering in favor of the blue. The record reads that Yale has won thirteen times to Princeton's six, and that once, in 1881, the balance was even, neither side having scored. Under the old and new methods of scoring the total stands: Yale, 14 goals, 1 goal from field, 5 touchdowns, 8 safeties, and 76 points. Princeton, 5 goals, 2 touchdowns, 17 safeties and 10 points. If all were scored under the present methods the points would stand: Yale, 201; Princeton, 82. Yale's winning years were '76, '77, '82, '83, '84, '86, '87, 88, '90, '91, '92, and '94 and '95. Princeton came out victorious in '78, '79 and '80, '85, '89 and 93. Whether Yale's winning streak of the past two years will be added to this afternoon or whether Princeton's eleven will score the lucky "odd number" are the questions that are uppermost in the minds of the thousands who take an interest in the popular college game. It has been more or less the custom heretofore to prophesy on the morning of the Yale-Princeton game that "the crowd would be greater than was ever seen at the game before." Whatever may have been the case in previous years there is absolutely no denying that the attendance at Manhattan Field this afternoon far surpasses anything ever seen before. Seats on any of the stands were not to be had this morning in the regular channels, and there were only a very few obtainable from speculators at a big advance on the regular price. The capacity of the field is about 22,000 and the only tickets available this morning against the rush in the afternoon were 8,000 admissions which conferred standing room only. Both teams and substitutes retired early at their quarters last night the Yale contingent at the Plaza and the Tigers at the Murray Hill, and after an uninterrupted rest were astir early this morning. The men are all in fine condition. This morning the followers of the Orange and Black seemed to think that the chances were in their favor, and slight odds were obtainable at the stock exchange that Princeton would win. But the bulk of the betting was at even money, for while Princeton's showing through the season entitled them to a degree of favoritism, the knowing ones kept in mind the well remembered New Haven "hard luck" stories" which have been always floated before the eventful hour, but which somehow have with just as much pertinacity failed to materially affect the playing of Old Eli's sons when the critical moment arrived.

QUAKERS AND CRIMSONS.

U. of P. and Harvard Meet in Philadelphia. Freshmen of Each College in Cambridge.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.—The great football game between Harvard and the University of Pennsylvania takes place this afternoon. The common opinion this morning seemed to be that if the Crimsons developed some unexpected strength they might win, but that Pennsylvania would probably be victorious. Dunlop, it was feared, would not be able to enter the game, and Cozzens was likewise barred because of injuries. Hence, Captain Wrightington's colleague at half-back will be a substitute, either Livermore or Brine. Haughton and Wheeler will be at their place places as tackles, and Frank Shaw is to take Doucette's placed at centre. The Pennsylvania men look vastly improved by their couple of days' outing in the mountains and every man is fit and ready to play for his life. The followers of Pennsylvania were confident this morning of winning, and few of them will admit that, barring the fatal fumble and block kick which have created such havoc with the Quakers' play this year, that Harvard will even score. That the followers of Harvard were not so sanguine of victory as they might be, was shown by the fact that they were demanding odds of two to one in the betting. Immense preparations were made for the game and an attendance of 25,000 is expected.

The Freshmen at Cambridge.

Boston, Nov. 21.—The annual football game between Harvard and Pennsylvania freshmen occurs in Cambridge this afternoon. Last year the game was won by Harvard at Philadelphia, 12 to 0. This year the outcome is uncertain, as there is no way to compare the teams.

Sentenced for Selling "Oswego Cocktails."

Albany, Nov. 21.—Excise special agents at the Oswego county fair in September last caused the arrest of Timothy Flood, Timothy Sullivan and Edward Searle for violation of the liquor tax law for selling so-called "Oswego cocktails" made of hard cider and alcohol without having a tax certificate. They were held for the grand jury and were tried at present term of court by Judge Stowell. Searle was sent to jail for three months and Flood was fined $100 or one hundred days in jail.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:55 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:38 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:38 p. m.

PUNTS AND PASSES.

Thomas U. Smith has now resumed his duties as assistant manager of the Y. M. C. A. team, after being laid up several weeks with water on the knee. He will not play again this season.

The Spartan and Hunter teams will meet on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day, probably on the Martine field. The game will begin at 1:30 o'clock so that it will be over before the Y. M. C. A. team is ready to play.

It is probable that the Alis team will not play football again this season. The game with the Pingry team was looked upon as the last, and the expected game with the Hunter football eleven will probably not be played after all. The Battin High School, of Elizabeth, challenged the Alis team some time ago, but on learning of the comparatively easy victory of the Plainfield boys over the Pingry team, they immediately cancelled the game with the Alis eleven.

Interest in the local teams has temporarily retired in the background as the long-expected game between Yale and Princeton draws nigh. The Pennington Seminary eleven wanted a game with the local Y. M. C. A. boys but almost the entire team will attend the college game, so that it will be impossible for the Plainfield team to play today. There was some talk of playing the New Jersey Athletic Club team on the Saturday after Thanksgiving, but the latter's demands were so exorbitant that the game could not be arranged, but the local players feel confident that they can hold their own with the New Jerseys should they meet.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The bowling team of the Park Club will not roll again until Wednesday night, when the team from the Roselle Casino will roll the Parks on the latter's alleys.

Several games will be rolled in the Journal league next week. The New Jersey Athletic Club team will roll at Elizabeth on Monday night and Bayonne and Cranford meet on the latter's alleys. On Tuesday night Westfield goes to the alleys of the New Jersey Athletic Club.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Carroll Runyon and Lindley Hillman, the two crack riders of the Plainfield High School, made some fast time several days ago while returning from Elizabeth on a tandem. They rode from Elizabeth to Plainfield in 32 minutes.

WITH ROD AND GUN.

Samuel Fenner, of MacDonald's grocery store, has returned from a successful hunting trip.

Papers were filed in the county clerk's office at Elizabeth on Thursday, incorporating the Plainfield Athletic Club, of this city. The officers are as follows: President, James Brown: vice-president. J. H. Cose; secretary and treasurer, Arthur Leland; trustees, Alex. Muir, C. E. Dederick, G. E Firstbrook and D. R. Gray. The readers of this paper are familiar with the record of this baseball team in obtaining the city championship by winning the majority of games from the Y. M. C. A. team. A series of games should be arranged between these two teams next year. The players will be about the same as last year, with the exception of a new manager. The team will play part of the season at home and part out of the city.

The Football Game.

At 3 o'clock the score in the Yale-Princeton football game stood 6 to 6.

L N. Boyer, of Perth Amboy, was in own yesterday visiting friends.

M. F. Elderton, of The News, is expected to return from Auburn, N. Y., on Monday. The illness of his uncle called him away a week ago.

—Woolston & Buckle, the North avenue decorators, have the contract for the painting of H. B Wells' residence at the corner of Washington and Rockview avenues.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

Miss Alice Barker, of Grove street, left town yesterday for Brooklyn where she will remain until next week.

Dorothy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Douglass, of Washington avenue, is recovering from a slight attack of the grip.

F. W. Iredell and family, of New York, have leased the house on Rockview avenue, formerly occupied by George T. Rogers.

At Teachers' Institutes.

The teachers' institute of Somerset county will be held in the Somerville High School building next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Monday morning, Miss Jessie S. Himes, superintendent of the kindergarten department in the North Plainfield public school, will talk on "Glimpses in Kindergarten Life." That same afternoon Supt. Warde will conduct sessions on "The New Geography" and "Devices in Spelling."

The annual teachers' institute of Hunterdon county will be held at Flemington the same days, and among the instructors will be Supt. Warde and Miss Himes. Tuesday morning Mr. Warde will conduct a session on "The New Geography," and in the afternoon of the same day he will conduct a session on "Devices in Spelling."

Wheel and Boy Come Together.

Samuel Rothberg, young son of Kalman Rothberg, of 505 West Third street, met with an accident in front of Putnam & DeGraw's dry goods store last evening about 6 o'clock, by running in front of a bicycle ridden by Henry Woltman, of West Seventh street. The boy carelessly did not look where he was going, and both he and the rider were thrown to the ground. The young boy landed directly in front of a passing wagon, very near the horse. A crowd gathered quickly add it was soon learned that the boy had only received a slight cut under the chin. Mr. Rothberg soon appeared and after learning the facts he sought Patrolman Joseph Cooney who at his request took young Woltman to the Mayor's office where Chief Grant happened to be. The latter soon decided that Woltman was not to blame and he was discharged.

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Corporation Notice.

The undersigned commissioners heretofore appointed by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of damages that any owner or owners of land will sustain by the widening and laying out of Madison avenue from the Southeasterly side line of West Front street to the Northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey pursuan to the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to widen Madison avenue from the Southeasterly side line of West Front street to the Northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey," approved June 5th, 1893, and also to ascertain the amount of damages that shall be assessed as aforesaid and of all necessary expenses incident to such widening and laying out, and to make a just and equitable assessment thereof among the owners and occupants of the lands, tenements and real estate benefited thereby in proportion to the benefits each shall be deemed to acquire, said assessment to be made pursuant to the valid laws now in force in the State of New Jersey governing such assessments, any unconstitutional provisions of the City Charter to the contrary, notwithstanding, the assessment heretofore made by said commissioners having been recommitted to them by resolution of the Common Council for further consideration in respect to the assessment for benefits and damages, hereby give notice that they have this day filed their report and assesment as amended in the office of the City Clerk, and that the same is open to inspection of the public and will be presented to the Common Council at the meeting of that body to be held at the Council Chamber, No 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the seventh day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-six at eight o'clock p.m. The streets or avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assesments are as follows: Madison avenue from West Front street to West Seventh street; both sides of West Front street; West Second street; West Third street; West Fourth street; West Fifth street; and West Sixth street; and the Northwesterly side of West Seventh street extending from Madison avenue Northeasterly and Southwesterly, respectively, to points not exceeding three hundred and seventy-three feet distant measured along said several streets from the centre line of Madison avenue.

The lands taken and the lands assessed are designated on the map accompanying said report and assesments as amended, and filed in the office of the City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., November 20, 1896.

EDWARD C. MULFORD.
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FARMER JIM FOR MAYOR

MR. MARTINE TO LEAD THE DEMOCRATS IN MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN.

He Was Nominated by Acclamation, But With Several Other Offices There Was a Lively Fight Among Delegates.

The delegates that attended the Democratic city convention held in the Bryant school building on Saturday evening were unanimous in one thing, and that was that they wanted James E. Martine as their nominee for Mayor, but when it came to the other nominations there were two factions on the floor, and at times the convention was very lively as a consequence. There was a tinge of comedy here and there that some of the delegates did not appreciate. There were some of the delegates that believed that a Democrat was a Democrat whether he was an advocate of gold or silver, as the chairman remarked. The other faction held that a Democrat who had taken the side of "sound money" was a traitor to the cause and had no place on a Democratic ticket. That was where the trouble came in and caused all the excitement.

Most of the delegates were present and a score of spectators, among whom were a few members of the Republican camp, who came down to see the fun, and they saw it. Mr. Martine was not a delegate, but he acted as substitute for John Ross, of the Second ward.

The convention was called to order by Peter Flynn, Jr., and he was made permanent chairman. Michael J. DeCourcy was elected secretary, Elmore D. Moffett was chosen judge, and Edward Birmingham and Edward C. Searing inspectors. They were sworn in and then the secretary read the call. The credentials were received and it was decided to allow the chairman of a delegation to cast the vote for the full delegation, although some were absent.

The candidate for Mayor was first nominated. It was understood at the first of the meeting that the Farmer Orator was to be the candidate and there proved to be no opposition. Nominations were made by wards. John Angleman, of the First ward delegation, nominated Mr. Martine as their candidate, and Gilbert S. Martin, of the Second ward, seconded the nomination. The other wards had no other names to present. F. M. Bacon from the Third ward remarked that he would like to name John Mortimer for Mayor if the latter would accept. Mr. Mortimer was there and sat on the proposition immediately. It was then moved and carried that the secretary cast a ballot for Mr. Martine as the Democratic nominee for Mayor.

Nominations for City Treasurer were then called for and John McCarthy named George O. Stevens. Then the first mutterings of the approaching storm might be heard. Somebody asked if he was a Democrat or a gold man and the chairman replied that he was a Democrat, but it was evident that they didn't quite agree on the meaning of the term. A motion that the nomination be made unanimous and that the secretary cast a ballot for Mr. Stevens was made and carried before the opposition realized what had been done.

Wm. E. Gardner was named for City Collector without opposition. Edward Birmingham was named but refused the nomination.

The fun came in the nomination of a member of the Board of Education, which came next. There was a silence after the call for nominations and then Edward C. Searing named A. H. Atterbury. John Casey immediately objected, saying that Mr. Atterbury was a gold man, and then named J. J. Kenney, remarking at the same time that he had no authority to make the nomination. Mr. Kenney, it might be remarked, is known as a staunch silverite. Mr. Atterbury's name was then withdrawn and so was Mr. Kenney's. After another pause Mr. Bacon named E. H. Ladd, Jr., as the candidate. Again Mr. Casey objected for the same reason. Mr. Martine entered the arena with the remark that Mr. Ladd was so much of a Democrat that the Republicans could not stomach him. A lively little debate followed and then the question came to a vote. Ballots were passed and the vote resulted as follows: Kenney, 13; Ladd, 4. The nomination was then made unanimous.

Auguste Saltzman and Jeremiah Manning were unanimously nominated for Commissioners of Appeal.

That ended nominations, but not the fight, for Mr. Casey moved that the nomination of George O. Stevens be reconsidered. It was lost on a vote by hands, 12 to 5. Mr. Casey appealed from the decision of the chair but the decision was sustained by a vote of the convention. When Mr. Casey

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GOT AWAY WITH $1,000

A PLAINFIELD YOUNGSTER BECOMES AN EMBRYO JESSE JAMES.

Louis Milligan 15 Years Old, Entered a West Fifth Street House, Grabbed a Bag of Cash and Valuables and Fled.

Two lads from this city have mysteriously disappeared and no trace has been found of them. One of them is now wanted for grand larceny.

Last Wednesday Louis Milligan, of West Fourth street, was seen to leave a West Fifth street residence and hurry into the back yard, stopping in an outhouse for a moment. Then he hurried out to New street and ran to Fourth street. He jumped aboard a trolley car and disappeared. Soon after the woman living in the house missed a bag she had containing several hundred dollars in cash and a number of certificates of deposit, in all valued at about $1,000, belonging to her husband.

She supposed that she had mislaid it, but a careful search failed to find it. Then her neighbors told her of how Louis Milligan had been seen going out of the door, and suspicion rested upon him. The outhouse was examined and there was found the bag, minus its contents.

At last, on Saturday night, the case was reported to the police. It was also found that Charles Wilson, of West Fifth street, an old friend and playmate of Milligan's, was also missing, and had not been seen since Wednesday.

Sometime ago these two lads, who are only fifteen years old, ran away and were at last found in the railroad yards at Buffalo. Milligan ran away several times before and has been know as a wild lad. His mind has run on the wonderful achievements of the heroes of those fascinating yellow covered dime novels and he has longed to become a second Jesse James or "Almond Eyed Dick, the Boy Detective." He is a stout lad, with red face, sandy hair, and was dressed when he disappeared, in black ribbed knee pants and jacket. He wore a new light bicycle cap and black shoes with pointed toes.

Wilson has light hair and eyes, sharp, features and was dressed in a gray mixed suit, gray golf cap, almost new black shoes with pointed toes.

SOCIALISTS NOMINATE.

Place Candidate for City Offices in the Field.

The Socialist Labor party met in Red Men's hall yesterday afternoon, and placed in nomination a ticket for the city election. George Gould was chairman of the meeting and James Bell, secretary. The following ticket was nominated: Mayor, Charles Burns; City Collector, Arthur Scott; City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell; Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto; Wm. C. VanNorden; Councilman, Third ward, Claus R. Wallander; Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr. No nominations were made for the First and Second ward.

Sociable at Trinity Church.

A sociable will be held at the Trinity Reformed church Friday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. A delightful musical and literary programme is being arranged, one of the features of which will be a ten-minute talk by Rev. C. E. Herring on his experience while cycling through Europe. The sociable is for the benefit of the music committee for the expenses of the choir next year.

Played Whist.

Miss Sadie Blimm, of Somerset street, entertained a few friends at her home Saturday evening. The playing of whist and dancing furnished the chief amusement. Those present were Miss Edith Hurlbut, Miss Martha Denahan, Miss Saidie Blimm, Miss Lou Crosson, Will Kitchen, Frank Vail and Will Morrison.

Odd Fellows Meet.

The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of New Jersey met last Wednesday and decided to divide this district, which includes eleven lodges, into two districts. The one which includes Plainfield will now have five lodges. Willaim Sammets, of Westfield, was appointed district deputy grand master of the district.

Accepted the Call.

Sometime ago the Unitarian Society extended a call to Rev. A. C. Nicholson, of Exeter, N. H. At the service yesterday morning Mr. Patton read a letter received from Mr. Nicholson, in which the latter accepted the call. He will enter upon his duties January 1st, 1897.

—A handsome deer is on exhibition at Smalley's meat market, on North avenue, and W. B. Wadsworth, of West Eighth street, shot the deer in Maine while on a hunting trip.

SPIRIT OF THANKSGIVING

REV. C. E. HERRING TELLS OF SOME OF OUR BLESSINGS.

The Benefits we Have Enjoyed in Church, Government and Society in the Pursuit of an Honest Life Tersely Reviewed.

Just at this season of the year when the minds of the people are turned toward Thanksgiving Day there are man things to be thankful for. At the First Presbyterian church last evening, Rev. C. E. Herring preached a sermonette on the subject: "Reasons for Thanksgiving This Year." It was an able discourse and will be found interesting reading. Mr. Herring said:

"There are certain definite reasons for Thanksgiving this year, which we shall do well to observe. Let us focus our minds on some of them. The discovery of Roentgen rays is proving to be of immense scientific benefit; surgery has made a wonderful stride in this discovery. Antitoxine has proved successful in the treatment of diphtheria. In international affairs there is a decided sentiment in favor of peace. Behring sea difficulties have been settled by arbitration. England and the United States are in favor of arbitration for the settlement of disputes. Lord Russell, Chief Justice of England, declared himself in favor of such arbitration. In National matters, we have passed through a most significant political campaign. Both sides have been intensely earnest, and though the defeated candidate has made a marvelous tour of the States, he and his party have submitted quietly to the will of the people. Utah has become a State without polygamy. Gambling has had placed upon it severer laws than heretofore in many States.

"In educational matters, a consolidated free library has been secured for New York by the union of three of her great libraries. Women are receiving better opportunities for learning. Russia has decided in favor of a woman's medical institute.

"The attempts to join Church and State have been defeated in the Indian Appropriation Bill.

In philanthropy, the English have been thoroughly aroused over the Turkish question. We remember with gratefulness the labors of Clara Barton and the Red Cross Army in Armenia. We rejoice in the fact that Dongola was so easily captured by the English and Egyptian troops, which indicates that Khartoum will soon be taken and that the Soudan will be under a civilized government. We rejoice to observe that the Negro is being treated with better grace, as illustrated by the St. Louis hotels opening their dining-halls to the Negro delegates to the Republican Convention.

'There is cause for Thanksgiving in the tendency to church unions for the propogation of the Gospel, in the fact that Li Hung Chang has given us his candid convictions that Christianity has been beneficent to China. The restrictions against the preaching of Christianity in the Chinese code are now removed. A consideration of these facts is sufficient to cause us to lift up our hearts in thanks giving to Almighty God for all His benefits."

Special Song Service.

A special song service was held at the Crescent Avenue church last evening, which was largely attended. Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., preached on the subject: "What can we learn of the manner of Heaven?" The choir rendered a number of selections.

The church itself presented a very beautiful appearance. There was an immense bank of chrysanthenums in pots in front of the pulpit and desk. They came from the greenhouses of Councilman S. A. Ginna.

Fair Opens Tonight.

The fair to be held this week under the auspices of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will open this evening in the Board of Trade building on East Second street, formerly occupied by the Crescent Wheelmen. Everything is now in readiness and all things point toward a successful fair.

Union Thanksgiving Services.

The union Thanksgiving Day services will be held in the First M. E. church and the Crescent Avenue church, at 10:30 o'clock, Thursday morning. Rev. Robert Lowry, D. D., will preach at the First M. E. church and Rev. J. W. Richardson at the Crescent Avenue church.

Big Sale of Seats.

The sale of reserved seat tickets for the production of "Caste" by amateur talent in the Casino on December 3d, was opened in Armstrong's drug store this morning. In the first fifteen minutes there were 116 seats sold.

—Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., will meet in regular session tomorrow evening.

HIS WIFE FAITHLESS.

HUGO KURZHALS INSTITUTES PROCEEDINGS FOR DIVORCE.

Found Her in Company With a Brother Barber in a Hotel in New York.—Misconduct Been Going on For Some Time.

Gossips of Westfield were considerably shocked by the announcement made late Friday afternoon that Hugo Kurzhals, formerly of this city, had taken the initial steps to secure a divorce from his wife, Laura. Winfield S. Angleman, of this city, has been retained, and has drawn up a bill to be filed in court. This was the first intimation that there was any trouble between the couple.

It now transpires that Kurzhals claims that he has for a long time suspected his wife. Kurzhals is proprietor of the high toned barber shop of the town, and has lived here for nine years. He has made considerable money, and a couple of years ago erected one of the finest business blocks in town. The Kurzhals couple had their home on the second floor of the block, and lived in comfortable style.

The man in the case is Charles Mitchell, a journeyman barber, who acted as Kurzhals' assistant a couple of years ago. Mitchell became friendly with his employer's wife, and as a result was discharged. He thereupon set up a rival barber shop, and succeeded in getting many of his former employer's wife. Both rode bicycles, and they met frequently and took bicycle rides together.

Kurzhals suspected that they were meeting in New York, and he set detectives to watch them. On Thursday Mrs. Kurzhals took an afternoon train for New York, and Mitchell left on the next train, followed by one of the detectives. Mrs. Kurzhals and Mitchell met in New York and went into the hotel at the corner of West and Liberty streets.

Kurzhals was summoned to the hotel by the detective, and found the couple together, and it was all his friends could do to prevent his doing them bodily injury.

Mrs. Kurzhals' maiden name was Laura Hegeman, and her former home was Asbury Park. She is slight and very pretty, is a member of the Westfield Baptist church, and since her residence there has been prominently identified with the W. C. T. U. and church work. Kurzhals has taken a prominent part in politics, is a member of the fire department and several societies.

Mrs. Kurzhals returned to town on Thursday night, and has been stopping with a friend.

When seen by a reporter Mitchell denied that there had been anything improper between him and Mrs. Kurzhals. He said that he met her by accident in New York Thursday, and invited her into the hotel to have some lunch and a glass of beer. She accepted the invitation, and when they were interrupted he left. He says that it is his intention to continue his business in town, and declares that the whole matter is the result of business jealousy on the part of his former employer, who is taking this method of injuring him.

Kurzhals has many friends in Westfield, and they have made vague threats that if Mitchell persisted in staying in town he might get roughly handled.

WHO ARE THE UNEMPLOYED?

Aid Association Say it is Not Always Best to Give Indiscriminately.

As winter approaches the problem of caring for the unemployed is again made prominent among the churches and charitable societies of Plainfield. It is well to bear in mind the fact that The Organized Aid Association makes a business of this subject. It employs the services of a trained agent and has all the machinery necessary to investigate and determine whether or not a person who seeks aid on the ground of poverty and lack of work is really worthy. It is but little less than a crime to give aid to a man or woman poor and out of work because of lazy or intemperate habits or by reason of extravagance. It does not follow that a person out of work with no money in his pocket is worthy of charity. An all important question is, what is this persons past record, and today is he poor and idle. The Organized Aid Association will cheerfully answer these questions for individuals, churches and societies. The office of the Association in the Relief building, West Front street and is open at all times.

Missionaries to Talk.

The Boys Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue church, will hold a meeting in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock, which will be addressed by two missionaries lately returned from India, Miss Street and Mrs. Alexander. The public general are invited to attend.

SERMON BY MRS. HOWE

THE NOTFD AUTHORESS TALKS OF THE LIFE OF PAUL.

Preached to a Large and Interested Congregation in All Souls Church Yesterday Morning—Her Uplifting Sentiments.

The rare opportunity of hearing Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, of Boston attracted a large number of people to the Unitarian church yesterday morning, when this distinguished literary woman preached an interesting and able sermon. The discourse was preceded with a fervent and eloquent petition to the throne of grace by Mrs. Howe. Her remarks were chiefly regarding Paul, as apostle of the Lord Jesus Christ Mrs. Howe spoke of the apostle's liberality to the Gentiles, which made the Gospel of Christ peculiarly adapted to all mankind. She said that in Paul's time there was much corruption among the people who were condemned to death for the slightest offence, and in these dark homes where crime prevailed suffering at times was more terrible than death. It was to these people at Ephesus, the speaker said, that Paul addressed his epistle, with the idea of lifting them up. It was not flesh and blood that had revealed the truth to these people but the Spirit of God. She urged all to receive the Holy Comforter and thus live better lives. Much of our time, Mrs. Howe said, was spent in darkness and ignorance, but no matter how poor we are we have the universe to study and from it we can learn much. She advanced the idea that we should not go back but treasure all possibilities. In closing the speaker urged all to secure freedom, justice and righteousness upon earth and thus be better prepared for the world to come.

The service closed with a few minutes silent prayer and the singing of a familiar hymn.

Many in the congregation remained to greet Mrs. Howe in person.

TALK OF THE ARMENIANS.

St. Joseph's Holy Name Society Hold Interesting Discussions.

The Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's church held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon in the basement of the church. There was a large attendance of the members. The meetings of the society are made interesting by literary entertainment provided by the members. During the year of the organization's existance this feature has been cultivated and the attempts have been very successful. All sorts of subjects are taken up and discussed. The following have been the subjects at the three previous meetings:

"The Monroe Doctrine," by Arthur R. Phillips; "Our Attitude Towards Cuba," by Edward Ryan; "Cause of the Hard Times," by David T. Kennedy. Each of these questions were ably handled and were thoroughly discussed after being presented by those who desired to take part. Yesterday Mr. James Hurley, Jr., reviewed the "Armenian Question." His remarks detailed the frightful massacres that have taken place, which have in this nineteenth century eclipsed anything the world has ever known. Rev. Father Miller also spoke on the same subject and deplored the condition of these unfortunate people, and the apparent inability of the European powers to abate the atrocities. He said our sympathies should go out to the suffering Armenians and that some means should be adopted to make their wholesale slaughter cease.

At the next meeting Father Miller will speak on 'Historic Battle Fields."

HIDDEN BOOTY FOUND.

Scotch Plains Church Communion Service Recovered.

The silver communion service, which was stolen from the Episcopal church in Scotch Plains on Thursday night, has been located. Two young men, named Wahl, of Westfield, were out hunting for rabbits on Friday, when they noticed a peculiar-looking package in the end of a sewer pipe, near Westfield. One of the young men dragged the package out, and at the same time out jumped a full grown rabbit. The hunters first dispatched the "cottontail" and then went back for the package, which they took home. When opened it was found to contain most of the stolen church property, all of which was turned over to Constable John M. C. Marsh, of Westfield. There was, of course, no clue that would lead to the identity or arrest of the criminal, yet the church was fortunate in getting back so valuable a set.

Silk to be Re-built.

Charles Burnett, the contractor, has started the work of rebuilding the silk mill at Sterling. The mill is to be completed at the earliest possible time as there are large orders which must be filled by the company.

LAMP FELL, THEN FIRE.

A LIVELY BLAZE ON SOMERSET STREET EARLY SUNDAY MORNING.

Justice Thomas Awoke to Find His Room Afire—Both Borough and City Fire Departments Turned Out Lively.

It was an exceedingly disastrous fire that broke out at 1.15 yesterday morning in the Justice of the Peace office of H. S. Thomas, on Somerset street, over Philip Maag's harness shop. Mr. Thomas recently took possession of the office for the purpose of carrying on his legal business. He had fitted up his office in a comfortable and suitable manner, with a desk stove, lounge and easy chairs. He also had a large and costly organ in his office, and much of his time outside of his business as a reporter for the News, was spent in his office, and as usual he stopped there Saturday evening at a late hour, to prepare a talk which he was going to give at the Washingtonville chapel last evening. While performing his work at a desk on which was placed a large lamp, he dropped off to sleep. Mr. Thomas does not remember how long he slept, but he was suddenly awakened at 1.15 by a heavy crash. In an instant he learned that he had knocked the lamp off the desk and the room was in a blaze. Hastily, without coat or hat, he ran to the corner of Pearl and Somerset streets and sent in an alarm of fire from Box 141. The bell rang fully ten minutes before the borough fire department put in an appearance. In the meantime Mr. Thomas run back to get his coat and hat. He ascended the stairs and found the room dense with smoke and the beat was almost unbearable. He went on, however, and by crawling on his hands and knees, and holding a handkerchief to his nose, he succeeded in getting the two articles. By the time he reached the street the department had two lines of hose were laid from Craig place.

Patrolman Flynn, of this city, was standing at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, and as the fire seemed be gaining considerable headway, he thought it advisable to pull Box 12, which was done at 1.25. The city department arrived at the same time the borough department. The former laid one line of hose from No. 1 hose carriage. The hook and ladder truck came in handy and several ladders were used to reach the upper part of the building. The firemen did great work in confining the flames to the office where it started. A considerable amount of water was used and the whole building was soaked. The roof over Martin's blacksmith shop was badly burned and the one over the office was entirely consumed as well as everything in the office excepting the stove and a portion of the organ.

Mr. Thomas had a few valuable payers in his desk which he saved, but his typewriter on top of the desk was about ruined. It was nearly an hour before the firemen finished their work. Nearly everything in J. E. Townsend's office, was soaked and he claims his damage to be $200. Mr. Thomas places his at $250 and no insurance. He and Mr. Maag were the only two in the building who had no insurance. Horace Martin had several bicycles in the room over his shop which were damaged, but his loss will be slight. Mr. Maag's damage is chiefly from water. Mr. Townsend's loss is heavy on account of the many handmade patterns he had, which were ruined, but the insurance will cover his loss.

On this side the chemical engine, hook and ladder truck and No. 1 hose carriage responded, but the chemical was not used. The borough firemen in charge of Chief Fairchild and his valuable assistants deserve credit for their work, which shows that they are ready for any call. They were ably assisted by Chief Doane, First Assistant Chief Martin and several firemen from this side. Mr. Thomas intends opening another office as soon as he can find one suitable and convenient.

At the time of the fire it was raining very hard and it was with difficulty that the firemen worked. The fire attracted a large crowd of people notwithstanding the lateness of the hour. Considering all things the borough department responded very quick, as they have many things to contend with which the Plainfield department have not.

Mrs. Brooke Resigns.

Mrs. Emily Banta Brooke, the talented soprano of the Crescent Avenue church, will sing her last in the choir next Sunday, her resignation taking effect on December 1st. It is expected that Miss Toffey will supply her place.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

THE DINGLEY BILL

Major McKinley's Advisers Say It Would Be Hard To Pass.

THE TALK OF AN EXTRA SESSION

Many Republican Congressmen Believe It Would Be Wise To Draft a New Tariff Law---Much Discussion on the Subject.

Canton, O., Nov. 23.—Major McKinley had a day of absolute rest yesterday. He took Mrs. McKinley out for a drive shortly after breakfast, returning in time to reach his church before the morning services began. Major McKinley went to church alone. There was a quiet family dinner party at the McKinley residence in the afternoon. Mother McKinley, Miss Helen McKinley and a sister of Mrs. Abner McKinley were present. The president-elect has been hearing a great deal from visiting congressmen in the last week about the tariff and an extra session of congress. He has talked with a good many congressmen about the Dingley bill and has had a good many letters on the subject. Most of the callers here think that it will not be an easy matter to pass the Dingley bill and that it would be better and wiser to have an extra session of congress for the purpose of drafting a new tariff law. A good many congressmen will be here within the next ten days and there will be a great deal more discussion on this subject in Canton. Congressman and Mrs. Bellamy Storrer of Cincinnati are among the guests expected at the McKinley residence today. Major McKinley said to-day that he expected to be in Canton on Thanksgiving day.

A GREAT PLEASURE PALACE.

Plans Under Way for the Construction of a Mammoth Kursaal at Niagara.

Buffalo, Nov. 23.—Col. George E. Gouraud has purchased the Cataract house at Niagara Falls and is also negotiating for the International hotel, on the sites of which it is proposed to erect a kursaal, or pleasure palace, on a scale never before attempted in this country. For this purpose a company will be formed. The structure as at present contemplated, will cost about $3,000,000. The details of the building as given out show that it will contain all the features of the great German watering places, such as Baden, and will be of the Louis Quinze style of architecture. There will be a huge tower of a height of four or five hundred feet, a great astronomical dome, and a huge convention hall. It will be a Monaco with the gambling left out, and a summer as well as a winter house, a sanitarium, a hotel, a palace. The electrical features are extremely novel and wonderful.

Middletown's Building Boom.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 13.—During the past year this city has had quite a building boom. About 100 single houses, St. Andrew's Episcopal and St. Paul's German Lutheran churches and a school building have been built and a new building at the hospital of the insane is nearly done. The school building cost $50,000 and the hospital will cost $50,000. In all over half a million dollars have been spent. Four new industries have been brought here. The prospects for building next year are even brighter.

Cullom's Chances for a Cabinet Berth.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—There is much talk among the republicans concerning Senator Cullom's possible promotion to the cabinet. The opinion that he may be recognized by McKinley is gaining ground, and a good many men are wondering who would be his successor in the senate. Ex-Gov. Fifer's name is the most prominently mentioned in this connection, but he says that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for the United States senate or any other elective office.

New National Bank for Rome, N. Y.

Rome, N. Y., Nov. 23.—A new national bank for this city, with a capital of $100,000, has been projected. One half of the stock has been subscribed by bankers in Washington. The Central National bank building here has been purchased for the new institution.

Foreign Bicycle Riders Coming.

New York, Nov. 23.—Twenty-five foreign bicycle riders, including Linton of England, Dubois of France and Hale of Ireland are now on their way to this country to compete in the bicycle events in this city next month.

Wire Nail Trust Collapses.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The great wire nail trust which has levied tribute on the people of the United States and Canada since June 1, 1895, has collapsed and will endeavor to wind up its affairs on December 1.

Acrobat Dunham Dead.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Howard Dunham, the acrobat who was injured in the spine while attempting a triple somersault in Barnum & Bailey's circus several days ago, is dead.

Farquhar To Wed an American Girl.

London, Nov. 23.—The morning Post says to-day that William, son of Admiral Sir Arthur Farquhar, is engaged to be married to Miss Marion, daughter of the late H. S. Peck of Chicago.

Canadian Fruit for the Queen.

London, Nov. 23.—The queen, who is now at Windsor castle, has received a gift of Canadian fruit. Her majesty was delighted with its color and flavor.

Death of an Old Maryland Lawyer.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 23.—Frank H. Stockett, aged 76 years, the oldest member of the Annapolis bar, died here last evening.

WEYLER ISN'T READY

Will Not Whip the Rebels Until After Christmas.

ENCAMPED NEAR SAN CRISTOBAL

The Spanish Commander Says He Believes the Insurgents Are Nearly Out of Ammunition---Satisfied with His Campaign.

Havana, Nov. 23.—After a somewhat lengthy silence Captain General Weyler has at last beed heard from and in an interview he expressed himself as being confident of soon putting an end to the insurrection. Gen. Weyler was interviewed in the Jaea camp, which is located near the town of San Cristobal, province of Pinar del Rio. He said, after declaring that he was satisfied with the operations that have been carried on up to the present time, that he believed the insurgents did not have in the hills supplies sufficient to last them for three more engagements. After these engagements had occurred it would be easier to estimate the resources of the rebels, but he believed that it would then be found that the ammunition of the insurgents was exhausted. He added that he had still fifteen or twenty days' work to perform at the camp to complete his preparations for an advance on the rebels, but that he would wait until after Christmas before he moved his troops forward. Then he would strike a fatal blow at the insurrection. When questioned concerning the position of Maceo, the rebel leader, Gen. Weyler answered: "The last news I received about him located him south of the Western railway (on which San Cristobal is located). He is unwilling to meet our columns even when his forces are in good positions. We will see."

This indicates that so far the results of the campaign of Gen. Weyler are still in the future. Maceo is apparently following his old tactics of drawing the Spaniards as far as possible into the hills from their base of supplies, when, by dividing his forces into small commands, he will be able to continually harrass them with guerrilla tactics, for which they have no liking. Some distance to the west of San Cristobal are mountain passes where a comparatively few rebels would be able to hold their own against any force that Spain could send against them, and it is thought that Gen. Weyler will not meet the elusive Maceo until he comes upon him unexpectedly in some of these mountain fastnesses.

Insult to Spanish Flag.

London, Nov. 23.—A dispatch to the Central News from Madrid says that the Duke of Tetuan, minister of foreign affairs, has cabled to Senor De Lome, Spanish minister to the United States, to make an energetic protest to the American government against the insult recently offered to the Spanish flag at Newcastle, Del.

Heard of Weyler's Defeat.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 23.—Captain Hopkins of the steamer Beta, which arrived here last night from Havana, says he heard of Gen. Weyler's recent defeat by the Cubans before he sailed for Halifax last Sunday. The Spaniards attributed the disaster to a blunder committed by another Spanish general.

Destroyed Rebels' Crops

Madrid, Nov. 23.—A dispatch received here to-day from Havana, states that it is reported that Gen. Weyler has occupied several insurgent positions in the province of Pinar del Rio and destroyed the crops the rebels were raising. The dispatch adds that Gen. Weyler continues to pursue the rebels.

Death of W. A. Mestayer.

New York, Nov. 23.—After several months' severe illness, W. A. Mestayer died at his home in this city Saturday night of Bright's disease. Mr. Mestayer, after several years' work at the California theatre in San Francisco with the late John McCollough, came to New York under an engagement with Edward E. Rice, and played under his management in all the principal burlesques produced by that manager for several years.

Indiana's Official Vote.

Indianapolis, Nov. 23.—The expert accountant employed in the office of the secretary of state in making the footings upon the election returns has finished his work. The total vote at the last election was 637,259. They show the following pluralities: McKinley, for president, 17,978; Mount, rep., for governor, 26,177.

Leesville, Conn., Waterfall Harnessed.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 23.—East Hampton village, east of here on the Air Line, has established an electric light plant, getting the power from a waterfall at Leesville, five miles away. Power will also be furnished the Bell factories. The same company will run wires to Moodus and Marlborough.

School Funds in a Wrecked Bank.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 23.—Four thousand dollars belonging to St. Mary's school of this city are locked up in the wrecked Sullivan County Savings institution of Claremont. John L. Farwell, who was cashier of the savings bank, was treasurer of St. Mary's school.

Montana's Vote Complete.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 23.—Official returns on the late election have been received from all the counties in Montana and give Byran 43,680 votes; McKinley, 10,490. McKinley had a majority in two counties, Custer and Dawson.

Mexican Ambassador to Spain Dead.

Madrid, Nov. 23.—Gen. Riva Palacio, the Mexican ambassor to Spain, is dead.

JUSTICE IN ALABAMA.

Why a Prisoner Was Declared "Not Guilty."

A Jacksonville broker, while traveling in the Alabama mountains, was invited by a friend, a local judge, to attend the trial of a "cracker" for shooting a darky, and, the prisoner having no money to hire a lawyer, the judge appointed the broker to defend him, allowing that if the broker was not a lawyer, "he was an idiot because he wasn't one"—a judgment amply supported by his conduct of the case, says the San Francisco Argonaut. The broker cross-examined the witness briefly, sending in now and then a discomfiting trajectory. When he came to make a speech, he said: "Gentlemen of the jury, I have taken great pains to show you that my client was a respectable citizen. Ten witnesses have asserted—on oath, mind you—that he stands high in his community." The defendant was six feet three inches tall and the jury smiled. "He stood high in his community, and that is sufficient. Now, for the law. We find in the thirteenth verse of the sixteenth chapter of 'Chitty on Pleadings'—Chitty, gentlemen, was one of the bravest generals in the confederate army—this well-established principle of law." Here the broker adjusts his glasses, holds the book far off, elevates his chin and reads: "'No respectable white man can be guilty of crime.' That, gentlemen, is enough. I leave the case in your hands."

Each juror changed his quid, looked at his neighbor, nodded and, without leaving their seats, they rendered a loud and emphatic verdict of "Not guilty," and then, joined in three cheers for the defendant and his lawyer.

THEY WERE KIN.

But the Traveler Did Not Care to Inquire Too Closely.

"The best joke I ever heard was on me," said J. D. Buford to a Washington Star reporter.

"I was in Wise county, Va., in the heart of the mountains, in the southwestern part of the old dominion. I am a Virginian, and in common with all loyal Virginians, claim kinship to every one of my name in the state. The landlord saw my name on the register.

"'So yo' name's Buford?' he said.

"'Yes.'

"'Uster be sum Bufords hyar.'

"'Well, they must have been relations. My family are all Virginians.'

"'Yaas. Yo' do favor 'em. Reckon yo' all air kin. Yo' look jess like Dave.'

"'My father's name was Dave.'

"'Thar war three, Bob, John an' Dave.'

"'I have uncles by those names. They are family names.'

"'Yo' sho' air kin. I thought so, minit I looked at yo'.'

"'You say the Bufords moved away?'

"'Not zackly.'

"'I thought you said they used to live here?'

"'Thet's what I sed. Yo' see, John an' Dave was Bob's sons. Th' ole man was gwine ter marry agin, so th' boys wouldn' git th' little propity th' ole man had, an' they killed 'im, so we hung John an' Dave.'

"I did not trace the relationship or the family resemblance any farther."

SHE CHANGED IT.

But the New Subject Was as Objectionable to Him as the Old One.

He threw his newspaper on the floor and waved both hands over his head, while his clinched teeth refused to give exit to the remarks which seemed struggling to come out, says the Detroit Free Press.

"What's the matter, Orlando??" his wife exclaimed, although with less agitation than the situation seemed to warrant, for she was used to his ways.

"Every time I am reminded of it," he muttered, in a voice which shook, "I am filled with indignation."

"Every time you think of what, Orlando?"

"Of the way Europe gets our money. Our heiresses marry noblemen. European actors and singers come over her and ship money home in barrels. They take it in so fast they're too busy to count it. The outflow of wealth from this country is something awful."

"Well, Orlando, I suppose it's pretty bad. But did you know that you haven't had the leaky faucet in the kitchen attended to yet?"

"That is not the topic under consideration," he exclaimed, savagely.

"Not exactly. But you know, dear, you aren't going to have nearly as much trouble with the outflow of money as you will with the outflow from that faucet if they find out about it and make you pay a fine for wasting water."

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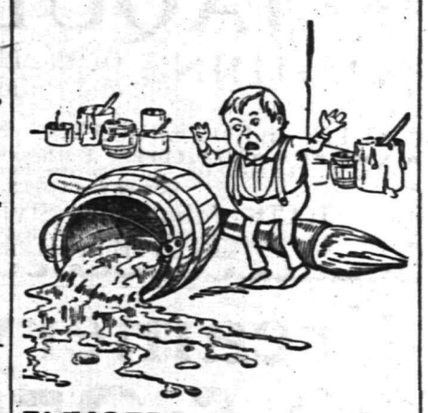

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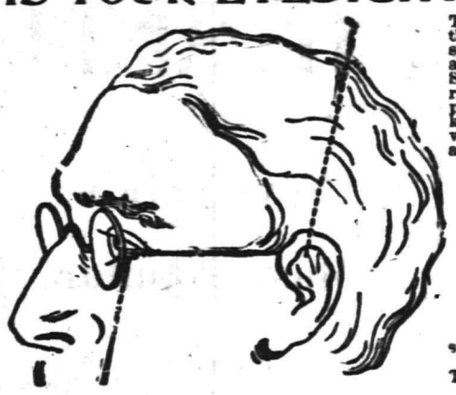

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LOCUSTS IN ARGENTINA.

A Vast Amount of Destruction Wrought by the Pests.

Panama, Nov. 23.—The invasion of locusts in the interior of Argentina is the most formidable since 1851. In passing over Paysandu they clouded the sky for several hours. In the Queguay, camps they covered an area of seven leagues by four, while other clouds gradually covered up the rest of the department, eating up everything green, even to the thistles. Trees broke down under their weight. In the Porvenir colony not a a single plant remained with leaves. One thousand five hundred square miles of wheat land were cleared in a few hours. The locusts impeded the progress of the Midland railway trains, clogging the line and the wheels with their bodies. Two engines had to be attacked to every train.

TO AID IRELAND.

Government Decides Upon the Establishment of an Agricultural Board.

London, Nov. 23.—The government has decided upon the immediate formation of a board of agriculture for Ireland. The sums required under the bill will be considerable. Whether they will have any relation to the claims of Ireland arising from the report of the financial commission that she is overtaxed to the extent of £2,500,000 yearly is as yet known only to the chiefs of the treasury. While the leading permanent heads of the treasury concur in estimating that Ireland has long been overtaxed, they say that the yearly amount is not nearly so great as the sum stated by the committee.

SENATOR VOORHEES DYING.

"The Tall Sycamore of the Wabash" Can Live But a Short Time.

Indianapolis, Nov. 23.—One of Senator Voorhees' physicians is authority for the statement that the senator is sufferiug from progressive paralysis, that he will never again be seen in Washington and that the question of death is a matter of but a very short time.

Chief Justice Long's Pension.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 23.—Chief Justice Long of the supreme court denies the report sent out from Washington to the effect that by applying to Commissioner Murphy for the restoration of his old pension he has abandoned the fight waged against Commissioner Lochren. As the old case died with Lochren's retirement, it was necessary to make application to the new commissi ner and get his ruling before any further steps could be taken. Should Murphy decide against him, the courts will again be appealed to.

Death of Judge Mann.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—Judge W. Grayson Mann, who died Saturday night at his home in this city, aged 64 years, was a distinguished man of letters, linguist, lawyer and diplomat, but had long been in private life. His father, A. Dudley Mann, negotiated the first reciprocity treaty for the United States as first assistant secretary of state under President Buchanan and was the first diplomatic commissioner of the confederacy to the European powers, being accredited to thirty-nine German principalities.

Lynching Threatened.

Liberty, Mo., Nov 23.—The coroner's jury investigation in the murder of Mrs. Betty Foley and her daughter on Tuesday last returned a verdict Sunday morning and William Foley was arrested charged with the murder of his mother and sister. Excitement is intense and a lynching is threatened. Officers will take Foley to Kansas City.

Couldock Leaves the Stage.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 23.—C. W. Couldock, who on Saturday evening left the stage forever and ended his theatrical career, is the oldest actor on the American or English stage, being 83 years of age, fifty-nine of which he has passed on the boards.

100,000 Pounds of Turkey Coming East.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 23.—The Chesapeake & Ohio railroad sent out a special train last night containing five cars loaded with nearly 100,000 pounds of Thanksgiving turkeys for Boston, New York and Philadelphia markets.

Shipwrecked Sailors Reach Port.

New York, Nov. 23.—Among the passengers of the steamer Italia, which arrived yesterdny from Genoa, etc., were three of the crew of the British bark Udsire, before reported abandoned at sea.

Appointed by the President.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The president has appointed Andrew Kirkpatrick to be United States district judge for the district of New Jersey.

WILLIAM IS INCENSED

Audacious Speeches in the Reichstag Anger the Emperor.

WOULD LIKE TO CONTROL DEBATES

Dueling in the German Army—Russia Once More Blocks the Way of the Powers in Dealing with the Porte.

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Berlin, Nov. 23.—The audacity of the radical and socialist speeches in the reichstag, especially those delivered in the course of the Brusewitz debate by Herren Lenzanna and Bebel have greatly incensed the emperor and government officials generally, who hold that Baron von Buol-Berenberg, president of the reichstag, ought to have restrained the opposition from using language personally offensive to the emperor and his ministry. It is reported that the emperor on the eve of his departure for Kiel had a protracted conference with Prince Hohenlohe, the imperial chancellor, in regard to the position of the various parties in the reichstag with a view of establishing a better control of interpellation debates. The present party of the centre in the reichstag, through the cohesion of its members, dominates the chamber and can always, without directly attacking the government, greatly embarrass the ministry. The conservatives and national liberals, although willing supporters of the government, are greatly at a disadvantage in lacking the unification and leadership of the centrists.

Military Contests of Honor.

The Cologne Gazette in an article pointing out the danger of allowing the reichstag to submit to the tactics of the centrist leaders appeals to the conservatives and national liberals to sink their differences upon agrarian and other questions and rally to the support of the government, which has already been twice assailed within the first fortnight of the present session through the machinations of the centrists upon the questions of the Bismarck revelations and the practice of dueling in the army. In connection with the latter question a committee of officers has been appointed to submit a report upon the regulations of military courts of honor, the committee having held three meetings since the delivery of Prince Hohenlohe's speech In reply to the radical interpellation on Tuesday. The emperor has asked the committee to expedite its report, and has sent to that body a draft of suggestions which it is understood embodies a recognition of conscience principle laid down by the prince regent of Bavaria, who has decreed that hereafter officers refusing to fight duels upon the ground that they are opposed to the principle of dueling must not be compelled to resign from the army as has hitherto been the rule. The leaders of the radical faction in the reichstag are watching the developments of the matter, and as a result have reached the conclusion that the instructions of the prince regent will not become strictly operative in any corps of the army of Germany, holding that any officer declining to fight a duel, though he may not be formally expelled, will become a social outcast.

Russia Blocks the Way.

The keynote of the arrangements of the porte with a view of preserving the status quo of Turkey proves to be the financial plans of the directors of the Ottoman bank. Each power acting in the nominal concert of the powers is doubtless playing its own game, but for the present the question of obtaining fresh supplies of money rules the decisions of the sultan. Sir Edgar Vincent, governor of the Imperial Ottoman bank, was in Berlin prior to his going to Vienna for the purpose of conferring with the members of the Vienna syndicate, and while here he saw representatives of the leading German financiers to whom he proposed the raising of a Turkish 3 per cent. loan upon the conversion of the old debts and the general guarantee of the powers, proposing also a scheme of a Russian delegate. Since M. Nelidoff, Russian ambassador to Turkey, has arrived at St. Petersburg, Sir Edgar Vincent has learned that the czar is uncertain about the appointment of a Russian delegate upon the Turkish debt commission, the claims of Russia upon the finances of Turkey being superior to all other considerations. The sum of the matter is that Russia once more blocks the way of the powers in dealing with the porte.

Venezuelan Envoy to England.

London, Nov. 23.—The foreign office is informed that a new Venezuelan envoy is about to come to London. He will be accredited as the regular minister as soon as the difficulties between Great Britain and Venezuela have been definitely adjusted.

Caught Twenty-three Whales.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—The whaling steamer Beluga, which has arrived here from the north, has on board the largest catch of the season. She caught twenty-three whales and had 37,000 pounds of bone and 730 barrels of oil.

Prince Joseph To Sue for Divorce.

Paris, Nov. 23.—Prince Joseph of Chimay and Caraman, Belgium, whose wife, formerly Mrs. Ward of Detroit, Mich., has eloped with a Hungarian gypsy musician, will immediately bring a suit for divorce.

Ohio's First Electoral Execution.

Cincinnati, Nov. 23.—William Haas, who has been convicted of murdering his wife and sentenced to death, will be the first victim of the electrical chair in Ohio.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., NOV. 23, 1896.

COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 23—Illustrated Lecture in Crescent Avenue church. Evening.
Nov. 23—Lecture by Rev. C. R. Barnes in First M. E. church.
Nov. 23—Jr. O. U. A. M. Fair opens in Board of Trade building on East Second street.
Nov. 24—Union Thanksgiving services in Crescent Avenue and First M. E. churches, at 10:30 a. m.
Nov. 25—Parliamentary Club meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building. Morning.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	George O. Stevens
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com'rs of Appeal—	For Com'rs of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

The constitutional amendments which were passed last winter will come up for final consideration in the Legislature in January next. They are:

To give women the right to vote in school elections.

To provide for biennial sessions of the Legislature, the Governor and Senators to serve four years instead of three, and Assemblymen two years instead of one.

To prohibit pool-selling or gambling in any form.

Providing that no person nominated by the Governor and not confirmed by the Senate shall be eligible for appointment to the same office during the recess.

Making the Court of Pardons consist of the Governor, the presiding Judge of the Supreme Court, and the Attorney-General.

Providing for a Supreme Court of fifteen members, five to form the Court of Appeals, to be assigned by the Governor, and the remainder to be divided between law and equity courts, assignments to be made by the court.

'Rah for the Tigers.

President Cleveland has appointed Andrew Kirkpatrick, of Newark, United States Judge for the district of New York.

It is sometimes the most unexpected that happens in politics, and this is how it was when James E. Martine was nominated for Mayor on the Democratic ticket Saturday night. Mr. Martine led the Democrats into the fight and when no other available candidate could be found to head the ticket, the Farmer Orator was not the man who would sulk in camp and let the contest go by default. Mr. Martine's personal popularity will doubtless bring him many votes and materially help to reduce the big plurality the Republicans start out with. Taken as politics go, the two parties have put forth their strongest men for the Mayoralty honors.

A Special Church Service.

A special Thanksgiving meeting was held last evening by the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church. The programme was a novel one, but proved very interesting and helpful. Rev. C. L. Goodrich acted as leader and made a few introductory remarks. Stacy Raynolds read an account of the first Thanksgiving Day and how it was remembered. Miss Strong read a very pretty poem entitled "Thanksgiving." Three short Thanksgiving stories were then read by Miss Anna Manktelow, Miss Mary Chase and Robert Suffern. There was a duet by the Misses Emma and Agnes La Boyteaux, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. A. C. La Boyteaux The meeting was largely attended.

—Services in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, on Thanksgiving Day at eleven o'clock.

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How to Prevent Croup

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Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Rudolph Spiegel, of the Crescent Hotel, has recovered from a severe illness.

Louis Chase, of East Front street, is home from Yale University for a few days.

George Schaefer, of West Second street, spent Sunday with friends in Brooklyn.

Thomas Quinn, of Park avenue, has been confined to his home for a week with illness.

Asa Collier, of East Sixth street, has returned from a business trip to Providence.

Miss Lucy Boss, of Central avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Lebanon.

Mrs. John Gifford, formerly Mrs. E. D. McCarthy, has returned from her trip to Europe.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, spent Sunday with relatives in Morris Plains.

Fred Breem, of the fire department, has returned from a pleasant visit with Brooklyn friends

Charles Gifford, of Brooklyn, was the guest yesterday of David Krymer, of West Second street.

Freeholder Andrew Lutkins and wife, of Somerset street, spent Sunday at Oradell, Bergen county.

F. M. Hulett, formerly of this city, but now of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., is the guest of Plainfield friends.

Mrs. Julia Lytle and Mrs. Mabel Miller, of Newark, were in Plainfield, Saturday, visiting friends.

—It will do you good to become personally acquainted with those fashionable kid gloves at Peck's.

Driver George Fiering, of the fire department, was off duty yesterday suffering with a severe attack of neuralgia.

Mrs. H. E. Cox, of Racine, Wis., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. King, of West Second street, for the past week.

John D. VanDorn, of Franklin Park, is in town visiting his daughter-in law, Mrs. Charles VanDorn, of Stebbins place.

The engagement of Miss Bessie E. Titsworth, of West Seventh street, and Frank J. Hubbard, of West Fifth street, is announced.

G. F. Opdye and family, who have been spending the last few months at Lakewood, will return to their home, 210 Eighth street, today.

Clarence Vandeventer, of East Fifth street, left Saturday morning on a business trip through the New England States. He will be absent sometime.

Thomas Clark, a veteran of the late war and husband of Mrs. Clark, the janitress at the North Avenue station, is very ill and all hopes of his recovery are given up.

Mrs. Gilbert Lytell, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mabel Rockfellow, both of Newark, are spending a few days with their cousin, Mrs. George Vroom, of Somerset street.

Superintendent Warde, of the North Plainfield Public High School, will attend the Teachers' Institute this week, after which he will visit his mother for a few days at her home, in Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson, of La-Grande avenue, arrived home on Friday evening from a ten days trip to St. Louis, where she has been attending the W. C. T. U. National Convention.

Irving I. Ross, the Westfield correspondent of the Elizabeth Daily Journal, has accepted a position with the N. Y. and N. J. Telephone Company, as special agent in the Elizabeth and Plainfield district. He will still continue his relationship with the Journal.

Ladies, Take Off Your Hats.

The third lecture in the University Extension Course will be delivered in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The subject will be the "Moon" and it is understood that the lecture will be illustrated by various beautiful stereopticon views. It has been suggested that as the floor of the chapel is level and all present will be very desirous of seeing the views distinctly, that all the ladies will confer a great favor by following the example set by a few last Tuesday evening and remove their picturesque but obstructive hats.

—Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, meet tomorrow evening.

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FARMER JIM FOR MAYOR

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made his first motion someone asked his reason for doing so and he answered that it was because Mr Stevens was a gold man.

The chairman was authorized to appoint a committee to fill vacancies and he appointed Michael J DeCourcy, Edward C. Searing and Frank M. Bacon.

Mr. Martine then made a few remarks, thanking the convention for the honor they had conferred on him. He thought the municipal government should be under home rule, by the people who spent most of their time in this city. If he was elected, he said, he had no pledges to make, but would try to make the government economical and honest, and not one starting in club cars and private clubs.

After taking up a collection for Janitor Hope the meeting adjourned, while some of the delegates continned their argument in the hall.

J. J. Kenny refused to accept the nomination for member of the Board of Education and John Cory was named in his place.

THEATRICAL.

Manager Willey has booked two great attractions for next month. James A. Herne in "Shore Acres" comes December 7th, and Rice's new "Evangeline," fresh from New York, December 10th. The following week he has Corse Payton's Comedy Company, the finest repertoire show on the road.

Manager Willey has been fortunate in securing for Thanksgiving matinee and night the latest New York success entitled, "McFadden's Reception," the funniest three-act musical comedy on the stage today, headed by Messrs. Foster & Williams, the "Beau Brummels" of comedians. They also present as an extra attraction Brannan and Daly, the greatest hit of years in New York, in their original characters, Dr. Parkhurst and Com. Roosevelt. The company has been pronounced by press and public to be the funniest of all farce comedies.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Try W. W. Warnock's all-wheat bread.

—Cypress Commandery of Colored Masons meet this evening.

—The Oriental Council of Crescent Division, No. 13, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, initiated three candidates in the Oriental degree on Friday evening.

—An entertainment will be given in Grace M. E. church next Thursday evening by a magician. All Sunday-school scholars of the church will be admitted free, but all others will be charged a small admission fee.

—The grand masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club takes place Wednesday (Thanksgiving Eve) in the Plainfield Cycle Academy. Everything connected with the affair will be first-class, and all who attend will be assured of a good time.

—"Judge" Wm. B. Green, who appears at the Y. M. C. A. entertainment on Thanksgiving night, has had in seven seasons 385 engagements in Brooklyn alone. Miss Kathryn Krymer, the contralto of Dr. Madison C. Peter's church, New York, will render solos.

—The great sale of wall papers at Edward Love's, corner of North and Watchung avenues, still continues very popular. There is to be found an immense variety of wall papers at prices from three cents a roll for dainty bedroom papers to $2 a roll for fine grades of goods. There is a selection to choose from to suit the slimmest purse, or a selectiod to be made equal to Fifth avenue stores in New York.

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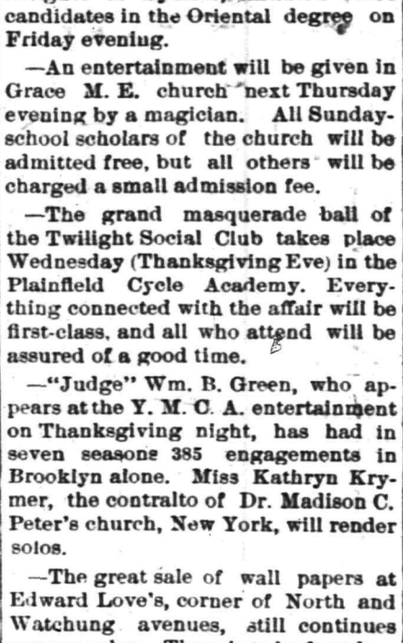

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TRANSFERS AND CONTRACTS.

Plainfield Matters Recorded in the County Clerk's Office.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in Union County Clerk Howard's office from November 12th to 18th inclusive:

Job Male et ux, Plainfield, to Methea K. Mathiasen, Colborne, Northumberland, Can., lot, Carleton avenue, Plainfield, $1; Watson Whittlesley to Elizabeth Overland, Plainfield, lots 40 and 41, block A, Netherwood, $180; Jackson Jaques et ux to William A. Hunt, Rahway, lot Hazlewood avenue, $4,000; Thos. F. McCormick, special master, to Mary E Clark, tract, New Providence, $560; Arthur L. Ingalls to Charles L. Moffett, Plainfield, lot Second street, $800; Walter S. Arthur to David Arthur, Jr., Plainfield, lot West Fifth street, $1; John V. Berkaw to Luther D. Morris, Plainfield, lot Second street, $1; Luther D. Morris et ux to Mary Jane Berkaw, Plainfield, lot Second street, $1; George M. Phillips, Plainfield, to Lucy Warington, 2 tracts, Martine avenue, Plainfield, $1; Lucy Warington to Susannah H. Phillips, Plainfield, 2 tracts, Martine avenue, $1; Rudolph Kersting et ux to Henry Liefke, Plainfield, lot Webster place, $1; Mary A. Tweddle, Plainfield, to Juanita Tweddle, Lima, Peru, lot West Seventh street, Plainfield, $1.

The following contracts were filed from November 12th to 18th inclusive:

John F. McIntyre with Bryant R. King, carpenter, Plainfield, 2½-story house, Kensington avenue, $2,630; Daniel F. Dugan, Plainfield, with Herman Hansen, North Plainfield, carpenter, mason, etc., 3 2-story buildings, La-Grande avenue, $3,100; John F. McIntyre with Wm. C. Smith, 2½-story brick and frame house, Kensington avenue, $920; Edward C. Clark, Plainfield, with Pearson & Gayle, mason, addition to house, Crescent avenue, Plainfield.

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NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Miss Maud Bolton, of Somerville, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Phillip Harmon, on Front street.

The house occupied by Mrs. John Kenny, on High street, is being freshened with a coat of paint.

Mrs. Bowlsby, of Washington avenue, has been a recent guest of Plainfield friends.

Watson C. Emory has been awarded the contract for setting out 1,200 feet of hedging on the W. E. Hyer property, near here, in addition to some 500 trees and plants which have recently been planted there.

Mrs. J. W. Griggs, of North avenue, has returned from a two-weeks visit with friends in New York and Jersey City.

The evangelistic services, which are now in progress in the M. E. church here, are attracting large audiences. Rev. J. L. Glascock, the evangelist, is meeting with marked success in winning souls to Christ, and the coming week, it is thought, will be a memorable one in the history of the Dunellen churches.

Postmaster Staats is regaining his health, but the weather for the past few days has been very much against him.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dent, of the New Market road, have removed to Newark for the winter.

Rev. M. Male, of Trenton, preached a forcible sermon in the Seventh-day Baptist church at New Market Saturday morning.

The Dunellen electric light service is now giving better satisfaction than it has for a long time past, and the residents who have on many occasions gone home in total darkness, now rise up and proclaim "Amen."

John Scott had a valuable horse taken suddenly ill with wind colic on Saturday.

B. F. McGovern has been canvassing several counties in Pennsylvania during the past week in search of game, but it was not so plentiful as might have been expected. But like most sportsmen he did not care to return home empty-handed, so when he was about to start for home he went out and shot a farmer's six-weeks old pig, which came to Dunellen on the same train with him. Mr. McGovern's Thanksgiving Day dinner to his friends will be stuffed pig with oyster attachments. Dinner will be served at high noon.

There is perhaps no more popular resident in the borough than Station Agent Charles English. Kind and courteous to the patrons of the Central Railroad, and with a thorough knowledge of railroad matters, he has won the esteem of the commuters in general and the community at large.

George Trust spent $1.67 car fare to go to Junction and return, hunting, on Saturday. He returned at night with one homeless rabbit. But the weather was bad and the cottontails stayed in the house that day.

Engineer John McCall, who has for many years run the 5:30 a. m. train to New York, has been granted a leave of absence for a few days, and Extra Engineer Barney Flynn, of Annandale, is running in his place. Wm. Sayers has accompanied Mr. McCall on a pleasure trip to Pennsylvania.

Dunellen seems to be having a siege of fires and alarms. Between eight and nine o'clock Sunday morning, an alarm was sounded and as usual the department responded promptly but when they arrived at the scene of action, there services were not needed as the fire had been put out by neighbors. The fire was in the new house of Charles Staples, and it originated in the dummy shaft. Mrs. Staples had finished polishing the kitchen stove and rag saturated with oil had been thrown down an elevator shaft, where in some unaccountable manner it took fire.

Friends here have been notified to the effect that Judge and Mrs. Storms, of New Market, have arrived safe and sound in Mexico, where they have gone to visit their son, who is a wholesale produce dealer there. During Judge Storms' absence, which will probably be until spring, Judge Luckey will look after his legal dockets.

Watson Emory, who has recently purchased a lot near Taylor's Hotel, is setting out a lot of evergreen trees. He is also having plans drawn for the erection of a new house on the lot early in the spring.

The Thanksgiving Day services in Dunellen will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday morning next.

Mrs. John Y. Barrett and Miss Sadie Barrett have returned from a visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Wm. G. Holton Council, No. 55, Jr., O. U. A. M., will meet in regular session next Tuesday evening, when it is expected some new candidates will present themselves for initiation. The order now has 92 members and is rapidly increasing.

Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer, of Church street, is ill at home with a cold, but her condition is not considered serious.

E. E. Brown is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Benner, at Elizabeth.

Two football teams, one captained by Fred Wilcox and the other by Will Giles, were scheduled for a match game on the grounds here this afternoon. Both teams are composed of young players, and they usually put up a good game.

B. F. McGovern went to Washington, N. J., today on business.

John Huff has gone to Martinsville on a hunting trip, and Jacob Snell is looking after the express business.

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SCOTCH PLAINS.

William E. Bacon, of Haverstraw, N. Y., is spending a few days with Mr and Mrs. John H. Blimm at their popular hotel here.

It is stated upon good authority that if the street railway service is extended to Scotch Plains this coming winter and spring some half a dozen new houses will be erected there. Plans are now out for two new dwelling houses, and the advent of the trolley will undoubtedly be the means of constructing more.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blimm will on Saturday afternoon next join a party of New York friends in a theatre party to the well-established Lyceum Theatre.

James E. Boyle, who has been in charge of the mountain crusher near here, will start tomorrow for a month's trip through New York State, and he will also include the south and west in his trip.

Dr. Coles, it is understood, is about to remodel a building here for the use of the Young Men's League, and as soon as the building is completed there will be a formal opening.

A. D. Shepard has a white pouder pigeon almost as large as a turkey. It is the admiration of all who have seen it.

Baron Clark and George Baldwin are back from a four-days hunting trip in Monmouth county. Their total catch could be figured up on their fingers, for it was four squirrels, one snipe, two ducks and a tame turkey. They did not bother with rabbits, simply because they found none to bother with.

Harry Hawkins, H. N. Knowles and F. F. Knowles, of Newark, rode to the Plains, Plainfield and back on bicycles, yesterday, and they reported the roads very good for this time of the year. It was the anticipation of the riders to go to New Brunswick and return via Rahway, but the days are getting short so they rode only as far as Plainfield.

A horseshoer, whose name is withheld at present, and who left Ben Elliott's employ on Saturday night after breaking up tongs, drills, etc., is now wanted by the authorities on a charge of malicious mischief. A warrant is out for the man's arrest, and it is thought to be only a matter of a short time before he will be apprehended.

Chairman Turton, of the Young Men's League of Fanwood Township, has called a meeting for Monday evening next, to make final arrangements for the entertainment which is to be given on the evening of November 28th. The entertainment committee consists of W. H. Turton, chairman; Frank R. Allen, Edwin Fancher, George Clark and W. R. Buckley. The league now has some fifty-five active members, with twenty-five additional names not yet acted upon.

Charles P. Cooper and Dr. Montanus, of Brooklyn, were out visiting Edward L. Hand Friday and during the day made a tour of the mountain in search of game. They knocked over one rabbit and, although "Dr." Layton piloted them over about thirteen miles of unimproved shrubbery, that's all they got. That rabbit is to be mounted as a lasting memento of their trip to Jersey.

Messrs. J. McCarthy, T. Leary and J. O'Brien, from Berckley Heights, who have been driving around the State on a pleasure trip, spent Sunday at Blimm's Hotel. They are a jolly lot of fellows, and drive a team with a 2:36 record.

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—The Grocers' Protective Association will hold their regular meeting this evening.

—There will be a meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., tomorrow evening.

—An important meeting of Plainfield Council, No. 711, R. A., will be held this evening.

—A. I. and N. B. Smalley started Saturday to plow up Mountain avenue for macadamizing.

—The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will meet Monday evening, Nov. 30th.

—A regular communication of Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., will be held tomorrow evening.

—The T. A. B. Society will meet tonight in their hall on West Fourth street. A full attendance is desired.

—The Parliamentary Club will hold a meeting Wednesday, when a programme of interest will be presented.

—A very pretty duet was rendered at the First Baptist church yesterday morning by Miss Harris and William Holmes.

—The Plainfield Camera Club will hold an important business meeting this evening in their rooms in the Babcock building.

—The best thing to stand on in wet weather is a pair of cork sole shoes. Crane & Clark, of 120 West Front street, have a dandy.

—An important meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held this evening. All members are requested to be present.

—At the meeting of Mizpah Lodge, No. 1, U. O. of I. O. L., to be held this evening, matters of interest to every member will be discussed.

—It is not expected that the new home for the matron of the hospital will be completed this year, though the work is being rapidly pushed forward.

—There will be an illustrated lecture on mission work in Africa at the Crescent Avenue church tonight for the benefit of the Sunshine Mission Band.

—At the First Baptist church yesterday morning Rev. Dr. Yerkes preached an excellent sermon. His discourse was along the lines of home mission work.

—Any one who desires to get a good dinner on Thanksgiving Day can do so by attending the fair of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M.

—Tomorrow evening the Junior Epworth League of Monroe Avenue chapel will hold an entertainment, and among the attractions is George O. Stevens, who will sing.

—The committee having in charge the Christmas celebration of the First Baptist church Sunday-school, met yesterday afternoon to talk over the plans for the holiday festivities.

—The members of the Unitarian Society have received an invitation to attend special services to be held at the Church of the Messiah, New York city, next Sunday evening, and many will probably attend.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Crescent Avenue church will hold a social on Monday, November 30th. The entertainment will be given by an instrumental quintette from the University of New York.

—At the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, last Friday night, resolutions of condolence were passed to Charles A. Lindnark, of Manson place, for the recent loss of his wife and children.

—"Judge Green," the reciter and story teller, who is to appear in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course, Thanksgiving evening, has been engaged by the Manhattan Athletic Club seven times, and five times by the Seventh Regiment, of New York city. He is immense.

—The subject of William D. Murray's Bible Class to be held Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building, is, "Paul the Convert; (second lesson,) three references to his conversion," Gal. 1, 15 16; Phil. 3, 5-7; I Cor. 15, 8-9. First, Reality of the conversion; second, Suddenness of the conversion; third, Manner of his conversion affecting his life and thought.

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THE MISTRESS of the Mine.

or A Woman Intervenes.

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discoveries. The accounts have been kept in such a way as to completely delude investors, and this fact will have a powerful effect on the minds of the London syndicate. The books of the different mines show a profit of about £100,000, whereas, the actual facts of the case are that there has been an annual loss of something like $100,000—'"

"What's that—what's that?" cried Wentworth, sharply.

"Dollars, you know. You said £20,000. We put it in dollars, don't you see?"

"Oh," said Wentworth, relapsing again.

"'—$100,000'—where was I? Oh, yes. 'It is claimed that an American expert went over the books before Mr. Wentworth, and that he asserted they were all right. An explanation from this gentleman will now be in order.'

"There," cried the young lady, "that is the substance of the thing. Of course, I may amplify a little more before we get to Queenstown, so as to make them pay more money. People don't value a thing that doesn't cost them dearly. How do you like it? Is it correct?"

"Perfectly correct," answered the miserable young man.

"Oh, I am so glad you like it. I do love to have things right."

"I didn't say I liked it."

"No, of course, you couldn't be expected to say that, but I am glad you think it is accurate. I will add a note to the effect that you think it is a good resume of your report."

"For heaven's sake, don't drag me into the matter!" cried Wentworth.

"Well, I won't, if you don't want me to."

There was silence for a few moments, during which the young woman seemed to be adding commas and full-stops to the manuscript on her knee. Wentworth cleared his throat two or three times, but his lips were so dry that he could hardly speak. At last he said:

"Miss Brewster, how can I induce you not to send that from Queenstown to your paper?"

The young woman looked up at him with a pleasant, bright, smile.

"Induce me! Why, you couldn't do it—it couldn't be done. This will be one of the greatest triumphs I have ever achieved. Think of Rivers failing in it and not accomplishing it!"

"Yes, I have thought of that," replied the young man, despondently. "Now, perhaps you don't know that the full report was mailed from Ottawa to our house in London, and the moment we get to Queenstown I will telegraph my partners to put the report in the hands of the directors?"

"Oh, I know all about that," replied Miss Brewster; "Rivers told me. He read the letter that was inclosed with the documents he took from your friend. Now, have you made any calculations about this voyage?"

"Calculations? I don't know what you mean."

"Well, I mean just this: We will probably reach Queenstown on Saturday afternoon. This report, making allowance for the difference in the time, will appear in the Argus on Sunday morning. Your telegram will reach your house or your firm on Saturday night, when nothing can be done with it. Sunday nothing can be done. Monday morning, before your report will reach the directors, the substance of what has appeared in the Argus will be in the financial papers, cabled over to London on Sunday night. The first thing your directors will see of it will be in the London financial papers on Monday morning. That's what I mean, Mr. Wentworth, by calculating the voyage."

Wentworth said no more. He staggered to his feet and made his way as best he could to the stateroom, groping like a blind man. There he sat down with his head in his hands, and there his friend Kenyon found him.

CHAPTER V.

John Kenyon, deserted by his only friend on board, made no complaint, nor did he endeavor to make up for his loss by finding new acquaintances. He was not a man who formed friendships readily, but fate was kind to him, and had already set about adjusting the balance of profit and loss; moreover fate, who likes to do things in a fitting manner, used the deserter as an instrument.

Wentworth's conscience seemed to be troubling him because he left his old friend so much alone going east, whereas they had been constantly together on the trip westward; therefore he considered it his duty to make an apology to Kenyon every morning, before placing himself for the rest of the day under the fascinating influence of Miss Brewster.

"There is nothing you wish to talk with me about, is there, Kenyon?" asked Wentworth on one of these occasions, looking down at his friend seated in his deck chair.

"Nothing whatever."

"Then you don't mind—"

"Not in the least," interrupted Kenyon, with a smile.

"I want you to do some energetic thinking about our mine, you know, so that you will be ready to open the campaign when we reach London. Thinking which is worth anything is best done in solitude, Kenyon, so I will not bother you [illegible] hour or two."

Again Kenyon smiled, but made no reply, and Wentworth departed.

The elderly gentleman whose chair was next to Kenyon's, looked round at the young man when his friend mentioned the mine and his name.

"Are you Mr. Kenyon, the mining expert?" he asked, when Wentworth walked away.

"I am a mining engineer," answered Kenyon, with some surprise.

"Did you go out to Canada to report on mines there for the London syndicate?"

"Why do you ask?" said Kenyon, all his native caution being aroused in a moment, on hearing the astonishing question.

The elderly gentleman laughed. "Because I am, in a measure, responsible for you," he said. "I am Mr. Longworth—John Longworth, of the city—and a member of the London syndicate. Two names were proposed—Scotton's and yours. I voted for you; not that I knew anything about you, but some of the others seemed very anxious that Scotton should go, so I thought it best to vote for you. Therefore, you see, as I said before, I am partly responsible for your being here."

"I hope you will not be dissatisfied with the result, Mr. Longworth."

"I hope not myself. I can see that you are a cautious man, and those who recommended you vouched for your capabilities, so with caution and capacity a man should succeed. I intended to visit the properties, but I was detained so long in the west that I did not have time to go north. How did you find the mines?"

"Since you complimented me on my caution, Mr. Longworth, I should be sorry to forfeit your good opinion by answering your questions."

"Quite right; quite right," said the elderly gentleman, laughing again. "That's one for you, and a very good one, too. I must tell that to my daughter; and here she comes. Edith, my dear, this is Mr. Kenyon, who went out to examine our mines. Curious, isn't it, that we should have been talking about them this very morning? Mr. Kenyon, I call my daughter my confidential man of business; she has been all over the world with me. I never make any investments without consulting her, so I warn you that she will ask you more insidious questions about the mines than I shall."

John Kenyon had risen to his feet to greet the girl and to offer her his chair.

"No, thank you," she said. "I want to walk. I merely came to see if my father was all right. I was very much disappointed that we did not go to Canada this time, as I wished to see something of the snow-shoeing and tobogganing there. I suppose there was no tobogganing where you were?"

"Oh, yes," said Kenyon; "even out among the mines they had a toboggan slide, on which one trip satisfied me; and on several journeys I had to wear snow-shoes myself."

"How interesting," said the girl. And the next thing John knew he was walking the deck with her, relating his experiences. This walk was the first of many, and from that time forward Kenyon did not miss his friend Wentworth.

Edith Longworth can hardly be called a typical representative of the English girl. She had an English girl's education, but she had not the training of the average English girl. She had lost her mother early in life, which makes a great difference in a girl's training, however wealthy her father may be; and Edith's father was wealthy, there was no doubt of that. Ask any city man about the standing of John Longworth, and you will learn that the "house" is well thought of. People said he was lucky, but John Longworth asserted that there was no such thing as luck in business—in which statement he was very likely not correct. He had large investments in almost every quarter of the globe. When he went into a thing he went into it thoroughly. People talk of the inadvisability of putting all one's eggs into one basket, but John Longworth was a believer in doing that very thing—and in watching the basket. Not that he had all his eggs in one basket, or in even one kind of a basket, but when John Longworth was satisfied with the particular variety of basket presented to him he put a large number of eggs in it. When anything was offered for investment—whether it was a mine, a brewery or a railway—John Longworth took an expert's opinion upon it, and then the chances were that he would disregard the advice given. He was in the habit of going personally to see what had been offered to him. If the enterprise were big enough he thought little of taking a voyage to the other side of the world for the sole purpose of looking the investment over.

When Edith Longworth was pronounced finished, as far as education was concerned, she became more and more the companion of her father. She went with him on his long journeys, and so had been several times to America, once to the cape, and one long voyage, with Australia as the objective point, had taken her completely around the world. She inherited much of [illegible]'s business, and there is no doubt that if Miss Longworth had been cast upon her own resources she would have become an excellent woman of business. She knew exactly the extent of her father's investments, and she was his confidante in a way that few women are with their male relatives. The old man had great faith in Edith's opinion, although he rarely acknowledged it. Having been together so much on such long voyages, they naturally became, in a way, boon companions. Thus Edith's education was very unlike that of the ordinary English girl; a training which caused her to develop into a different kind of a woman than she would have been if her mother had lived.

The friendship between Edith Longworth and John Kenyon ripened so rapidly that on the day Wentworth had his last disquieting interview with Jennie Brewster they also were discussing mining properties, but in somewhat different fashion. Kenyon confided to the girl that his own hopes and fears were wrapped up in a mine.

After completing their work for the London syndicate, the young men had transacted a little business on their own account. They visited together a mica mine, which was barely paying expenses, and which the owners were anxious to sell. The mine was owned by the Austrian Mining company whose agent, Von Brent, had met Kenyon in Ottawa. Kenyon's educated eye had told him that the white mineral they were placing on the dump at the mouth of the mine was more valuable than the mica for which they were mining. Kenyon was scrupulously honest—a quality somewhat at a discount in the mining business—and it seemed to him hardly fair that he should take advantage of the ignorance of Von Brent regarding the mineral on the dump. Wentworth had some trouble in overcoming his friend's scruples. He insisted that knowledge always had to be paid for, in law, medicine, or mineralogy, and therefore that they were perfectly justified in profiting by their superior wisdom. So it came about that the young men took to England with them a three months' option on the mine, which means that for three months they were to have the privilege of buying the property at a certain figure named in the legal document which was called in the mining language, the "option."

"Well, I am sure," said Miss Longworth, when Kenyon had given her all the details, "if you are confident that the mine is a good one, you could see no one who would help you more in that way than my father. He has been looking at a brewery business in which he thought of investing, and with which he has concluded to have nothing to do, so he will be anxious to find something reliable to take its place. How much would be required for the purchase of the mine you mention?"

"I thought of asking £50,000 for it," said Kenyon, flushing as he thought of his temerity in doubling the price of the mine, and adding £10,000 to it. However, Wentworth and he had estimated the probable value of the mine, and had concluded that selling it at that price, which would give them £30,000 to divide between them, they were selling a mine which was really worth very much more, and that would soon pay tremendous dividends on the £50,000. He expected the young woman would seem rather impressed by the amount. He was therefore very much surprised when she said:

"Fifty thousand pounds! Is that all? Then I am afraid my father would have nothing to do with it. He deals only with large businesses, and a company with a capital of but £50,000 I am sure he would not look at."

"You speak of £50,000," said Kenyon, "as though it were a trifle. To me it seems an immense fortune."

"You are not wealthy, then?" said the girl, with apparent interest.

"No," replied the young man; "far from it."

"I will speak to my father, if you like, but I doubt if it would do much good. Perhaps William might take it up. You have not met my cousin yet, I think?"

"No. Is he the young man who sits next to you at the table?"

"Yes. Except when there, he spends most of his time in the smoking-room, I believe. He is in father's office in the city, and we are both very anxious that he shall succeed in business. That is why father took him with us to America. He wants to interest him and it seems almost impossible to interest William in anything. He doesn't like America. I think it's the beer."

"I didn't like their beer myself," admitted Kenyon.

"Well, I shall arrange a meeting between you and William, and then you can talk it over. I know father would be pleased if he became interested in forming a mining company, or in anything, in fact."

After Edith Longworth left him, Kenyon waited where he was for some time hoping Wentworth would come along, so that he might tell him of their possible new partner; but the young man did not appear. At last Kenyon rose and began to search for him. He passed along the deck, but found no trace of his friend. He looked for a moment into the smoking-room, but Wentworth was not there. He went downstairs to the saloon, but his search below was equally fruitless. Coming up on deck again he saw Miss Brewster sitting alone reading a paper-covered novel.

"Have you seen my friend Wentworth?" he asked the young woman.

She laid the book, open-faced, upon her lap, and looked quickly up at Kenyon before answering:

"I saw him not very long ago, but I don't know where he is now. Perhaps you will find him in his stateroom; in fact, I think it more than likely he is there." With that Miss Brewster resumed her reading.

Kenyon descended to the state-room and opened the door. Wentworth sat upon the plush-covered sofa, with his head in his hands. At the opening

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St.

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 147 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 629 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m. for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 20, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 20, 3 20, 3 45, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 20, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 20, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

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Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 25, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 02, 3 11, 2 22, 3 35, 4 36, 5 05, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 33, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 43, 5 14, 6 26, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 32, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday 8 45, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 52, 8 15, 9 40 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

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Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m: 5 08, 5 16 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 43 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 30 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 08 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 58 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 23 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 46 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 25 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

3 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 25 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 12, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 32, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 12, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 3 32*, 5 26*, 6 26*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m. 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, p. m. 1 17 night.

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CHAIRS WERE THROWN.

Lively Row at an Armenian Revolutionary Meeting at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 23.—A meeting of the Henchapist Armenian Revolutionary society last evening broke up in a lively fight. Chairs were thrown and knives were drawn, but no one received any very serious injuries. There are two branches of the society in Lynn, and the meeting, which was held in Lee hall, was called for the purpose of considering the advisability of combining. Fully 250 Armenians were present, including a number from out of town, and a traveling organizer, who had just returned from London, England, where he had been in consultation with the Europen heads of the revolutionary movement. Several of the speakers who addressed the meeting in favor of amalgamation were interrupted. One of the speakers became angry and asserted that the men responsible for the interruptions were not members of the society and should not be allowed in the meeting. This was the signal for the commencement of open hostilities. Men in the gallery picked up the seats on which they sat and hurled them at their countrymen on the floor below, who were not slow to respond in kind. The row was becoming general as the malcontents in the gallery had allies in the lower part of the hall when a half dozen police arrived. They cleared the hall after some difficulty. The promoters of the meeting claim that the persons in the gallery came solely for the purpose of making trouble.

HEBREWS INDIGNANT.

Much Feeling in Cincinnati Over the President's Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Cincinnati, Nov. 23.—The Hebrew contingent of Cincinnati is displaying a great deal of feeling over President Cleveland's Thanksgiving proclamation. It is claimed that for the first time in the history of the country a state paper contained a direct reference to the Saviour. Rabbi Wise said last night: "I cannot do better than quote you what I have written on the subject for the American Israelite: 'As Jews had been taught to pray several thousand years before Jesus was born, they do not believe that any mediator is necessary between God and man. The Jews are not included in the invitation of the president and they will have to return thanks of their own accord this time. President Cleveland has until now shown himself exceptionally broad-minded, and it is with amazement that I seee him pandering to the passions of bigoted sectarians, who have been endeavoring to undermine the pure secularism upon which this government is based.'"

KILLED BY A ROLLING STONE.

A Pheasant Hunter's Head Cut Off in a Peculiar Matter.

Cedar Run, Pa., Nov. 23.—While hunting pheasants on the mountain side near here Joseph Champaign had his head cut off by a rolling stone in a most remarkable manner. His 10-year-old boy and two playmates were up the steep mountain side about fifty yards, tumbling rocks down its precipitous sides, in order to see them splash into the creek. A big stone, started by young Champaign on its downward course, struck the elder Champaign and knocked the back of his head off as clean as though it had been cut with an axe.

New York's Sea Cock Defective.

New York, Nov. 23.—The accident to the delivery pipe of the battleship Texas, which caused her to sink, has led to careful inspection of the same apparatus in the other ships in the navy yard with the result of discovering a a leak in the port delivery in the cruiser New York. The flanges, it was found, had corroded and water percolated through. The New York is to go into dry dock when the Texas comes out, and the pipe will be overhauled.

Granite for Albany Capitol.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 23.—John Swenson and Ola Anderson of this city have been awarded the contract of furnishing 40,000 feet of rough granite for the capitol building at Albany, N. Y. They will receive $20,000 for the stone.

New Market for American Beef.

Washington, Nov. 23.—Consul Eugene Germain, stationed at Zurich, writes the department of state that he is of the opinion that there is now an opening for the sale of American beef in Switzerland.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot easier; market firmer. Dec., 84⅝c.; May, 84⅞c.

Corn—Spot trade weak and quiet. Dec., 28½c.; May, 32½c.

Oats—Trade quiet and prices easy. Dec., 22⅝c.; May, 25⅝c.

Pork—Spot weak; prices unchanged. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and inactive. Steam rendered, $4.08.

Eggs—Steady and good demand. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@24½c.; ice house, 16½@18c.; western, fresh, 21@24c.; limed, 15½@17; southern, 21@23.

Butter—Light receipts; good demand. Creamery western extras, 22c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, full made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—Demand is still slow. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.12.

DRIVEN ON THE ROCKS

The Big Pacific Coal Steamer San Benita a Total Loss.

MANY OF THE CREW DROWNED

A Rescuing Steamer Unable To Approach the Wreck and Lifesavers Powerless To Aid the Unfortunate Men Clinging to the Rigging.

San Francisco, Nov. 23. — The Southern Pacific railroad's steamer San Benita, which left Tacoma for San Francisco on Thursday last with a coal cargo of 5,000 tons and a crew of forty-three men, was driven ashore yesterday morning two miles north of Point Arena in a heavy gale. Five of the crew were drowned, ten others were picked up by steamer Point Arena and the captain and twenty-seven men clung to the rigging for hours. The San Benita encountered a heavy southeast gale with a driving rain when off Point Arena, and it is supposed that Capt. Smith lost his bearings owing to the thick weather. When the vessel struck an effort was made to launch the boats. The first one, containing First Engineer Scott and his companions was capsized and all were drowned. The second boat in command of Chief Engineer Wood, with nine others on board, was more successful and kept afloat until picked up by the steamer Point Arena. The other boats were dashed to pieces after leaving the davits, and those on board were obliged to take to the rigging for safety as heavy seas were breaking over the decks and the collier gradually settling down upon the rocks, broke in two amidships. The Point Arena was unable to approach the wreck on account of the high seas running and no assistance could be rendered from shore as the collier was off fully an eighth of a mile from the nearest point of land. A life-saving crew with a rocket gun was summoned from Point Arena station, but the gun would not carry far enough.

WHOLESALE THIEVING.

Startling Disclosures Said To Have Been Made in Government Affairs in Rome.

New York, Nov. 23.—A special cable dispatch to the Sun from London says: The inquiry ordered by Marquis di Rudini into the accounts of certain public departments in Rome has revealed a state of affairs which is worthy of Constantinople, and it will not be surprising if the investigation should result in the legal prosecution of some of the ex-ministers and exalted permanent functionaries who are more or less directly responsible for scandalous mismanagement, if not actual systematic corruption. It ought not to be very difficult to make somebody responsible. The late minister of agriculture, for instance, surely finds it an awkward task to justify an annual expenditure of $20,000 during ten years for carpets, seeing that the carpets now on the floors of the ministry buildings probobly would not fetch $1,000 at auction; and presumably he will also have some difficulty in persuading the average householder that $750 is a fair price to pay for a few brass studs used to ornament the ministerial bookcase. In another department, believed to be Signor Crispi's own foreign office, $1,000,000 was spent in ten years in purchasing pins. The ordinary mind shrinks from the strain which would result from the effort to calculate the billions of pins that sum would buy in the open market. There is a suspicious smack, too' about the manner in which payments to railroad contractors are allowed to get in arrears. As far as the muddled accounts show, there is plenty of money available for railroad construction, but the accounts have remained unpaid apparently for no better reason than to entitle the contractors to interest, with the result that in one year alone nearly $1,500,000 has been paid as interest.

Death of George W. G. Ferris.

Pittsburg, Nov. 23.—George W. G. Ferris, inventor and builder of the Ferris wheel, died yesterday at Mercy hospital, where he had been treated for typhoid fever for a week. The disease is said to have been brought on through worry over numerous business matters. He leaves a widow in this city and friends in mechanical and building circles all over the country.

Gilmore's Band's Baggage in a Wreck.

Erie, Pa., Nov. 23.—Gilmore's band baggage car, containing all the musical instruments, was run into here yesterday by a fast train on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad. The baggage car was crushed in and the instruments piled up among the wreck. Victor Herbert's famous $5,000 violincello was badly damaged.

Tiber-Maggie Collision Inquiry.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—The inquiry in the case of Capt. Delisle of the steamer Tiber, charged with running down the schooner Maggie and causing the loss of many lives, has been adjourned for a week, and Capt. Delisle allowed to take his ship to Halifax.

Bryan's Movements.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 23.—William J. Bryan reached Lincoln from his Missouri hunting trip last night. He said he felt greatly refreshed. This evening he will leave for Denver. Mrs. Bryan will not accompany him.

Nevada's Official Vote.

Carson City, Nev., Nov. 23.—The official count for the state of Nevada has just been completed. The total vote cast was 10,655, of which McKinley electors received 1,919; Bryan, 8,359.

Sleighing in Vermont.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Nov. 23.—Snow has fallen here to the depth of six inches, and there is good sleighng.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:57 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:37 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:37 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

NTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Hunter football team expects to play two games on Thanksgiving Day. In the morning they hope to play the Spartan team and in the afternoon they have a game arranged with the Batin High School eleven of Elizabeth. The Hunter boys are practicing almost every day now and expect to make a good showing against their opponents.

The Alis football eleven has closed the season of 1896 with a very satisfactory record. During the three years since it has been organized, the team has not lost a game and only once during the last year have they been scored against and that by the Scotch Plains team. The Alis boys have put up a remarkable game, thanks to excellent coaching, and have in every instance defeated their opponents by their team work rather than by their individual playing. The team has been very lucky in having five excellent backs. Philips, Cuming, and Peck have made a trio hard to beat. Dwight, at quarter back, has played a great game and has made a reputation for himself by his sure tackling and his wonderful capabilities. Rittenhouse would have probably played half back if an accident had not disabled him at the first of the season and prevented him from practicing for some time. He has played a good game at tackle, however, and in the absence of one of the other backs put up a good game behind the line. Woolston and Waring have made rattling good ends and played through the season with credit. Finch was the other tackle, where he distinguished himself. As guards, Long and Stewart had lots of hard work to do but, with Taylor as centre, they made a powerful centre trio which withstood the attacks of many powerful teams. The only weak part in the team was their kicking but their many pretty tricks more than made up for that weakness and they certainly seem able to support their title of junior champions of the state.

BASKET BALL.

The regular basket ball team of the Y. M. C. A. played a practice game Friday evening with a picked team from the business men's gymnasium class. The teams lined up as follows:

REGULARS.		PICKED TEAM.
Long	right forward	Doane
E. Moraller	left forward	Mareley
Egan	centre	Fuller
G. P. Smith	right guard	Richards
M. Moraller	left guard	F. G. Smith

The regular team won by a score of 19 to 7.

An Operetta to Be Given.

The Benovelent Band of King's Daughters will hold a most unique and fascinating entertainment in the Y. M C. A. hall, for the support of the city nurse, on December 4th, at 8 p. m., to consist of a concert and recitative entertainment, followed by an operetta entitled "The Grasshopper Sat on the Sweet Potato Vine." It will be conducted by Charles Lewis, of the Crescent Avenue church choir. Several prominent society young men are to take part in the operetta. The artists for the entertainment are: Minnie Marshall Smith, reciter; Miss Udelle, violinist; Mrs. Charles Lewis, accompanist; Charles Lewis, baritone; Frank J. Smith, accompanist. The admission will be 50 cents; children under twelve, 25 cents.

—Oysters at Rogers' on Wednesday and Thurday, 25 cents per quart.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 113 West Front street.

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THOMAS H. PITTIS DEAD.

He Was Rich and Had Many Peculiar Ideas.

The death of Thomas Hearn Pittis, aged forty-seven years, seven months and eight days, occurred at his home, 912 Central avenue, yesterday afternoon, after an illness lasting several months.

He was born in New York city in 1849 and has lived in Plainfield about twenty-five years. He was a man of peculiar ideas and made the boast that he never wore an overcoat. During the memorable blizzard in March, 1888, he was in Jersey City and in order to get home he walked all the way. He was a man of strong character and physical ability.

Mr. Pittis was a man of wealth and never engaged in any business. He leaves a widow, eight sons and a daughter. Of the boys, Thomas and Albert are doctors, Godfrey, Harold and William are medical students, and Bertram is a law student. The girl's neme is Grace Constance Iseult Pittis.

The funeral services will be held at the convenience of the family.

Sewing Circle Entertained.

The members of the Sewing Society of Warren chapel gave an entertainment Saturday afternoon last in the chapel. Despite the disagreeable weather there was an excellent attendance. Recitations were given by the following young girls: Nettie Lichentritt, Sadie Lichentritt, Pauline Phito, May Seader, Jennie DeMott, Belle DeMott, Alice DeMott, Clara King, Florence King, Maude Sharkey, Edith Demarest, Flossie Demarest, Gussie Patterson, Bessie Farlee, Nettie Wise, Grace Titus, Eva Titus, Grace Giddis, and vocal solos were rendered by Gussie Seader, Edith Squiers A feature was the recitation of "Little Bo Peep," by Sadie Wilson, aged three years, and she was obliged to respond to an encore. After the rendition of the programme refreshments were served under the supervision of Mrs. William Wilson.

Young Enterprise.

Two very successful stereopticon entertainments were held in the barn J. Hervey Doane, of LaGrande avenue, on Friday and Saturday afternoons. The stereopticon was under the management of Harold Nomer and Alden Moore, while Clyde Doane acted as doorkeeper, business manager and treasurer. Peach baskets served as seats and all were occupied while the attendance was so large that some had to stand. About a hundred views were shown and the audience departed well satisfied that they had received their money's worth. The youthful entertainers realized quite a little sum from their two entertainments, which they will devote to the purchase of a turkey for some poor family's Thanksgiving dinner.

The Firemen Thanked.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—Kindly allow me space in your columns to thank the members of the North Plainfield Fire Department for their very prompt and efficient services rendered at the recent fire on Somerset street. I also wish to thank the Plainfield Department for their willingness to cross the county line and co-operate with the North Plainfield Department. P. M. French.

Charley Smith to Sell Out.

Charles Smith has about consummated the sale of his saloon on West Front street, and will enter the employ of a leading sporting goods house at a salary of $5,000 a year. His fine record as a trap shooter has caused the latter offer.

Parish Meeting.

The regular annual parish meeting of St. Stephen's church will occur on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. After the usual office, the treasurer's report will be read; and the election of two Wardens and five Vestrymen, to serve the church for the ensuing year, will be held.

His Ability Recognized.

Andrew Gavett, of this city, has been appointed by the Cranford sewer assessors as their engineer.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will hold a regular meeting tomorrow afternoon in the chapel.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Wednesday afternoon in the chapel.

—Philadelphia scrapple, a delicious breakfast dish, is now in order. You can get the genuine article at VanSickle's market, 122 North avenue.

—Rev. A. B. Simpson, of New York, assisted by Rev. Henry Wilson and one or more returned missionaries, will speak on Foreign missions at Association Hall, Y. M. C. A. building, on Tuesday, at 3 and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. George Luckenbill preached very acceptably yesterday, morning and evening, in Trinity Reformed church.

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—Boys' wool mixed suits only $1.
—Silk drapery loops, 10c.; cotton drapery loops, 8c.
—Nottingham lace curtains, full size, only 75c.

Thorn for Councilman.

Joseph A. Haynes was unable to accept the Democratic nomination for councilman in the First ward, and Edward P. Thorn has been named in his place.

John T. Bosterli, of the borough, spent Sunday with his brother Herbert Bosterli, of Lorraine.

—Gavett has got another advertisement in about the Welsbach light. The number he is selling shows how popular it is getting to be. He has fine reading lamps in the same burner.

—Joseph Pellatt, of Indianapolis, continues his revival services at No. 314 West Second street to-night at 8 o'clock, and Wednesday evening at the same hour. Interest is growing in these meetings and all are cordially invited.

—Within the last three weeks Elston M. French, the insurance agent, has settled the losses on four fires. One was on a barn near Liberty Corner, the other one on the store of Isaac Leaderer, and the third was on John M. Schorb, Jr.'s house at Martinville. The last was on the property occupied by Townsend on Somerset street.

PULLING A DOG'S TEETH.

Dentist's Experience in Removing Teeth from a Canine.

"I have never been called to pull a dog's teeth but once," volunteered a well-known dentist, reports the Washington Star. "Had I known for what purpose I was needed I would not have responded, but being on the ground I was too nervy to refuse. The case was that of a dog belonging to the wife of a Michigan senator. She had several nice dogs of fancy breeds, and I noticed that one of them acted strangely. The telephone directory of that day had my name well up on top in the list of dentists, and I presume that is why I was called. It is no unusual thing for dentists to be called to the houses of patients who are sick or otherwise unable to go to the dentist, and I packed up a few necessaries and started. I was met at the door by the lady, who spoke of the sufferings of Madge. I took it that Madge was either a child or a favored servant, and tripped as softly as I could upstairs to the room to which I was directed. I noticed there were two or three little pug dogs in the room, but did not dream that Madge was one of them. In a few moments the lady came up and picking up the dog spoke sympathetically of Madge's sufferings. I was in for it, and in a short time had a towel tied in Madge's mouth, and the next thing Madge knew she was three teeth short. I was asked my fee, but as I had never performed such a service for money I did not know exactly what to charge. I made it three dollars and was paid. Since then when I am called [illegible] I ask something about the work to be done, for, unless it is my own dog, I prefer to be excused from the work.'

CAUGHT THE BOYS' FANCY.

They Thought the Pretty Girl Who Bought a Paper All Right.

A young woman stood at the corner of Halsted street and Archer avenue waiting for a downtown car. She had a refined, sweet face, her brown hair was parted over a smooth forehead and a pair of wonderfully expressive and beautiful blue eyes. Her dress was elegant, but modest, and seeing her in that locality one instantly thought of sweet charity, says the Chicago Chronicle.

Two ragged little newsboys came up to the corner and gazed at her in frank admiration. Their look was returned with one of kind interest, and the girl bought a paper from each of them. Just then her car came, and with a smile she left the corner.

"Ain't she a beauty?" asked one of the boys, while the other sang in a clear, pretty voice: "She may flirt with another, but I'm sure she loves me."

A middle-aged motherly-looking woman, who had watched the affair, asked: "Do you mean me?" as she bought a paper, she could not afford two.

"Oh, no," answered the singer, "the lady with the pretty eyes."

"Now, I'm disappointed," said the motherly woman.

"Well," called both boys, as they went on, "you're all right, too."

Florida Truck Farmers.

There are indications of cooperation among the truck farmers of Florida. As a means of encouraging truck growing along their lines in that state the Plant system has called a meeting to consult those who wish to cultivate vegetables, to the end that the people and the railroads may mutually benefit each other in producing and marketing vegetable crops. The proposition is made by the Plant system that the growers shall meet and form themselves into an association in order that they may be mutually benefited, and it offers to furnish the best seeds that can be secured of various crops that can be grown successfully in that section at cost, without any charges for transportation.

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In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for Drainage and Sewerage in Cities of this State," approved April 7th, 1890, the following statement is made:

No new contracts have been entered into during the last twelve months, and all the work then under contract, upon the sewers and disposal beds have been finished, and the sewerage system, consisting of 23.65 miles of sewers, together with the disposal area, is now in operation.

The whole cost of the sewers and disposal beds, as per declaration to the commissioners, of assessments, was $160,627.79, not including house connectiones; $70,500 of sewer notes have been issued during the last twelve months, making a total issue to date, of $156,500 on account of the cost. The commissioners of assessment have not yet made their report to the common council.

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In the Housefurnishing, China and Crockery Department.

We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

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MANY YEARS IN POLITICS

JAMES E. MARTINE IN PUBLIC LIFE WHEN HE WAS IN HIS TEENS.

Though an Aggressive Democrat He is Very Popular in All Parties—Never Held Office But Once in His Life.

James E. Martine, Democratic candidate for Mayor, was born in New York forty-nine years ago, but has rounded out forty years of his life in Plainfield, where he is probably better known personally and by reputation than any other man in either city or borough.

Mr. Martine attended the public schools of New York and Plainfield and in them received his elementary education. At the age of thirteen years Mr. Martine's father died and he left school to look after the interests of Cedar Brook farm.

From the moment Mr. Martine was old enough to read the newspapers, and he evinced an inclination in that direction at a precocious age, he took a great interest in matters of public nature. He had a natural gift of eloquence and a fluent tongue, and before he was out of his teens he had become a factor in politics, and that he has remained such ever since there is no question. Though he is aggressive and positive in his opinions on political subjects he has a host of friends in his political opponents. The remark is often heard that "it is a pity that Jim is on the wrong side of the fence," referring to his position in local politics, and is a tacit admission that if he would only "come over" he could have anything he wants. But he don't evince any desire to go, and on the contrary seems to become more loyal to Democracy as time rolls on.

At the age of eighteen years he was prevailed upon by Governor Theodore Randolph, United States Senator, to make a stump speech and since that time every campaign, National or State, has found him on the rostrum advocating the cause of Democracy. His services as a political orator are always in demand by State and National committees, and his campaign services have extended over New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania.

Mr. Martine first entered the political field as a candidate in 1877, when he was nominated for Assemblyman in the old Union county Third district. Joseph B. Coward defeated him for the office. The following year he was the choice of the county convention for the Senatorial nomination as against Benjamin Vail, of Rahway, the Republican nominee. In this canvass also the odds were too heavy against the Democrats and Mr. Martine was defeated with the rest of the ticket. A few years later, however, he was elected a member of the Common Council in this city, and served with honor for one term. To him as much as any other man is due the credit of pushing the elevation of railroad tracks to a consummation, and though the move was bitterly opposed at the time, the wisdom of Mr. Martine's foresight in this matter was long ago conceded by those who first opposed it. He was a member of the street committee. In 1893 he was nominated for Senator against the present incumbent, Foster M. Voorhees. Mr. Martine was averse to accepting the honor, but, like in the present Mayoralty contest, he was not the man to sulk in the time of his party's need, and he was defeated in the election, though he made a gallant fight and came out as popular as ever. In the conventions of his own party he has always been a potent factor, both in State and county. In the National campaign just ended he was the Democratic leader in Union county and one of the leading lights in the State. The platform of the last State convention was drawn by Mr. Martine and accepted by the convention without a murmur of protest.

In private life Mr. Martine's avocation is that of a farmer, and the sobriquet of "Farmer Jim" is not at all disagreeable to his ideas of courtesy. He is widely known as the "Farmer Orator." With his agricultural pursuits he has opened and developed as much residential property in Plainfield as any other man, and is now largely interested in improved property in the eastern end of the city. Martine avenue was named after him. He resides in an old fashioned house on Cedar Brook farm, off Watchung avenue, where the air of hospitality always pervades. His home-life is not graced with a wife.

His Sixtieth Birthday.

Sunday was W. R. Mattox's sixtieth birthday, and his friends tendered him a surprise reception at his home, 455 Webster place. It was more in the shape of a family gathering, and the evening was spent most pleasantly in singing, recitations and games. Mr. and Mrs. Mattox received many useful and ornamental presents.

IN THE DARK CONTINENT.

A RETURNED MISSIONARY TELLS OF THE AFRICAN LIFE.

The Honesty of the Natives Was Exploited by Dr. Laffin Whose Words Did Not Picture Them So Bad at Heart.

Those who live in this country have very little idea of the real habits and customs of the natives of central Africa. Those who attended Dr. C. J. Laffin's illustrated lecture on "Light in the Dark Continent," which was held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church last evening, were given a brief glimpse, however, into that interesting region where Dr. Laffin has been a missionary for ten years. The lecture was illustrated with very handsome stereopticon views. It was given for the benefit of the Sunshine Mission Band and was well attended, nearly every seat in the room being taken.

He first told and showed something of how that region was reached and the methods of transportation. The missions and native churches were described. He contradicted the usual belief of how the natives gather around the missionary to hear his words and told how the missionary often talks to only one man at a time. He referred to the constitutional laziness of the people there and said it was much harder to get them to work the six days than to rest the seventh. He spoke of the honesty of the natives and showed some of the pictures of the cannibal chiefs who had treated himself and wife so kindly.

He told his experiences on arriving in that country and how instead of being almost worshiped as he expected, he found that the natives pitied him instead, especially on account of his appearance.

The Central Africans are not, he explained, idolators at all and the little imagies that are brought to this country as idols are their fetishes which they superstitiously believe will cure their diseases. He related some of the ideas that the Africans have of the white people and said that the ideas of the latter were just as foolish as those of their colored brothers.

The great need, he said, was for more workers who were willing to sacrifice their life, if need be, to teach the natives the truth. The complete salvation depends on the native workers who accomplish what it would be impossible for the white workers to do, and he told something of the work they had already accomplished. A number of pictures of the native missionaries were shown as well as some of the foreign workers.

During the meeting hymns were thrown on the sheet and the audience united in singing them.

MOHAMMED WEBB COMING.

A Convert to Pagan Religion Will Present His Cause.

Alexander Russell Webb, who caused such a sensation some time ago by turning from Christianity to Mohammedism, after having served in the United States Consular service, is to lecture in this city next Saturday night in the support of Mohammed. Webb was converted to the pagan religion while a Consul in the Orient, and after the expiration of his term of office decided to devote his time and wealth to propagating the religion in the United States.

During the first part of his lecture Mr. Webb will appear in evening dress with Turkish fez, while in the second part he will wear the full costume of an Arab of the merchant class, and will repeat the Mohammedan call for prayer in Arabic, exactly as it is given from the minarets of all Oriental mosques. He will also give the hours for prayer and describe the prayer itself with all its forms, prostrations and genuflections as performed in the mosque. This is a most impressive and instructive novelty. The lecture is free.

An Excellent Entertainment.

An instrumental and vocal concert, under the auspices of the Westfield Football Association, will be given on Tuesday, December 1st, in Westfield Club Hall. The concert will consist of banjo, mandolin, vocal and instrumental selections. George Jenkins, of Somerville, will give several selections, and Westfield's best talent will take part in the entertainment. The object of the concert is to raise funds to support the football team. A number of the Plainfield team are talking of attending in a body and thus assist their old rivals.

No Bridge this Winter.

The projectors of the extension of Sycamore avenue from the borough to the city have been informed that they cannot hope to get a bridge across the brook before next summer.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Scudder, of Newark, will spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Scudder's parents, T. R. Crosley, Duer street.

STORY OF A HOLY HOUSE

DR. BARNES' LECTURES TO SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS.

His Subject Was the "Tabernacle," and the Points He Brought Out So Lucidly Showed a Thorough Study.

Yesterday afternoon and evening the members of the Primary Teachers' Union had the pleasure of having Dr. C. R. Barnes, of the First M. E church, give two interesting lectures in Vincent chapel on the "Tabernacle." Dr. Barnes has made a thorough and deep study of the subject and he presents it in an entertaining manner. He gave a history of the "Tabernacle" and related many of the peculiar incidents in relation to its erection during Bible times. He told of the different chiefs and tribes that were associated with this holy institution, and of the many details connected with the ceremony.

The evening lecture was a continuation of the afternoon one, and he was assisted by Clarence Mills, who was dressed similar to a Jewish High Priest. Dr. Barnes explained the dress in detail. In connection with the lecture Dr. Barnes had erected a fac-simile of the "Tabernacle," with all the accessories, and in this way he was able to impress the subject on the minds of those present.

After the afternoon session, which closed about 4 o'clock, the members of the Union returned to the Y.M.C.A. building, where they held their regular meeting, at which time Mrs. Mosher taught the lesson. The latter part of the evening lecture was devoted to an informal discussion in general of the subject. The members of the Union desire to thank Dr. Barnes for his kindness in assisting them in the study of the Bible.

Union Young People's Meetings.

Two union Christian Endeavor and Epworth League meetings will be held on Thanksgiving Day morning at 9:30. One will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, to which all the Christian Endeavorers and Epworth Leaguers of that section of the city are invited to attend. It will be led by E. E. Anthony. The other meeting will be held at Vincent chapel, where the Endeavorers and Epworth Leaguers of North Plainfield and the northern part of Plainfield are to meet. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

Concerning Hunting.

The farmers about Berkley Heights and other nearby points are suffering from depredations committed by hunters. In many places the farmers have erected wire fences and some of the gunners carry pincers and plyers and, sooner than jump over a fence, they cut the wire and walk through. This is one of the main obstacles against hunting in that neighborhood. The farmers as a rule are not prejudiced to hunting on their land in the "open season," but they will not tolerate having their wire fences cut.

Sisters at Odds.

Justice Newcorn has issued a summons in the case of Mrs. Kittie August against Mrs. Margaret Killoran, both of the East End, and the case promises to be very interesting. The plaintiff and defendant are sisters and the former was living with the latter. Recently, Mrs. August missed her trunk and the contents. She was suspicious of her sister, Mrs. Killoran, and as a result she had the summons issued. Both parties will plead their own case.

There First Birthday.

The Junior Epworth League of Monroe Avenue chapel will celebrate their first anniversary at the chapel this evening. The Juniors will have complete charge of the meeting, looking after the programme and financial part as well. The entertainment will consist of recitations, songs, and a tamborine drill by a number of the Juniors. All the friends of the League are invited to attend.

Virtue.

Virtue consists in part in avoiding that which we might possibly have cause to regret. Therefore it is a virtue to avoid that exhaustion of your coal supply which in time of need might occasion your regret. Take heed, ye strivers after virture, and consult with Geo. O. Stevens & Co. as to the means of averting such a shock to your good intentions. Consultations free.

Justice Newcorn's Court.

Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the case of Huff against Clark, returnable Nov. 27th, and the case of Hand against Harger has been adjourned thirty days. The case of Schenck against Arthur was tried yesterday and judgment was rendered for the plaintiff.

—Special premium mixed nuts, two pounds for 25 cents, at Neuman Bros.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

"NOT FOR SCHOOL, BUT FOR LIFE" IS THE MOTTO.

Two North Plainfield Teachers Express Their Ideas on the Study and Methods in Kindergarten and Geography.

The Somerset County Teachers' Institue opened at Somerville, yesterday morning, with a very large attendance of teachers from all over the county. All of the teachers in the North Plainfield public schools were present.

The meeting was called to order by Superintendent Mets, and after the opening exercises Superintendent Mets made a few remarks and gave the teachers as their motto: "Not for school, but for life." A paper entitled "The What and Why Periods," was given by Samuel A. Barr, Ph D., city superintendent of Reading, Pa.

"Glimpses in Kindergarten Life," was next given by Miss Jessie Scott Hines, of the North Plainfield Public High School. Miss Hines stated that kindergarteners like to think and try to prove that everything they do is done with a distinct purpose. The kindergarten system should be fitted to be the prime factor in that true education, which awakens, nourishes and beautifies characters. All are somewhat familiar with the external form of kindergarten life, but the real idea is very little known. The kindergarten is not a school nor is it a playroom, but a combination of home and school. The kindergarten affords, by this position, an atmosphere of perfect freedom, which emphasizes individuality. The great idea is that each child shall freely be himself and that the kindergartener shall lead him to a loving consideration of his fellows and to a desire to be of use to all. Many illustrative stories added much to the interest of the paper.

The speakers of the afternoon were Dr. Andrew D. Warde, superintendent of the North Plainfield High School, and Dr. Baer.

Dr. Warde spoke on "The New Geography." He referred to geography as having more time devoted to its study than any other subject during the last fifteen years. Time was when learning a geography lesson meant committing to memory a list of meaningless words. Pupils were taught that the southern States produced cotton, rice and sugar cane, but what they were, why they were produced there and not elsewhere or what was done with them, was not taught. As a better way than the "old method," Dr. Warde advised real journeys, where possible, supplemented with pictures and relief maps, The later years of geographical study should be devoted to establishing the relation of cause and effect. This was illustrated with many excellent examples.

"In his paper on "Spelling," Dr. Warde used his audience as a class and gave them some practical work in phonies, diacritical marks and orthography, and ended with a prize contest in spelling. It has not yet been decided who was the winner of the prize, two volumes of Ian Maclaren's works.

THE GUN WENT OFF.

The Man Who Handled it "Didn't Know it Was Loaded."

A case of "Didn't know it was loaded" occurred in Westfield Sunday evening, but fortunately no one was hurt.

James McCarthy lives with his parents on Rahway avenue, and one day last week loaned his shotgun to a friend to go hunting with. On Sunday the shotgun was returned to the McCarthy family, though no one seems to have known of the latter fact. The elder McCarthy was placing the gun in its case, when it was accidentally discharged. The shot passed through the front door of the house, leaving a large hole. The family and the neighbors were all startled, but all concerned are now congratulating themselves that the accident did not result seriously.

A Thanksgiving Appeal.

The Relief Association makes its annual appeal for provisions with which to supply dinners to the poor of Plainfield on Thanksgiving Day. Contributions of money and edibles may be sent to the Relief rooms, 544 West Front street, early Wednesday morning. Mrs. C. E. Brooks, Sec'y.

Fell From the Roof.

While painting the gutter to his house on Cottage place, yesterday morning, Martin Stevens slipped and fell to the ground, spraining his wrist. The injury was not a serious one, however.

Important Change in Mail Service.

The New York and Grafton direct mail to the Pacific coast now closes at the Plainfield postoffice at 5 p. m., instead of 6 p. m.

FAIR OF THE JUNIORS.

THE EVENT OPENED LAST NIGHT IN AN AUSPICIOUS MANNER.

The Initiatory Team of Franklin Council in Charge—Pretty Things for Sale—The Bowling is a Feature of the Affair.

The fair now in progress under the direction of the initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., in the Ulrich building on East Second street, opened most auspiciously last evening with a good-sized attendance. The fair proper is conducted on the second floor, where the rooms have been decorated in an attractive manner with the National colors. The large room is used for dancing and the floor is in a fine condition. The room adjoining is arranged with tables where one can purchase refreshments of any kind. In this room there is also a table upon which is to be found a well selected line of bric-a-brac and ornamental furnishings. This table in in charge of Miss Waters, Miss Charlotte Wilson and Miss Schenck. The fancy table, which is well supplied with dainty, fancy articles, is in charge of Mrs. Ephraim Compton, Miss Lillie Laing and the Misses Force. Those presiding at the candy table are Mrs. H. M. Cooke, Mrs. E. R. Pope, Jr., Miss Etta Thorn and Miss Hewson.

The supper room is in charge of the the following members of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, the only confined auxiliary to the Jr. O. U. A. M.: Fred W. Leland, chairman; Mrs. I. F Riker, Mrs. R. Mattis, Mrs. B. F. Moore, Mrs. B. L. Webster, Mrs. James Radin, Miss Launa Johnson and Mrs. Robert Hamilton. B. L. Webster and W. Hartpence dispense the soft drinks like veterans. The bowling was a feature from the first and there was a very large number who took part in the contest for the silk umbrella. Augustus Wilson made the highest score last evening, which was 185. The bowling is looked after in a satisfactory manner by A. Wilson and S. C. Terry, Jr.

Those who are in charge of the fair are the following: E. R. Pope, Jr., chairman; H. M. Cooke, secretary; Isaac Squires, treasurer; John V Beekman, floor manager; W.C. Force, first assistant; D. V. Force, second assistant; Ephraim Compton, F. A. Long, F. M. Lunger, W. Hartpence, H. R. Thorn, A. Wilson, S. C. Terry, Jr., B. L. Webster, L. C. Townley and A. G. Adams, reception committee.

The fair will be continued every evening and Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, at which time a turkey supper will be served. Tomorrow evening the one rolling the highest score on the alleys will receive a turkey, and the one making the highest score during the week will be presented with a handsome silk umbrella.

MISSIONARY EXTENSION.

Courses of Lectures on the Subject to be Arranged.

Miss Alice B. Spangenberg, the superintendent of the Christian Endeavor Missionary Department, has recently sent out letters to the presidents of the local unions of the State, calling their attention to the plans of the department for missionary extension, and requesting them to bring the project to the attention of their executive committees.

A neat pamphlet has been published by the department, giving an explanation of missionary extension, its object and purpose, and something of what it has accomplished. It is recommended that the local unions of the State arrange for courses of lectures, according to the best judgment of the local committees.

The State department stands ready to furnish speakers at a maximum cost of $3 per night, and entertainment. This is certainly a reasonable rate and is only intended to cover their traveling expenses. Additional information will be gladly given upon application to the State Superintendent. This arrangement will hold through the months of February and March.

Guests of Brooklyn Knights.

The members of Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., of this city, will go to Brooklyn on the 2.07 o'clock train on Thursday afternoon of this week. They go as the guests of Rathbone Division, No. 27, of that place and they will participate in a short street parade, the members all appearing in full uniform. Following the parade supper will be served, after which the Plainfield delegates will assist in organizing the Orient council.

Not the Same.

It is not the original famous "Jolly Six" that will give a dance at the Olympia on Wednesday evening, but a new society. The original organization will give their dance about the middle of December.

"PATHWAY TO HEAVEN"

ANDREW E. KENNEY COMPILES AN IMPORTANT CATHOLIC BOOK.

It Has Been Approved by Archbishop Corrigan, of New York—The Illustrations Are From Plainfield Views.

"Via Cœli" (Vi-ah Saylee) is the name of a handsome publication which has just been issued by A. E. Kenney, of this city. It is a small prayer book for use in Catholic churches at the various services, such as the Mass, Benediction and similar devotions. There are already numerous books of this character, but until recently they have been made in Europe. Mr. Kenney has taken advantage of the many improvements in modern book making, and the little volume bears evidence of it. It is profusely illustrated with fine half-tone engravings, showing views of the different positions which should be followed during the various services, and which are taken from life.

THE GENUFLECTION.

Among some of the views which may be mentioned are "The Genuflection," "The Elevation," "The Blessing," "At the Rosary," "The Beginning of Mass," "Dominus Vobiscum," "Benediction," etc., all of which are entirely original both in design and execution.

These illustrations are based upon scenes taken by photograph early last spring in St. Joseph's church. Subjects were selected to pose for the artist with a view of portraying familiar scenes of devotion, and the attitudes in all of the illustrations are correct, displaying the etiquette of the people at service. The pictures have been re-drawn by talented artists and engraved with beautiful effect. They combine artistic merit, fidelity to life and first class workmanship. The positions have never before been produced in such a manner. The arrangement of the pictures show the altar views and views of the congregation alternately.

"Via Cœli" means the "Pathway to Heaven." The literary part of the book is a compilation of prayers and instructions which make the sometimes intricate service of the Catholic church more easy to follow. Many of the prayers are original contributions from the pens of devout people of the church. Two or three bits of poetic gems add to the general literary excellence of the work. This is the dedication:

GOD.

O Thou eternal one! whose presence bright
All space do'h occupy, all motion guide.
Unchanged through time's all devastating flight.
Thou only God, there is no God beside!
Being above all beings! Mighty One,
Whom none can comprehend, and none explore,
Who fillest Heaven and earth Thyself alone.
Embracing all, supporting, ruling o'er,
Being whom we adore—God, and know no more.

In the work Mr. Kenney had the advice of Father Smyth and Father Murphy, of this city, and Father Miller, of North Plainfield. Miss Elvire Quintero, a graduate of the Sacred Heart convent of Elmhurst, assisted in the compilation. The work was submitted to His Grace, Archbishop Corrigan, of New York, and after a careful examination it received his approbation. The paper and binding are very fine and the press work shows careful handling.

"Via Cœli" will be in the market within a few days.

—Armstrong's hot soda—the best yet. Try it.

—Twenty-five dozen of fancy table celery for Thanksgiving at Neuman Brothers.

—Thanksgiving dinner will taste nicer if served on one of Peck's handsome linen table cloths.

—As usual Leggett, the druggist, has a fresh supply of Huyler's famous candy. Now is the time to leave your order for Thanksgiving.

—The statement that the borough fire department did not turn out till ten minutes after the alarm of fire Sunday morning was erroneous. They responded in three or four minutes.

—The following cases have been tried in Justice Newcorn's court and judgement was given the plantiff in each: Westphal against Muldowney; Ivins & Co., against Arthur; Henry against Connolly.

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WEYLER IN HAVANA

The Captain-General Suddenly Returns from the Field.

MUCH COMMENT IS THE RESULT

Impossible To Learn the True Reason for His Leaving His Command---Military Authorities Will Vouchsafe No Information.

Havana, Nov. 24.—Captain-General Weyler arrived last evening from the province of Pinar del Rio. His return has caused much comment, but as yet it is impossible to learn the true reason for his leaving his command and returning to the capital. The military authorities will vouchsafe no information on the subject.

Madrid, Nov. 24.—Many contradictory statements have been received regarding the intentions of Captain General Weyler, who is leading the campaign against Maceo in the province of Pinar del Rio, Cuba. It was stated some days ago that the campaign had resulted in failure and that Gen. Weyler purposed returning to Havana. This was denied and later the statement was made that the government had informed Gen. Weyler that, owing to questions of international and domestic politias, it would not be expedient for him to return to Havana until he had won a decisive victory over the rebels. On top of the conflicting statements comes a dispatch from the Havana correspondent of the Imparcial, who is generally well informed, stating that Gen. Weyler arrived in Havana last night from Pinar del Rio.

SPANISH FLAG INCIDENT.

No Complaint Likely To Be Made to This Government.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The Spanish legation is not likely to make any complaint to this government with reference to the action of the students at Newcastle, Del., a few days ago, who destroyed a Spanish flag. There is no Spanish consul at Newcastle, and the incident, to that extent, was robbed of any official character. Moreover, both Spanish and the American governments have reached so perfect an understanding as to circumstances of this character that little if any importance is attached to them. It was said at the state department this morning that if a Spanish flag displayed from a Spanish consulate or warship had been offered an indignity the attention of the state department would be once directed to the matter and a suitable apology demanded. It is regarded as not unlikely that the "jingo" press of Spain may attempt to magnify the incident, but there is excellent authority for the statement that it will receive no official attention either at the hands of the American or Spanish authorities.

OF LITTLE SIGNIFICANCE.

New Castle Militia Officers Will, However, Investigate the Spanish Flag Matter.

Newcastle, Del., Nov. 24.—The people of Newcastle are much exercised over the dispatch from Madrid in reference to the alleged burning of a Spanish flag here last Wednesday night. The incident has been exaggerated. The members of Company H, Delaware National Guard, had held a reception and nearly all had gone, when some one recalled the remarks in a speech by Rev. V. S. Collins, in which he said the belligerent rights of the Cubans ought to be recognized. There were then about a dozen men present and one enthusiast is said to have jumped on a table and tore down a Spanish flag used in the decorations and destroyed it by burning it. Some even say it was not a Spanish flag. The officers of the regiment will investigate the matter, which attracted no attention until the dispatch from Madrid was received.

Warned by a French Newspaper.

Paris, Nov. 24.—The Figaro, in an article on the relations of the United States and Spain, in view of the situation in Cuba, says: "The American newspapers that are inciting the United States to war with Spain on account of Cuba, ought to remember that Spain will have Europe behind her.

Bermuda Loading Arms at Halifax.

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—The minister of marine has been advised that the steamer Bermuda, the suspected filibusterer, was reported to be at Halifax taking in arms and ammunition for Cuba. The report is said to have come through the Spanish consul.

STOLE OVER $100,000

Bank Cashier Hoffer of Lebanon, Pa., an Embezzler.

HE CONFESSES AND IS PENITENT

Says He Lost the Money in a Colorado Gold Mine Speculation---Arraigned at Harrisburg and Held in $15,000 Bail for Trial.

Lebanon, Pa., Nov. 24.—John H. Hoffer, for twelve years cashier of the First National bank of Lebanon, is a self-confessed embezzler. An examination of his books shows a defalcation amounting to nearly $110,000. He has confessed judgment to the bank for $30,000. His bond cannot be found. It is not known what amount it is for, nor who are the sureties. The embezzlement covers a period of six years and the bank has been examined a dozen times since the peculations began without discovery. Hoffer was held under surveillance at his residence in this city and arrested last evening and taken before the United States commissioner at Harrisburg. Marshall Winchester, United States bank examiner, has reported the shortage to Comptroller of the Currency Eckels, and the bank directors, having made good all the money stolen, the bank is doing business as usual. A statement has been issued by the directors, in which they personally assumed all the liabilities of the bank.

Held in $15,000 Bail.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 24.—John H. Hoffer, cashier of the First National bank of Lebanon, who confessed that he had robbed the bank of over $109,000, was given a hearing before United States commissioner Lerory J. Wolfe here last night and held in $15,000 bail for his appearance in the United States district court for trial. Hoffer is very penitent, and desires to make restitution, as far as possible. This he has already done by judgments and otherwise. He said he had sunk the money in a gold mine in Colorado.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS.

Carter Says They Are Together on Everything Except Silver.

New York, Nov. 24.—Senator Thos. Carter of Montana is at the Holland house. He is a free silver republican, but he supported Major McKinley for president. In an interview with a United Associated Presses reporter he said: "I do not believe any one can say what the programme of the republicans in the senate will be. The republicans are together in the senate on everything except the silver question. They will work together, I think, and agree on all things except silver." He could not say what the course of free silver republicans would be. He did not think the Dingley bill would pass.

Against "The Mind of the Master."

Toronto, Nov. 24.—The Presbyterian divines of this city met yesterday to hear a review by the Rev. J. A. Turnbull upon the Rev. John Watson's (Ian MacLaren) book, "The Mind of the Master." The criticisms were distinctly unfavorable. The speaker considered the work a dangerous one, in its stand upon the doctrines of Christ's inspiration and atonement. A number of ministers participated in the discussion, and the consensus of the assembly's opinion was in favor of Rev. Turnbull's contention.

Sound Steamer Sunk in Collision.

City Island, N. Y., Nov. 24.—The steamer Kate C. Stevens, Capt. Stevens, which runs between New York and South Norwalk, Conn., in the oyster trade, was in collision last night with an unknown barge off Stepping Stones lighthouse. The Stevens' starboard bow was badly stove in and she filled rapidly. She was headed for City island beach, but sank before reaching it. Capt. Stevens and his crew landed safely in their own boat.

Predicts an Extra Session of Congress.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 24.—Congressman William Alden Smith has received a telegram from Major McKinley, asking him to come to Canton. He will leave to-day. "There is no significance whatever in my visit," said Mr. Smith last evening. "Do you anticipate an extra session of congress?" was asked Mr. Smith. "Yes, I think Mr. McKinley will call a session very soon after his inauguration."

J. R. Roosevelt Ill.

London, Nov. 24.—James R. Roosevelt, secretary of the American embassy, is suffering from nervous prostration. He has not been present at the embassy for some days, and his condition is such that he will not be able to attend the Thanksgiving dinner to be given to Ambassador Bayard.

The Hilton, Hughes Failure.

New York, Nov. 24.—A summary of Albert B. Hilton, who did business as Hilton, Hughes & Co., drygoods merchant, has just been filed by the assignee. The total liabilities are $1,891,576; nominal assets, $1,600,342; actual assets, $782,174. Mr. Hilton made an assignment on Aug. 26.

Blackburn Gives It Up.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 24.—Senator Blackburn, after a conference with his frienes, State Senator Sayler and Judge Hazelrigg of the court of apdeals, has given up the fight for reelection to the United States senate at the coming session of the legislature.

Slave Traffic in the New Hebrides.

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 24.—Advices which reached here from the New Hebrides show that natives of the islands are being sold to the masters of trading vessels at from £6 to £10 apiece. Some of the natives so sold are subjected to great cruelties

NO PREJUDICE INTENDED.

A Baltimore Rabbi's Views Regarding the Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Baltimore, Nov. 24.—President Cleveland's Thanksgiving proclamation is still causing much discussion in Hebrew circles in this city. The words which umbrage is taken are: "Asking a continuance of heavenly favor through the mediation of Him who taught us how to pray." The Rev Dr. A. Guttmacher of the Baltimore congregation, who is to deliver the Thanksgiving address next Thursday at the union services, Har Sinai temple in speaking of the sentence quoted said last evening: "I cannot bring myself to believe that a slight was intended When I read the proclamation the words struck me as being peculiar, but I immediately judged them as unintentional, and I think I am in the right. President Cleveland is too broad minded a man to stoop to sectarian prejudice and the words used were written without prejudice—simply slipping in unintentionally. People are ever ready to misconstrue, so it is best to side with man's better nature." The Rev. Tobias Schonfarber, rabbi of the Her Sinai temple, said: "The president made a big mistake. His meaning is plain, and I do not see how it could have been otherwise than intentional. It does certainly seem strange that the president would issue a proclamation which introduces the peculiar convictions of any one faith. The government of this country has nothing to do with any one's religion. It is questionable whether any Thanksgiving proclamation should be sent forth by any president. Jefferson refused to issue a proclamation on the ground that such matters had nothing to do with the government of the country. This proclamation excludes the Hebrews, because they do not believe that they were taught to pray through the mediation of anyone. Still, this will not deter us from offering up thanks."

Death of James M. Janson.

Woonsocket, R. I., Nov. 24.—E. N. Janson of this city has received intelligence of the death yesterday in Downington, Pa., of his brother James M. Janson, a well known vocalist and comedian and the compiler of "The Cyclopaedia of Comedy." He was connected with the leading minstrel companies.

Floods on the Island of Martinique.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 24.—Advices received here from Fort du France, capital of the Island of Martinique, are to the effect that great floods prevail on the island. A number of persons in the interior have been drowned.

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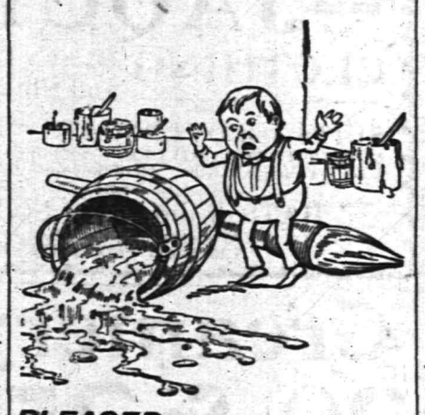

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PRINCETON CELEBRATES.

Students Hold a Wild Demonstration Over Their Football Victory.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 24.—All Princeton was out last night and celebrating in earnest. A baseball championship and a football championship, both in the year, has filled the undergraduates with enthusiasm and every one, from the greenest freshman to the gravest sephomore, felt himself in duty bound to make as much noise as possible in honor of the occasion. At 8 o'clock a huge pile of wood at the old canon, over fifty feet in diameter and nearly as high, was set on fire. At the same time pandemonium broke loose. The bell in Old North Tower was kept constantly ringing and shot guns, revolvers and fire crackers added to the medley, while from the region of the new library building came the shrill notes of the steam whistles on the hoisting engines. A brass band then came on the campus playing the "Triangle Song" and the refrain was caught up by over a thousand voices. All the students formed in line and marched about the town, fifty of them drawing a coach decorated in orange and black in which were the victorious Tiger football team, the champions of '96. The hilarity continued late into the night, and the undergraduates worked off their exuberance of joy by dancing about the glowing heap as long as it continued to blaze.

CAMPANINI DEAD.

The Once Famous Tenor Passes Away at Parma, Italy.

Rome, Nov. 24.—Italo Campanini, a tenor singer who was well-known in the United States, died near Parma yesterday. He was born at Parma in 1846. In 1873 he sang with Christine Nilsson in New York. He returned to America during the season of 1879-80. Besides being the greatest tenor living at the time he was remarkable for the immense scope of his repertory, which included nearly eighty operas.

Arbuckle's Body Enroute Home.

New York, Nov. 24.—The body of Frank P. Arbuckle began its journey to Denver last night. It is accompanied by his widow and R. H. Porter, Mr. Arbuckle's business manager. A stop of a few minutes will be made at Erie, Pa., where the dead man's father and mother, both over 80 years of age, are living. Then the party will go to Denver, where the interment will take place. The police now believe Arbuckle died of heart disease, but that he was previously robbed. The three men who were under arrest have been dismissed.

Henderson's Third Matrimonial Venture.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—David Henderson, late manager of the Chicago Opera house, it has leaked out, was married last Saturday to Miss Frankie Raymond, who was for several seasons a member of the Henderson Burlesque company. Mr. Henderson recently obtained a divorce from Grace Henderson, the actress, who was his second wife.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot easier; market strong. Dec., 86c.; May, 86¼c.

Corn—Spot trade weak and quiet. Dec., 29⅝c.; May, 33¼c.

Oats—Trade quiet and prices easy. Dec., 23¼c.; May, 25⅝c.

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Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

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The Remarkable Disclosure Made at the Meeting of the Senate Special Committee at Albany---Police Again Levying Tribute.

Albany, Nov. 24.—"There are between 4,000 and 5,000 places within a radius of ten miles of the New York city hall that are selling liquor without a state license, in violation of the state liquor tax law, presumably under police or some other protection." This astonishing statement was made by senator John Raines of Canandaigua at the first day's meeting of the special excise committee of the senate. Senator Raines is the author of the present excise law, which has raised over $11,000,000 in revenue. He has investigated the subject and should know what he is talking about. This remarkable statement of Senator Raines immediately brought that veteran Tammany legislator, senator S. J. Foley, to his feet. He said: "Senator Raines, do you mean to say that there are a number of places in New York city that are receiving police protection in their violation of the Raines law?" Senator Raines: "Yes. Undoubtedly they are receiving police or some protection for the violations in many cases openly exist." Right here another Senator who was present at the meeting but who refused to be quoted publicly, said: "There is no doubt of the truth of Senator Raines' statement. I have it upon the authority of one of the best known saloon keepers of New York city that the old system of the police levying tribute upon the saloon keepers is again in vogue. He told me that the city had been divided into districts as formerly and that they were again paying tribute to the police captains." The committee of which Senator Raines is chairman was appointed by the last senate to inquire into the workings of the Raines liquor tax law and is to report suggested amendments to the coming legislature. Senator Foley raised a disturbance at the outset of the meeting by remarking that it seemed strange to him that the committee had dallied along all through the summer without doing anything. He thought it a remarkable example of official inefficiency. To Senator Foley's surprise Senator Raines quickly rejoined: "When this committee was appointed it was stated that its purpose was to conduct its work just previous to election time and thus hold a club over the brewers and saloon keepers. To avoid such a construction being placed upon the committee's acts I thought it best that we should not begin our work until after election." Senator Ford thought that the committee should get to work with all dilligence. He wanted to have a thorough investigation of the Raines law hotel and sandwich violations of the excise law in New York city. This was a matter which should be remedied. Senator Raines stated that many of the places in New York and other parts of the state to the number of about 7,000, including the clubs, which were operating in violation of the excise law, had a United States revenue license for which they paid $25. Houses of questionable character, as a rule, simply sell under a government license. It was decided that the committee should meet at the office of the deputy of the state excise commissioner in New York city to 10 o'clock next Monday morning. The committee will conduct its investigations there during all of next week, and will then visit the cities of Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse and Utica, and conduct various lines of inquiry in each place. Liquor sellers all over the state are considerably agitated as to the outcome of the investigation and the temperance community is awaiting the result with much interest.

Marblehead Arrives at New York.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The cruiser Marblehead reached New York last night, having left Bermuda on the 19th inst. She left Smyrna for home on October 19. The gunboat Machias has arrived at Ningpo.

Investigating a Mysterious Death.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 24.—The coroner will to-day begin an investigation into the mystery of the man found dead in a pond in Rindge yesterday with a rope about his neck and a stone attached.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., NOV. 24, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening, With Showers Tonight; Wednesday, Unsettled Weather; Colder Wednesday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 24—Union Thanksgiving services in Crescent Avenue and First M. E. churches, at 10:30 a. m.
Nov. 25—Parliamentary Club meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building. Morning
Nov. 26th—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club in the Plainfield Cycle Academy.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	George O. Stevens
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com's of Appeal—	For Com's of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

Mayor, Charles Burns; City Collector, Arthur Scott; City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell; Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto, Wm. C. VanNorden; Councilmen, Third Ward, Claus R. Wallander; Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr.

A week from today tells the story.

The Socialists bob up serenely in this campaign. They will bob down just as easy.

The declination of Geo. O. Stevens for City Treasurer leaves the field to Alex. Titsworth, barring the Socialist nominee, Charles Grieb.

The Boards of Registry are in session today for the correction of poll lists for the city election. They will not adjourn until 9 o'clock tonight.

The two candidates for Mayor, Charles J. Fisk and James E. Martine, shook hands last night and casually congratulated one another.

A large amount of matter appropriate to Thanksgiving time is published in The Press today. Another installment will be printed tomorrow.

The example of Rahway Democrats could be followed with profit in Plainfield. In the former place the Democrats have decided to let bygones be bygones, and all factions have organized under one head for mutual warfare against other parties.

THEATRICAL.

At Music Hall, Thanksgiving matinee and night, the latest success, the funniest three-act musical comedy on the stage, entitled "McFadden's Reception." Three hours of solid fun, headed by the "Beau Brummels" of comedians, Foster and Williams, and a host of pretty girls in all the latest songs and dances, funny jokes and catchy music. They also present an extra attraction, Brannan and Daly in their original characters, "Dr. Parkhurst and Commissioner Roosevelt," the greatest hit in New York in years. See them and they will tell you how they overhauled New York. Don't fail to see the original dancer, Pos-ma-ias.

Another Dollar for the Wagoners.

The Press is in receipt of $1 from a subscriber for the Wagoner family.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

How to Prevent Croup

SOME READING THAT WILL PROVE INTERESTING TO YOUNG MOTHERS. HOW TO GUARD AGAINST THE DISEASE.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gigamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

SICK-POISON.

What is it, and Where it Comes From.

Sick poison is what makes you sick, irritates your nerves, disorders your functions, saps your strength, makes you miserable.

Different diseases have different poisons, some have several, indigestion more than any.

That is, the symptoms of indigestion are caused by the poisons which are created by undigested food.

When you are sick, try to get rid of your poison.

It is often easier than you think, for all nature is helping you. Only the poison is obstinate, but the first step is to go to the root of it.

The poisons of undigested food, which cause lethargy, headache, dizziness, weakness, bad taste, stomach ache, fever, flatulence, nausea, constipation, loss of appetite, jaundice, anaemia, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc., these poisons can be swept away and annihilated by the Shaker Digestive Cordial.

Curing the stomach and helping it to digest food, when it is too weak to do so by itself, will purify your system of poison and renew your strength and health.

Shaker Digestive Cordial, a pure, vegetable, digestive tonic, made by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, will cure all disorders caused by the poisons of undigested food, when nothing else will give any relief.

Sold by druggists. Ten cents for a trial bottle.

Write for a book on food. Address The Shakers, 30 Read Street, New York.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Giles, of East Sixth street, is entertaining a friend from out of town.

Thomas Quinn, of Park avenue, is able to be out after his recent illness.

Bert Bodine, of Grandview avenue, spent Sunday with friends at Lambertville.

Miss S. Lena Bass, of the Plainfield High School, is now boarding on First place.

Miss May Dowd, of Duer street, spent Sunday in Newark, the guest of friends.

H. C. McVoy, of East Front street, has returned from a visit with Newark friends.

Mr. Garland, of New Brunswick, was the guest of friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Miss Lucy Boss, of Central avenue, is entertaining a friend from Hunterdon county.

The Misses Hart, of Jersey City, are visiting Mrs. Cortwright, of West Fifth street.

Miss Coombs, of Westervelt avenue, has returned from a visit with Staten Island friends.

Mrs. George H. Babcock, of West Eighth street, has gone to Ashaway, R. I., for a few days' stay.

Frank J. Hubbard, of West Fifth street, returned from Sea Cliffe for over Saturday and Sunday.

Louis S. Kelly, of Church street, visited his old home at Readington, Somerset county, yesterday.

Frank Baynon, of Orange, was in town Sunday visiting Mrs. W. C. Ayers, of West Second street.

Louis Schutt, of Duer street, has accepted a position with a large New York firm, dealing in rubber goods.

The family of the late Walter A. Bass have left their home on West Eighth street and are now boarding.

H. B. Brooks, of Rockview avenue, is on a four weeks' business trip to St. Paul and other points in the far west.

Charles VanMiddlesworth has returned to Brooklyn, after spending a few days with his parents on Liberty street.

Mrs. J. T. Armstrong and son, Howard, of Brooklyn, are guests of Mrs. Armstrong's parents on East Fourth street.

Rev. Hunter Corbett, D. D., of Chefoo, China, will speak in the Crescent Avenue church chapel at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

Rev. Father Smyth, pastor of St. Mary's church, went to Asbury Park yesterday to attend to some important church matters.

Ex-Councilman Seymour G. Smith, of Crescent avenue, has been entertaining his friend, Robert Luce, of New York, for a few days.

Miss Lena Bass returned to her duties at the Plainfield High School yesterday after an absence on account of the death of her father.

Walter Jenkins and Miss Anna Jones, two well known colored people of this city, will be married on December 28th. They will live in Netherwood, where Mr. Jenkins now boards.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still, when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth $5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Poles have been erected along Codington avenue for the electric lights which the residents hope to have at an early date.

—Many of the teachers from the North Plainfield Public School are attending the Somerset County Teachers' Convention at Somerville.

Mrs. C. W. Runyon and daughter, Ethel Marie, of West Fourth street, will spend Thanksgiving in Philadelphia with Mrs. Runyon's parents.

—Tuesday evening, December 1st, Inspecting Officer Claddox, of Rahway, will inspect John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, of this city.

—Dinner will be served in the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day at the fair of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., which will include turkey and all the delicacies.

—Arrangements are already making for a card and domino party to be given by the members of Senate Lodge, No. 3512, K of H., on Thursday evening of next week. There will of course be the usual elaborate feed.

—As the cold weather is approaching, the smoking room at the station has become a sort of rendezvous for young men and boys. This is particularly the case on Sunday nights. The more depraved of the younger element are not content to go there and sit out of the cold, but they cut up such capers as to make themselves obnoxious to the passengers and others, so Sunday night Officer McCue weeded out the intruders and told them to stay out under threats of arrest.

A LITTLE GIRL'S SURPRISE.

Juvenile Games Played and a Good Time Had All Around.

A pleasant and complete surprise was tendered to Miss Stella Vermeule at her home, 28 Jackson avenue, last evening, by a number of her little friends. The evening was spent pleasantly with games, music and and singing. In the game of Helen's naughty baby, the first prize was won by little Miss Mary Woolston, and the booby prize by Master Joe Finney.

About 9:30 refreshments were served. When they departed for their homes all agreed in saying they had spent a delightful evening. It was arranged by the little Misses Edith Finney and Nellie Vermeule. Among those present were: The little Misses Hazel Martin, Clara Martin, Stella Vermeule, Minnie Nischwitz, Maude Sharkey, Grace Sharp, Mary Woolston, Grace Powell, Edith Mantz, Bertha Mantz, Carrie Krewson, Ethel Noe, Edith Finney, Nellie Vermeule, and Masters Clyde Slater, Joe Finney and Charles Powell.

SURPRISED AT HER HOME.

A Delightful Affair at the Home of Miss Bessie Giles.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Bessie Giles, of East Sixth street, last evening. It was planned by Miss Cora Richardson, of East Sixth street, and Miss Giles was invited to Miss Richardson's home for the early part of the evening while the guests assembled. When all was ready Miss Giles was marched home to find to her surprise that the house was full of a merry party of young people. The rest of the evening then passed delightfully with games and dancing, while refreshments were served toward the close. The gay party finally broke up at about 1 o'clock.

Whist at the Park Club.

The third of the evenings of "Compass Whist" at the Park Club was held last evening and was enjoyed by quite a number of the members and their friends. These evenings are becoming very popular and have greatly increased the interest in whist.

A New Sportings Goods Store.

William H. Rogers, the well known bicycle dealer on West Fifth street, is planning to open up a sporting goods store on North avenue in the spring. He will probably handle Spalding's sporting goods.

—A. D. Phillips, the electrician, is overloaded with work at present and was compelled to refuse an offer to go to Narragansett Pier, R. I., and do a piece of work in one of the mansions at that place. Among the many contracts he now has is the wiring of the new Lincoln School building and the North Plainfield High School building.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W Randolph, 143 East Front st.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Cleveland's.

The chief excellence of Cleveland's baking powder is its perfect healthfulness.

Its raising power comes from cream of tartar and soda (the wholesomest leaven); nothing else. It is not drugged with ammonia or cheapened with alum.

Cleveland's is perfectly wholesome; leavens most, and leavens best.

NEW DESIGNS
LARGE VARIETY.

HIGH GRADE

PARLOR HEATERS,

Stoves, Ranges and Oil Heaters

OUR PRICES ARE LOW.

Hardware, Heater and Furnace Work.

A. M. GRIFFEN.

119 E. Front st. Telephone 6

Trustee's Sale.

Public notice is hereby given that the subscriber will expose for sale on Friday, November 27, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the premises, 146 North avenue, Plainfield N. J., lately occupied by William J. Stephenson, caterer, all the goods and chattels contained in said premises, consisting of a large amount of table cutlery, silver ware, china ware, table cloths, napkins, etc., tables, chairs, hat racks, show cases, ice cream forms, cake pans, machinery, 1 six horse steam engine, 1 ten horse boiler, belts, pulleys, 1 bay horse, 2 wagons harness, lot of tin ware, copper ware etc.

WILLIAM A. CODDINGTON, Trustee.
REED & CODDINGTON, Attorneys. 11 19 6

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No. 138 East Second street. Livery and Boarding and Sale Stable. Horses boarded by the day, week, month or hour. Reasonable prices. Visitors to Plainfield should not allow their horses to stand on the street in the cold or hours when I will take care of them for a nall charge. 1 17 1y

CASINO!

Robertson's Celebrated Comedy of

Thursday Evening, Dec. 3d. Caste.

BY PLAINFIELD AMATEURS.

ALL SEATS RESERVED.

Tickets will be on sale at Armstrong's (Reynold's) Drug store, Monday, Nov. 23d, 8 a. m
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Potter & Kellogg,

DEALERS IN

Lehigh Valley Coal.

Office 209 North avenue. All orders will receive prompt attention. Yard—At Mt. Pleasant, Lehigh Valley Railroad. 10 20 1-7

NOTICE!

Thomas Timbo will hereafter be in front of the U. S. Express office, on North avenue, every morning to supply his customers with the morning papers, instead of at the depot.

I Did More Engraving

in October than ever before in one month--not excepting the holiday month-which is usually the largest. When you remember that October was the last month in a bitter campaign, it means that quality counts.

Plate and fifty cards. - - - $1.25
100 Cards from plate. - - - 1.00

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front Street.

D. W. Littell, of West Seventh street, is able to be out again after a short illness.

Clarence VanDeventer, of East Fifth street, has accepted a lucrative position at Albany. He left last night by the Citizens Line of steamers to begin his labors.

Frank Hand and family, who have been occupying a house on Johnston's drive for several months, have again taken up their residence on Fairview avenue.

Miss Carrie Kellogg, of Mt. Pleasant, who is now teaching school at Bernardsville, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Alice Needham, of Craig place.

YOU WILL WANT

French Flannels,
Scotch Flannels,
Embroidered Flannels,
Silk and Wool Flannels,
Infants' Flannels.
When you see the variety at PECK'S.

--JAQUETT'S--

CLOTHING Of the Latest Style for Men, Boys' and Children. Suits and Overcoats.

SUITS and OVERCOATS. School Suits, from 75c. up.
NOVELTIES FOR CHILDREN. Full lines in Top Coats, Reefers and Separate Pants.
MEN'S FURNISHINGS. All of the latest Novelties in Ties, Collars, Shirts, Suspenders, HOSIERY, GLOVES, UNDERWEAR.
HATS of the Latest Styles at Moderate Prices.
One Price—Cash. Money refunded if goods are not as represented.
129 EAST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Creamery Butter
20 & 25c Per Pound at
J. F. MACDONALD'S
Uptown Grocery.

Values Extraordinary

These two words mean business to us and money to you. It is now high time for you to don your heavy weight clothes. You are going to buy them of WERNER for the Prices make you. If you don't believe it here are the prices:

Nobby all-wool Suits, Single or Double Breasted, - $4.00
Fine " Cheviot Suits, Single or Double Breasted, 5.50
Elegant " Men's Cash. " " " " $6 & $7.

OTHERS AT $8, $9, $10 AND UP.

Our Overcoat stock consists of the most desirable and best selected goods in the market. These elegant Fur Beaver, Chinchilla and Kersey Coats are going at prices unheard of Come while the assortment is complete.

WERNERS!

Hats and Gent's Furnishings—FOR YOU.

Bargains in Real Estate
For sale or to let.
MONEY to loan on first mortgage.

E. C. Mulford,

Send for blank contracts. 109 North avenue
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BROKER.

Communications pertaining to the business mentioned, either by letter or otherwise, will receive prompt attention. Carriage service supplied.

PUTNAM & DEGRAW.

Ladies Cardigan Jackets, 75c and $1. Men's Cardigan Jackets, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.25. Specials in Table Linen from 25c. to $1 yd. Infants Sacques from 25c. up. Underwear for Ladies', Gent's and Children. Scotch Wool Gloves for Men and Boys—all prices. Warner Bros. Corsets. Thompson "Glove Fitting" Corsets.

210 WEST FRONT STREET.

CUT THIS OUT.

Save this and wait until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring this with you to

214 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J.

Received the entire remaining fall and winter stock of a leading New York wholesale clothing house consigned to us to be sold at once without regard to cost which means an opportunity of buying Suits, Trousers, boys suits and men's suits and men's overcoats and ulsters at about one-third of the actual value in order to prove what tremendous sacrifices will be made. We mention a few of the extraordinary bargains, and we advise you to cut this out and bring it with you, so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here: 100 fine men's overcoats, that sold for $11.00, now $3.75; 100 extra fine men's overcoats in latest style silk or satin lined at $5.95; men's fine all wool cassmere suits, $10.00, at $4.00; men's fancy worsted suits, worth $15.00, at $6.90; men's all wool English clay diagonal frock suits, worth $18, at $7.50; men's fine ulsters, worth $10.00, at $3.50; 400 men's pants, worth $3.00, at $1.25; 225 pair striped cassmere pants, worth $4.00, at $1.50. Hundreds of other styles of goods, space will not allow to mention. All we say is come and judge for yourself. Boys suits, $1.65, worth $4.50; boy's winter overcoats, at $1.65, worth $3.50. Now don't delay, for these bargains are not like the sun to last for evermore, but come at once to the

New York Clothing Company,
214 WEST FRONT STREET,
M. WEINBERGER.
Near Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

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"THE EVER BUSY STORE."
113 WEST FRONT STREET.

A Great Sale of Hosiery.

Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.
Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 39c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—2½c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 12c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

The Central Railroad Company has had a force of men at work for a day or two taking out the old cross ties east of the round house, and substituting new ones. Yesterday, while at work one of the laborers came within an ace of being struck by a fast line flyer.

Adam Dealaman went to the Metropolis yesterday and made arrangements for his Thanksgiving supply of groceries.

The members of the Dunellen foot ball team went to Cranford Saturday and came home victorious with a score of 10 to 0.

On Thanksgiving Day at 10 a. m., the Dunellens play foot ball with a Somerville team, at the latter place. Many foot ball enthusiasts from here will go up and whoop 'em up for the Dunellen boys.

Court Dunellen, No 1123, I. O. F., met in the Lincoln School hall Monday night and arranged for the initiation of three new members.

Miss Georgiana Reusch, of Cranford, is visiting among New Market and Dunellen friends.

There will be music and mirth, wedding presents and a general good time at the home of the bride's parents in New Market, this evening, when Philip Mitze and Miss Lizzie Reusch are to be joined in the bonds of holy matrimony by Rev. Mr. Fletcher. A reception will follow at the brides' home to which a large number of invites have been issued.

A movement is on foot to close all the stores on Thanksgiving Day. Some of them will, however, remain closed all day and others have signified their willingness to close at noon.

Engineer Flynn, who is taking John McCall's place while the latter is off on a ten days vacation, is stopping at the Park Hotel.

Game Wardens Chas. P. Sebring and E. Brown, the latter from Cranford, were on the alert for Sunday hunters about here last Sunday. They devoted much of the time about the farms at and about Gatesville, near Bound Brook, but they made no arrests.

Services will be held in Holy Innocents church on Thursday evening, beginning at seven o'clock. Rev. Mr. Phillips, the rector, will officiate.

James VanMiddleworth, of Elizabeth, is visiting his brother, John, here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cladek, of Rahway, have been spending a few days with Dunellen friends.

The members of the Dunellen Athletic Association will have a sort of house warming in Friendship Hall on Thanksgiving night. Music will be furnished by the Ladies Orchestra.

Mrs. Watson Emory has been visiting friends in New York.

A fire adjustor from the Germania Insurance Company, of New York, was in town yesterday and satisfactorily adjusted the loss on Sandford A. Staples house. The adjustor would not state the amount allowed but it is understood to be $250.

There will be no school this week on account of the teachers' institute.

No regular service was held in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening on account of the union service in the M. E. church.

Rev. Mr. Glasscock the evangelist will hold extra revival meetings every afternoon and evening this week in the M. E. church.

The parish guild of Holy Innocents church will give a Christmas sociable on December 15th at Friendship Hall, New Market. A visit from Mrs. Santa Claus is expected.

—Tomorrow only, Wednesday, Nov. 25th, VanEmburgh will sell 1000 yards French percales, yard wide, 12c. and 15c. quality, at the ridiculous low price of 7 3-4 c. yard.

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SCOTCH PLAINS.

The people of this vicinity are just now fearing a water famine. Many wells have already gone dry and many others are getting very low. Wells that have for the past half century always given a pure and wholesome supply of water, are now dry, and many of the residents are now obliged to resort to the town pump for their supply of drinking water. The town pump has also felt the effect of the subterranean drainage, caused, undoubtedly, by the continual pumping at the Water Supply Company's station, and that, too, went dry recently. But Proprietor Emery is determined that neither man or beast shall go dry, so he has had the town pump drilled several feet deeper.

Thos. Peltz, otherwise and better known as "Tim Tulin" took a day off hunting yesterday. There was plenty of game, but "Tim" only got two rabbits, and these he bought, it is said.

W. H. Turton is confined to the house suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

The Young People's League, recently organized, will hold a meeting in the parlors of the church Saturday evening, when all are invited to call and spend a pleasant evening.

Judge Clark laid aside his legal duties yesterday and went out in search of game. The Judge is a little delicate in telling just what he got, but he does not hesitate to say that most of the game got away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Emmons, of North Plainfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Lee.

Little Frankie and Miss Sadie Lee, were able to go out yesterday after their recent serious indisposition.

Mrs. M. Connors and friend from Garwood, were guests at the Westside Hotel, yesterday.

There will be turkeys, ducks and dancing in profusion at the well known Westside Hotel on Thanksgiving Eve. A stage load from Plainfield will spend the evening at the hotel.

A MORNING BLAZE.

The Fire Department Called Out to Extinguish a Burning Barn.

For the third time this year Dominick McNamee saw his property fast disappearing in flame and smoke. Shortly after eleven o'clock this morning an alarm was sent in from box 35, at the corner of Arlington avenue and West Fifth street, and the fire department responded at once. The fire proved to be in the barn of George Schuck, on Arlington avenue, between West Sixth and Seventh street, where Mc Namee is storing his goods.

The barn, which is a small one, was blazing fiercely when the apparatus arrived, but it was soon extinguished and the hay in the building was well soaked to prevent another conflagration. The two cows, a horse, a wagon and other contents of the barn were removed in safety.

The cause of the fire is unknown. McNamee's driver was in the barn shortly before the fire, but he declares that he did not go up in the loft where the fire started. The lost is about $100, which is fully covered by insurance.

Shot a Play Indian.

Two lads named Morelle and Burke were playing "Indians" in Stelle's woods last Friday, when Morelle fired an air gun at Burke, and the little stick he used for ammuunition made a small cut on one of Burke's pedal extremeties. Morelle is a colored boy of about ten years of age, living on Central avenue. He was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Hartpence, but was released as soon as he was brought before Chief Grant. Burke is eight years old, and lives on West Fourth street. The injury was a very slight one.

John Steiner, of Somerset street, entertained a friend from New York over Sunday.

David Thomas, of the New York Military Academy at Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, spent Sunday with his friend William Sweeney, of West Fourth street.

John C. Whiting, secretary of the boys' department at the Twenty-third street branch of the New York Y. M. C A., is spending a few days at his home on East Sixth street.

The Misses Miles, of Somerset street, were given a very enjoyable surprise party last night by a few of their friends. The evening was spent in dancing after which refreshments were served.

—VanEmburgh and Son have a special sale tomorrow.

Good advice: Never leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For sale by T. S. Armstrong, druggist.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—The Music Hall building on West Front street is being connected with the sewer.

—L. E. Hart, of West Front street, is making several improvements about his house.

—A new fence is being erected around the property at the corner of Liberty and Third streets.

—People who use the trolley cars are beginning to think that it is about time the stoves contained some heat.

—H. S. Thatcher, of Camp, 28, S. of V., will go to Red Bank tomorrow evening to inspect the camp at that place.

—There will be no session in the Plainfield public schools on Thursday and Friday, on account of Thanksgiving.

—The landlord and tenant case of Thickstun against Killoran in the court of Justice Nash was settled yesterday.

—The pin boys at the Park Club alleys have blossomed out in new uniforms, bright with shining brass buttons.

—The regular church prayer meeting of the First M. E. church will be held in Vincent chapel tonight instead of Wednesday.

—The sidewalk in front of the United States Express Company's office has been relaid to conform with the other walks.

—An interesting meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will be held tonight, when there will be nomination of officers.

—Tom Barber went after the elusive "cottontail" yesterday afternoon and returned with two of the coveted animals in his game bag.

—The Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation are in session in the Common Council chambers this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

—There will be a dance in the Olympia Thanksgiving Eve., under the auspices of Frank Blatz, William Kitchen and John DeMeza.

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps has been engaged to participate in the parade of No. 2 Engine Company on Thanksgiving Day.

—The entertainment committee of the Park Club will hold a meeting this evening to arrange for an entertainment for Christmas week.

—Trolley cars on Front street were obliged to use one track yesterday while the sewer connection was being made to the Music Hall building.

—James Babbitt was seen early this morning, gun in hand, starting out on a hunting expedition. It is safe to say that he will not return home empty-handed.

—A meeting of the Women's Association of the Congregational church was held yesterday afternoon to pack a Christmas box for a missionary at Oklohoma.

—The board walk on Jackson avenue, near Somerset street, has been repaired. From the appearance of the walk it cannot be repaired many more times.

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps has been engaged to advertise the fair of Franklin Council, J. O. U. A. M., at Ulrich's clubhouse on Thursday evening.

—The Church of the Heavenly Rest will receive $20 as their share of the profits from the recent entertainment given in the parish house by Mrs. J. H. Buckley and Miss Etta Raybert.

—A horse belonging to Patrick Nugent, a milkman, of West Third street, was taken ill with the colic on West Fourth street, Sunday morning, and died soon after. The owner was notified to remove the body at once.

—There will be no prayer service at the First Prosbyterian church tomorrow evening, owing to the fact that Rev. Dr. Hunter Corbett, late of China, will deliver a lecture in the Crescent Avenue church on that evening.

—Robert Fairbairn brought to his Westfield stables Saturday his recent purchase, the celebrated horse Baron Rosa. What price was paid for the horse is not stated, but the last time the horse was sold the price was $10,000.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

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Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired. Inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

Houses and Lots For Sale.

2 6-room new houses for sale on New street, near Fourth street, lots 34x105, connected with city sewer, water in kitchen, sidewalks flagged Small amount down, balance can remain at 5 per cent.

2 new houses on South avenue, near Berckman street, 6 rooms, good cellar and attic. Lot 50x100. Terms easy. All rooms papered. Sidewalks flagged, etc.

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2 lots for sale on Third street, near New st., sidewalk flagged; easy terms; will advance money to build at 5 per cent. Elegant building lots on East Sixth street for sale; convenient to schools, churches, etc.; near trolley cars; very easy terms. I will offer the above property at such a low figure that any one desiring a home in a good location cannot do better with their money than to purchase before property advances. Come at see me at 171 North avenue. Open evenings until 9 o'clock. Monthly payments taken.

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DIED.

KNIFFIN—Died in this city Nov. 24, 1896, Sarah J. Kniffin, wife of Geo. VanVliet. Funeral services at her late residence, 1128 Prospect avenue, on Thursday, at 3 p. m. Interment at Trinity cemetery, New York, Friday morning. 11-24-2

TIMS—In this city, Nov. 24, 1896, Peter Tims in his 48th year. Funeral services from his late residence 529 East Sixth street, Friday afternoon, Nov. 27, at 2.30 p. m. 11-24-2t

WANTS AND OFFERS.

WANTED—Girl, white, to help with housework. Call Watchung avenue one house from Fairview, North Plainfield.

FOR EXCHANGE — Centrally located residence on large lot in Westfield, value $4500, no encumbrances; want small Plainfield house of about equal value. Address Mr. L. H., care Press. 11 24 5

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FURNISHED room to let. 189 North avenue. 11 24 2

AN honest reliable man wants a situation as coachman, first class reference. Apply 826 East Front St. 11 24 2

WANTED—Situation by a respectable young girl as chambermaid and waitress, or would do general housework in small private family. Best references. Address box 356, Westfield N. J.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 817 First place. 11 23 2

TO LET—Elegant 6 room apartments, Jackson building, steam heat, janitor service, halls carpeted, heated and lighted. Rent reasonable, particulars at Packer's furniture store. 11 23 tf

FOR SALE—Lawn manure. Inquire A. Wolfe, 261 West Front street. 11 21 3

TO LET—Two furnished rooms one front and one bed room With or without board. Call 316 E. Second st. 11 21 3

TO LET four rooms all improvements $10 and $12. Inquire 147 East Fifth street. 11-18-6

214 EAST NINTH STREET. Large handsome rooms to let with board. 11 18 6

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THANKSGIVING HYMN

By Charles Eugene Banks.

Behold the garnered treasures of the field!
All promises of April are fulfilled;
The earth exhausted with its bounteous yield,
As some brown Samson suddenly o'erwilled,
Shorn of its flowing locks all nerveless lies
A helpless subject to the low'ring skies.

From distant fields come lowing herds of kine
To lie at ease beside the bursting rick,
Content to know, with reason wond'rous fine,
If fast or slow the clock of Nature tick,
That shelter, food and drink in plenty wait
To cheer their stay within the farmyard gate.

What though old Winter rouses in the north,
Who fears him now that Plenty reigns supreme?
The honest yeomen lead their children forth
To mingle voices with the praiseful stream,
The prayerful rushes and the chanting wood,
In grand thanksgiving to the God of good.

Impatient Love, now weary tasks are done,
Trips all as lightly to the homely tune
As fairies sporting where the brooklets run
Through rose-trees nodding in the month of June.
Hope long deferred a sweet fulfillment finds,
As grapes give answer to the bending vines.

Not rural homes alone to-day are blest,
The mother welcomes everywhere her child,
The worlding stands a sinner self-confessed
And is again to virtue reconciled.
Thanksgiving for the spirit born of Thee,
O man of God in blessed Galilee!

From lowly vale and lofty mountain peak
Still prayer and praise and glad thanksgiving rise;
The strong grow thoughtful of the poor and weak,
The dove of peace from cot to palace flies,
While strange, sweet music wakened by her wings
Thrills every heart till every creature sings:

The Lord in His temple
No'er ceases forgiving,
Sing praise to Him, praise to Him,
Praise and Thanksgiving.

THANKSGIBIN' IDA.

"If none were sick and none were sad
What service could we render?
I think if we were always glad,
We scarcely could be tender."

It was 24 years ago, on Thanksgiving day 1872, that dainty little cards announced to the many friends in society's world that unto Margaret and Edward Stanhope a daughter had been born.

Into the softly lighted, luxurious room where the mother lay, Edward Stanhope walked gently. He sat down beside the bed and held tenderly the hand of the wife and mother.

The white-capped, important-looking nurse, obeying his gesture, brought from its lace and downy nest the tiny, carefully-guarded pink and white mortal and laid it down between them with much careful patting and adjustment of its dainty draperies.

Together the father and mother gazed fondly at the child; the mother with the expression that only mother-love and reverent thankfulness can give to a happy woman's face, while the father's manly countenance showed wonder and paternal love just dawning.

As the husband rose to leave the room, he kissed his wife tenderly, saying: "We have great cause for thankfulness

AND LAID IT DOWN BETWEEN THEM.

on this day, and always. What more welcome and precious gift could have come to us than this? God grant that she may be the cause of thankfulness to many as the years go on."

And happy Margaret gently pressed his hand as her eyes turned toward their baby daughter with love and thankfulness.

Twenty-four years later this precious little Thanksgiving bundle had unfolded and become to the social world Miss Margaret Stanhope, a lovely and lovable, helpful member of society.

The bell of the Maternity home clanged sharply a week after Thanksgiving day of 1895.

A trim matron, in a blue seersucker gown and neat, white apron, answered the bell. The visitor, showing her a slip of newspaper and a card, asked to see Ida.

The nurse glanced inquiringly at the visitor and the card and then read the slip that said: "Housewives who will take women with infants for general housework can be supplied by applying to the Children's Aid society."

The matron said there was a colored woman there named Ida, and that she could be seen.

The maternity ward was clean and bare except for the long rows of iron bedsteads. In these beds lay women and girls. There were young slips of girls, young women, and middle-aged faces here and there. Faces lined and seamed with trouble, poverty, hard work and care. Sad faces, bad faces, bold faces, scared, white despairing faces of young girls, ashamed of the tiny bundles beside them.

But the dusky face of Ida, with its mournful eyes and patient mouth, was not easily forgotten.

Her emaciated form lay immovable upon the cot and a tiny bundle, wrapped in a coarse flannel blanket, lay beside her. When the blanket was pulled aside, the contents proved to be a small, wriggling study in mahogany.

That it had been a study to Ida, one could see by the loving but troubled glance she gave it.

At first she was reticent and shy, but after a while the story came out. Ida

"SHE DUN KUM UP THANKSGIBIN' DAY."

spoke in the softly modulated voice of her race, but sadder, more monotonous, troubled tones one seldom hears.

She smoothed the counterpane with her thin, black hand slowly as she said: "Yuh see dis is how it is, lady. I'm uh hidin frum him. Ebry wun dat kumz dis-a-way in de waud I sez: 'You is him,' and I dun hides undah de bedcloze an shakes an shakes."

"Yes, yuh see, thehs ben trubble. I reckun ebry wun hez uh heap 'o trubble, an ef it aint laike my heap, its trubble jes' de same, I reckun.

"I wuz jes uh young guhrl an' I seen him. He wuz dressed up naice, an' he had uh mannuhly way—an' so we wuz mahrid. I ain't laike some o' dem poouh guhrls yondah, foh I wuz suah mahried. My cousin, Sylla Pearl, she dun reckuned it wuz de wuhst wuk I evah dun, 'kase Sylla Pearl she nevah tuk no notion to him.

"Well, at fuhst it wuz Ida heah an' Ida yondah, all pleasant an' nice, but wun day he says: 'I ain't got no moh money, Ida, an' I wants uh new pah uh gallusses an' uh betiah hat an' coat. Go out an' git 'em foh me. What yuh good foh, ennyhow—' an'—an'—he hit me, but I reckun he didn't mean dat nohow. Mothah she wuz so gentle an' still kaind o' an' I nevah wuz strong. But 'pears laike de Lawd knows how Ida dun did try to help.

"So den I dun washin's, an' I dun cookin'; foh, ef I do say it, I reckun no wun evah foun enny fault wid my cookin'.

But 'pears laike he had to have so menny trinkets, an' he tuk all de money I could git an'—den 'pears laike he got worse an' worse ub drinkin' an' gamblin', an' de ole doctah I went to when I got so dreffal tired an' sick he said if it wuzn't too late foh me he'd try an' save me but I mus' leave him suah. Den I didn't know whah tuh go, noh what tuh do nex—I reckuned what wus kummin' tuh me."

Here she stopped exhausted, and gave another troubled glance at the unconscious mahogany bundle.

"So dat kin' ole doctah he dun foun' out de lady at de aid society what yuh kum frum, an' she helped me tuh git in heah.

"Yes. I want wuk when I git out ob heah; only pears laike I'm so tairid like—an' de Lawd he dun keeps callin' softly in muh heart—'Kum, Ida—Kum an' res'—Jes' laike my mothah used tuh say when she wuz libin'. So I've laid heah uh studyin' an uh studyin'—an' I sez: Ef de Lawd sez 'kum, Ida, chile; kum an' res' '—den whahs my little baby goin' tuh git tuk cah o'—an' den de Lawd he reach down an' sent some wun foh Ida's little baby. So I reckun de Lawd means I bettah gib it away."

"Give your baby away!" echoed the voice by the bedside.

"Yes, miss," said Ida. "Yuh see it's uh guhl chile an' de livin' image o' him, so I reckun ef she gits uh good raisin' up she'll grow up kind an' willin' tuh wuk an' help 'long."

"But why not keep your baby, Ida, till it is older, and maybe there will be a way opened for you to earn a living for both?"

"Yes, I dun did try tuh t'ink de Lawd meant dat away—but I dassen't keep it, foh ef I dun it, she wud git cunnin' an' crawl aroun', an' be cute laike, an' den, yuh see—yuh see—de Lawd He cudn't ax Ida tuh do sech hahd wuk as dat."

Here Ida turned her troubled eyes away.

"But, Ida," said the voice by the bedside, "who would want to take a little helpless baby? How old is it?"

"She dun kum uh Thanksgibin day. Der wuz uh lady—a young lady, an' she had uh kine, smilin' face, laike she wuz allus good an' happy, she kum in heah de othuh day—an' she reckuns she'll dun tak' it. She sez she'll raise her up, an' train huh to be huh little waitin'-maid, an' sen' huh tuh school sum, an' thet she will lib wid huh always. Dat's de bes' I can do foh huh, 'pears like, an' befoh she gits enny cute ways, an' befoh I gits too taired like to heah de Lawd when He calls in muh heahrt: 'Kum, chile, kum, an' res'.' "

Here Ida paused and lay smoothing the counterpane feebly.

Then she said: "I ben uh studyin' 'bout dem good wuds in de Bible—my mothuh luhned me, 'bout Thanksgibin'—an' 'pears laike Ida kin luhn 'em tuh say tuh de kine Lawd when she gits to His gates: 'Entah—into—His gates, wid—Thanksgibin'.' For de Lawd He jes reached down an' smoothed out all de tangles frum Ida's heap o' troubles an' sent de lady foh huh before she got any cute ways laike. De lady dun put huh name—kahd undah my pillow. Heah it is."

As I read the name, Miss Margaret Stanhope, Ida fumbled feebly for a stump of lead pencil under her pillow, and said:

"Jes put huh name, pointing to the baby, down on de name kahd foh me Call huh 'Thanksgibin'—Ida.' "

The visitor wrote it and handed back the card to Ida, who held it fast as she closed the mother's eyes that had gazed longingly at the little bundle by her side, "uh studyin' an' uh studyin'," hoping and trusting till now she was ready to "Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving."

JENNY FAIRMAN SMITH.

ONE THANKSGIVING.

It was Thanksgiving day and the kitchen so full of delicious odors that Mr. Beebee lingered in it after breakfast, watching his wife make pies.

"Ole Mis' Tooker's goin' to the porehouse to-morrow," she remarked.

"So?" ejaculated Mr. Beebee, a man of few words.

"Why, yes, father; where you been for two days not to hear it? Goin' to the porehouse at Thanksgivin', an' her with two married daughters!"

Mr. Beebee puffed at his pipe, making no reply.

"Jane Rose said she'd take her ma if she'd wear false teeth."

"False teeth, hey?"

"Yes. I'd like to know how she'd even have cut her own teeth if her ma hadn't took care of her while she was doin' it;" she made a dive at the unoffensive cat, "the pore ole sole's most heart broke. Sary Loo won't have her ma because her grammar's bad."

Mr. Beebee took his pipe out of his mouth long enough to say: "Who taught her to talk, I wonder?" and immediately replaced it.

A CAUSE FOR THANKFULNESS

Rastus and Polly Ann lived in the gully below the colonel's mansion, and the colonel's wood-pile and poultry crop were temptations that frequently proved destructive of the morals of that dark-hued couple.

The depredations of Rastus had brought upon his head many a threat, but the colonel had as yet confined himself to words, and Rastus continued to borrow the colonel's wood, and occasionally, a juicy chicken, in spite of the threatened consequences.

However, the colonel decided once and for all to put a stop to the pilfering and to effect the reformation of Rastus he neatly loaded a stout hickory stick with gunpowder and placed it in the wood pile. The lesson conveyed by this innocent piece of wood was apt to be severe, but was calculated to be extremely salutary.

On the eve of Thanksgiving day Rastus cautiously surveyed the rear of the colonel's domain, and finding it wrapped in peaceful solitude, gently abstracted a small turkey from the poultry coop. The turkey had time to utter half a squawk as Rastus' fingers closed round its neck, but that was all. It never breathed again. Then Rastus loaded his arms with wood and hastened down the gully, the ill-gotten spoils in his arms.

The next morning the colonel counted his gobblers and surveyed his wood-pile, and a grim smile twitched the corners of his usually impassive mouth.

"I 'low," said Polly Ann, as she put the turkey in the oven, "I 'low we'uns ain't got oberly much to be t'ankful for, but I suttenly t'ank de good Lord for providin' dis yere turk. Widout you had done cotched him, Rastus, we'uns would

THANKSGIVING IN THE WOODS.

"That's you, father," cried his wife, admiringly, "you ain't much of a hand to talk, but when you do you say something." The sole reply was a grunt.

"She was over to th' graveyard last week to see her husband's grave; says she can't ever hope to get over from the porehouse, bein' sech a poor walker."

Mr. Beebee's pipe was done, and he knocked the ashes out. "She ain't goin' nohow," he said.

"Matthew Beebee, you don't say!"

"Th' church has labored with her da'ters; they're goin' to have her week about. Don't know it herself yet, though; Jane Rose don't want her till after Thanksgivin'—she's goin' to surprise her to-morrow."

"Well, if you wouldn't try the patience of a saint, lettin' me most spoil my Thanksgivin' over it for nothin'. There comes Mis' Roach, father; you watch the pies while I run out and tell her. Say, Mis' Roach, ole Mis' Tooker ain't goin' to th' porehouse!" she cried, breathlessly.

"I know she ain't—" her face was very grave.

"Who told you?"

"The doctor; she died an hour ago."

"An' she never knew she wasn't to go to the porehouse; never knew Jane Rose was comin' fer her to-morrow?"

"Not a word of it; last thing she said was: 'Is the porehouse wagon come yit?' "

Mrs. Beebee sat down upon the steps, her apron over her head, and wept aloud.

OPTIMISTIC.

Clara—Going to church Thanksgiving?

Tilly—No, I ain't got nothin' to be thankful for.

Clara—Well, you ought to be thankful for that.—Bay City Chat.

a' had an almighty slim T'anksgivin' to-day."

"'Deed we would!" said Rastus. "'Deed we would, honey."

"It am a mighty small turk, Rastus," continued Polly Ann, "but you an' me is t'ankful fur small favors. Jist shove

"DOES YOU THINK DAT WAS A TURK WHAT EXPLODE?"

anudder stick o' wood in that stove, you lazy niggah.

Rastus complied. For a moment there was silence. Then came a terrific burst of sound and the stove was torn into fragments. Two lids and a piece of pipe flew through the window. An oven door found egress through the side of the shanty. A portion of the top of the stove, and a "bilin' kettle" smote Rastus to the floor, and Polly Ann found herself on the bed with a stew pan on her head. The turkey was torn to shreds.

Polly Ann recovered first.

"You black fool niggah!" she cried, "what for you steal dat turk? Don't you know de debbil's in what's stole? You might a' knowed dat turk 'ud explode!"

"For de Lord's sake, chile," said Rastus, "does you tink dat was de turk what explode?"

"Dat it was, shore as I'm a niggah," said Polly Ann, solemnly.

"Well, den," said Rastus, rubbing his head, "all I got to say is we's got mighty good reason to be t'ankful. 'Kase if I'd done took one ob de great big turks, we'd a bin blowed clean into de kingdom!"

ELLIS PARKER BUTLER

Thanksgiving Menu.

While some will dine on turkey fine,
Their heartfelt thanks expressing,
Alas! a few will have to do
With crow and chestnut dressing.
—N. Y. Press.

THE GOBBLER.

A gobbler perched on a walnut limb
One chill Thanksgiving morning
Awoke the brood in the daylight dim
With gobbled notes of warning:
He craned his neck and he gazed below
In nervous apprehension,
Where a human being crouching low
Attracted his attention.
"Gobble-obble! Gobble-obble!"
In the morning still,
"Obble-gobble! obble-gobble!"
Cried he, loud and shrill.

IN NERVOUS APPREHENSION.

Then down he flew with a mighty flop,
His wattle redly flaming,
And he gobbled on with scarce a stop
His lordly rank proclaiming;
But close at hand crept the human form,
Each moment drawing nearer,
And old Mr. Gobbler grew quite warm
When he saw the creeper clearer.
"Obble-gobble! obble-gobble!"
Cried the gobbler grand;
"Gobble-obble! gobble-obble!"
Finest in the land.

Swish! went a sharp and gleaming knife—
Off went his head a-flying!
And the valiant bird gave up his life
To man a martyr dying.
In state on the farmer's board that day
Reposed good Mr. Gobbler,
And all who feasted on him did say
There never was turkey nobler.
"Gobble-gobble! obble-obble!"
Now no longer heard;
"Obble-obble! gobble-gobble!"
Great Thanksgiving bird.

FRANK B. WELCH.

OUR NATIONAL HOLIDAY.

There are holidays and holidays. Christmas and New Years are cosmopolitan—are the property of no particular people, but yet are joyously observed by many. But Thanksgiving is purely an American holiday, original in conception and growing from a small beginning until it has reached the dignity of a national event. Its first celebration was by the Plymouth colony in 1621—those sturdy pioneers whose piety was as pronounced as their pluck, who honored themselves by honoring their Deity. The custom soon became more general, spreading over all the New England states. After the revolution it gradually extended to the middle states and later to the west, growing more slowly in the south. In 1863 the patriotic Lincoln forever established it in the list of holidays by proclaiming a day of Thanksgiving, his action being promptly followed by the individual proclamations of the governors of the states, who named the same day. Since then, by common consent, the first announcement of the day is found in the presidential proclamation, and the day so named is also named by the states.

In many ways, says the American Agriculturist, Thanksgiving is one of our most delightful events. It comes at a time when the rigors of winter are not yet at hand. We have at our disposal all the varied products of the soil, and the time for a season of partial rest for the farmer is at hand. One of its most delightful features, which has become quite general, is the gathering together under the old rooftree of all the scattered sons and daughters on this day. Two, three and sometimes four generations thus meet around the festive and hospitable table of the old homestead, and thus fraternal ties are strengthened and filial piety encouraged.

Another and not less commendable feature of this holiday is a practical benevolence which has become very notable. Poor people, to whom a good dinner is a rarity, are hunted out, and in an unostentatious way are helped to properly observe the day, so far as its festive features are concerned. The sick and suffering are remembered in various ways. The homeless are, for the day, made members of some hospitable household, where they can join in its pleasures. Altogether, this is perhaps its best feature. There is no pleasure so lasting, none which affords such real joy, as that which comes to us from the knowledge that we have done a real kindness to some of the suffering children of earth—in some way alleviated their sorrows or eased their pains.

Last, but not least, the devotional spirit which is the impelling motive of the day, is encouraged and developed, we learn to be more contented with our lot, thankful for what we have and hopeful for the future.

Gets More Than His Share.

"I only wish they'd confine Thanksgiving to one day."

"Well, don't they?"

"Not at my house. I'll have to eat cold, minced, deviled and croquetted turkey all next week!"—Chicago Record.

Thanksgiving.

All summer long the barnyard heard
The turkey's brag and boast,
And now they're glad that bumptious bird
On all sides gets a roast!
—N. Y. World.

The Best of All.

Herbert—I like Thanksgiving dinner the best of any in the year.

Aunt Jane—How is that?

Herbert—Because it is so good that I never want the dessert first.—Truth.

November Sentiment.

In blessings shared with humble lots
The truest joys we trace;
Who gives the freest charity
Gives thanks with fairest grace.
—Kansas City Journal.

The American Thanksgiving

By Stanley Waterloo.

Ever it is true that the great peoples are those who give open thanks to the Power they recognize for the good which comes to them. Something in the strong heart has made thanksgiving an instinct of forceful civilization. It has been so since the time when Miriam, the prophetess, played upon the timbrel while her handmaidens danced and the daring Israelites praised God because they had safely passed the sea. The old Greeks made thank-offerings to their gods, and the bearded Norsemen expressed their clamorous gratitude to Odin and Thor. To the world-dominating Anglo-Saxon, with his religion of Christ, came the same impulse, and it has clung to him in each vast wilderness he has invaded. Not only has he been a giver of thanks, but he has dignified and glorified the duty and made it a feature of his national life.

It was almost a matter of course that there should suggest itself to the Puritans, rigid and God-fearing as the most earnest of Cromwell's roundheads, the idea of a thanksgiving that should be formal, but it was from the flux of a new nature's munificent influence upon their lives that there came a mellowing to the character of the day's observance, that a certain hardness disappeared, and that the occasion became one of open joyousness. The little shrub of observance planted in 1621 by the good Gov. Bradford has grown into a mighty tree with flowers amid its fruit.

It was good, all that happened about the time of the first Thanksgiving day. The Pilgrim fathers were in a particularly jubilant mood—for them—on that occasion. Years of scanty crops and threatening starvation had been followed by a bountiful harvest and there was an absolute genialty in the preliminaries to the famous dinner. It was to be a game dinner, a dinner fit for any epicure who ever lived, and none so mean in all the colony but should be present. So were opened the hearts of those rugged worshipers that they were not content with even this but summoned old Sachem Massasoit and all his swart retainers, and when the feast was spread red man and white sat down together and were brothers. Here was Christian spirit; here was an exhibition of that broad humanity and care for the other man taught by Him who walked the strand of Galilee. Here was practical Christianity, and who shall say that from this hour, when such kindly hospitality was shown, when the good things God has bestowed upon men were eaten appreciatively and joyously, and when thanks were given more sonorously than in the past, there was not given birth to the germ of that broadness and joyousness, even in worship, which has become a trait of the American character.

So we have made of Thanksgiving a day of gratitude all untrammeled, a day the accompaniments of which are merry, as they should be. The reunion of families and of friends, the feasting and the laughter, even the legend of the ennobled American bird, all combine to make of the day something genuine and religiously beautiful. There is the strain of the timbrel. Never was a greater national holiday, never one more perfect in its spirit. It is in itself one of the things to be thankful for to the Power which has so blessed so vast a land.

GUARDING THE ROOST.

Farmer Oatcake (sternly)—What do you mean by hanging 'round my turkey roost at this time of night?

Mose—Bress my soul! Am dat yo', Mr. Oatcake? I was guardin' de place, sah; I was guardin' it! There's a good many thievin' niggahs around about Thanksgivin' time.—Texas Siftings.

As Seen by Him.

The old gobbler looked dreamily away over the back-yard fence.

"Yes—"

(A shudder ran through his frame)—"they are bringing out all our family skeletons these days."

A glance at the debris from the dinner table showed that this was only too true.—N. Y. World.

Thanksgiving.

What though we burn wood by the cord
And weather prophets croak?
Soon on the groaning festive board
The turkey, stuffed, will smoke.
Then something to the poor we'll spare—
Who're always with us here—
And we'll forget all grief and care
In sweet Thanksgiving cheer.

What He Had.

Richards (discontentedly)—Thanksgiving day, eh? I don't know what I've got to be thankful for!

Wraggs—Why, you've got a good home, splendid prospects and a big income.

Richards (savagely)—Yes, and dyspepsia.—N. Y. World.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 15 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 35 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 28 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 23 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

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CONSUELO'S GUESTS

Visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales to Blenheim Castle.

A WEEK OF GAYETY AND FETES

The Castle Grounds and Village of Woodstock Handsomely Decorated---His Highness and the Young Duke Go Gunning This Morning

Woodstock, Nov. 24.—The Prince of Wales, Prince Charles of Denmark and the Duke of Marlborough left Blenheim palace this morning for a shooting excursion into the extensive Blenheim preserves. During the visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales with the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, which will continue for a week, there will be a succession of fetes at Blenheim and torchlight processions in the village of Woodstock. The grounds surrounding Blenheim palace are gaily decorated and at night are beautifully lighted with hundreds of incandescent lamps. The village of Woodstock is also gaily decorated with flags, banners and triumphal arches in honor of the royal visitors. Besides the Prince and Princess of Wales, their daughters, Princess Victoria of Wales and Princess Maud of Denmark, and Prince Charles of Denmark, husband of Princess Maud, the visitors include Lady Randolph Churchill and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Curzon. Owing to the recent death in New York of Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt, grandmother of the Duchess of Marlborough, the annual country ball will be abandoned, but public celebrations will continue throughout the week, including a grand reception given by the Duchess of Marlborough on Friday, at which most of the leading aristocrats will assemble. When the Prince of Wales' special train with the royal visitors arrived at Woodstock last evening it was met by the Duke of Marlborough who was awaiting at the station. A large crowd of people assembled outside. The royal party was greeted with cheers as they made their way to carriages in which they were driven to Blenheim palace. The carriages were escorted by the mayor and town council on foot, and the Woodstock fire brigade acted as a guard of honor, marching behind the carriages to the gates of Blenheim park. The Prince and Princess of Wales were enthusiastically cheered by the people who lined the roadway.

BRYAN'S HOME QUARANTINED.

Ruth, the 11-year-old Daughter, Afflicted with Diphtheria.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 24.—Health Officer Rhode last evening went out to 1,625 D street and tacked a quarantine card upon Hon. W. J. Bryan's house. Ruth, the 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, and the oldest child in the household, is afflicted with diphtheria and the usual precautionary measures had to be taken by the authorities to prevent the spreading of the disease. The doctors in attendance pronounce the attack to be a slight one and have hopes of a speedy disappearance of the malady. The quarantine will not materially affect Mr. Bryan's movements nor did it prevent his departure for Denver last night. He expects to return Thanksgiving Day and, if possible, will begin active work on his forthcoming book.

Vermont Sons of the Revolution.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 24.—The anniversary exercises of the Vermont society, Sons of the Revolution were held in Harmony hall yesterday afternoon, the chief feature being an oration by Chauncey M. Depew of New York, president of the Empire State society Sons of the Revolution. Those present included state officers, members of the legislature, judges of the supreme court, ex-governors, color-bearers and members of the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution. Arrangements were made for a large audience at the armory, where fully 3,000 people assembled, including delegations from Burlington, Rutland, St. Albans and other places.

Chicago Banker Sent to Joliet.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Ex-Banker Anthony Kozel, who failed last May for $114,000 was locked up yesterday afternoon and to-day taken to Joliet prison on an indeterminate sentence, having confessed to fraudulent practices in handling funds intrusted to his care. He is the first banker to go to the penitentiary in this state for the misuse of funds entrusted to his care.

32-Pound Turkey for the President.

Stonington, Conn., Nov. 24.—Horace Vose yesterday shipped a monster turkey to President Cleveland for his Thanksgiving Day dinner. The bird weighed thirty-two pounds, and was the largest one raised in this part of the state this year. Vose has supplied the presidents' Thanksgiving and Christmas turkeys for many years.

Gen. Lee Visits the State Department.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee conducted his wife and daughter through the state department yesterday afternoon, making brief calls on the various officials. Gen. Lee says he has no idea when he will return to Havana. He is ready to go at any time.

Abandoned Bark Passed at Sea.

London, Nov. 24.—The British brig Strathmair, from New York, which arrived at Londonderry last night, lost her maintopgallantmast on the passage. She reports passing in mid-ocean the Norwegian bark Nordlyeet, abandoned and waterlogged.

Frozen Herring Fishermen at Work.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 24.—Five American vessels, the first of the frozen herring fleet, have arrived at Placentia bay in quest of herring.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:57 a.m.
Sun sets: 4:37 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:37 p. m.

CAUGHT UP ON GRIDIRON

NTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

No game was arranged between the Hunters and the Alis teams for last Friday afternoon. The Hunter team practiced that afternoon on Park avenue grounds, also that evening. The Hunter team averages from 18 to 20 years and from 140 to 150 pounds and will play all teams averaging about the same.

Negotiations have almost been concluded between the Y. M. C. A. football team and the eleven from the New Jersey Athletic Club for a game on Saturday. The Jersey boys are very anxious to play the Plainfield team and are now offering to come at more reasonable terms. Should the game be played, it will be the hardest of the season for the Plainfield players.

VARIOUS SPORTS.

With the approach of winter comes hockey, the best of all winter sports, and the Plainfield High School Athletic Association is planning for a team this season. Carroll Runyon is manager of the team and is already considering the make up of the team. A challenge has been received from the Montclair High School which will probably be accepted at once. Other games will be arranged with New York schools and games played in the ice rink there. They are hoping that the Crescent Cycle Academy will be converted into one so that games can be played there. Manager Runyon expects to organize two teams as there is an abundance of good material in the High School. Among the principal candidates for the first team are Carrol Runyon, Walter Serrell, Harold Chandor, Sydney R. Titsworth, Charles Noble, William Fisher, Lindley Hillman, George Proctor Smith, Walter Squires, and Herman Osmond.

CYCLING COMMENT.

A new bicycle club has been organized in this city. No name has yet been selected but will be at a meeting in the near future. The organizers anticipate a lively season for the club next year when regular runs will be held. Although the club has only been started a few days the membership is already over twenty. Among the originators of this new club are Herbert Overbaugh, George Babcock, Bert Eick, Bert Sutphen and Walter Frey. The club-rooms will be those over Woolston & Buckle's store on North avenue, formerly occupied by the Crescent Wheelmen.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

Following is the standing of the clubs in the above league:

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	3	1
Elizabeth A. C.	3	3
Westfield	2	2
Roselle Casino	2	2
Cranford Country Club	2	2
New Jersey A. C.	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	1	3

The game in the Central Journal League, scheduled for tomorrow evening, has been postponed until next Monday night. It is to be rolled in Plainfield.

BASKET BALL.

The Y. M. C. A. first team will play its first match game next Friday night in this city at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The visiting team is the second team from the Twenty-third street branch of the New York Y. M. C. A. A return game will be played at New York on January 16.

A Chimney Fire.

An alarm of fire, sent in from box 15, corner of Washington and East Third streets, by Patrolman Myers, called out the fire department at 12:40 this morning. The fire proved to be in the chimney on the house owned by Wm. Brown, 252 East Third street, and it was found necessary to use five extinguishers to put the fire out. The smell of smoke awakened the family and they notified the patrolman who sent in the alarm. The damage was slight.

George O. Stevens Declines.

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—I learned through the newspaper columns yesterday that I had been nominated for the office of City Treasurer on the Democratic ticket. While I wish to thank my friends for the honor conferred upon me, I must positively decline to allow my name to stand. Geo. O. Stevens.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

SILVER WEDDING EVENT

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM E. GARDNER SURPRISED LAST EVENING.

A Party of Friends Make an Unexpected Visitation and the Evening Was Passed Away in a Most Pleasant Manner.

The silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gardner, of 998 Central avenue, was celebrated last evening by a complete surprise. Their daughters, the Misses Gardner, arranged the affair, which was a delightful one. The decorations, green and white, were exceedingly pretty and consisted of white chrysanthemums, smilax vines, potted plants and ferns, which were arranged in an alcove and formed a massive bank of nature's choicest flowers.

A handsome present given to Mr. and Mrs. Gardner was a basket containing twenty-five white chrysanthemums, tied with a satin bow bearing the dates 1871-1896. Genuine sociability was the feature of the evening, and the bride and groom were showered with congratulations. They also received a fine collection of presents.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Miss Phoebe Turner, Mrs. LaBar, Forbes Deguid, New York; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Haynes, Geo. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. E. Burnett, Union, Union county; Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Atteridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. Atteridge, Chatham; Mrs. John Earl, John Earl, E. Miller, John Miller, Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. John Darling, Miss Mable Darling, Mrs. Mary Wade, Miss Mary Gardner, the Misses Gardner, Miss F. Fuller and J. Fuller.

Ed White's Wheel Stolen.

Edward White, of Myrtle avenue, loaned his wheel to a friend on Sunday to take a ride. The friend stopped in Scotch Plains a moment and left the wheel and when he returned the wheel was gone and no trace of it has yet been found. It is supposed that someone rode it away. It was a brand-new Columbia.

Hospital News.

George Summers, of 539 West Fifth street, a medical case at the hospital, was discharged today, having been entirely cured.

The condition of Mrs. Radin, who is at the hospital suffering from burns received recently, is reported as being not so well.

Sociable Postponed.

The sociable of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, which was to be held on Friday night, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D.

Death of Peter Tims.

The death of Peter Tims occurred at his home, 529 East Sixth street. He was forty-eight years of age. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

—Frank Linke has a large line of liquors for the holiday trade.

—The attractive new goods arriving at Edsall's daily and offered at temptingly low prices makes a brisk trade for this popular house.

—No holiday would be complete if you failed to have some of Huyler's celebrated candy. Leggett, the druggist, can supply your wants in this line. Don't fail to leave your order now for Thanksgiving.

—Edward White tells of many good things that are worth your while to see. If there is a new dinner set, glass ware, etc., wanted for Thanksgiving, they are naming some very low prices on some very pretty sets.

—The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church have shipped a box of useful articles, such as clothing, blankets, underwear, shoes, dresses, etc., to Rev. J. Jongeneel, of Central Ridge, N. Y., who, together with his family, is assisted by the women of the above church.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

Lowell, Admired the Genius in It More Than the Moral.

It was the opinion of James Russell Lowell, says Charles Dudley Warner, in the Atlantic, that the anti-slavery element in Uncle Tom and Dred stood in the way of a full appreciation, at least in her own country, of the remarkable genius of Mrs. Stowe. Writing in 1859, he said: "From my habits and the tendency of my studies I cannot help looking at things purely from an aesthetic point of view, and what I valued in Uncle Tom was the genius, and not the moral." This had been his impression when he read the book in Paris, long after the whirl of excitement produced by its publication had subsided, and far removed by distance from local influences. Subsequently, in a review, he wrote: "We felt then, and we believe now, that the secret of Mrs. Stowe's power lay in that same genius by which the great successes in creative literature have always been achieved—the genius that instinctively goes to the organic elements of human nature, whether under a white skin or a black, and which disregards as trivial the conventions and fictitious notions which make so large a part both of our thinking and feeling. * * * The creative faculty of Mrs. Stowe, like that of Cervantes in 'Don Quixote,' and of Fielding in 'Joseph Andrews,' overpowered the narrow specialty of her design, and expanded a local and temporary theme with the cosmopolitanism of genius."

27 HOURS IN THE RIGGING.

Rescue of the San Benita Crew Was a Most Hazardous Undertaking.

Point Arena, Cal., Nov. 24.—The rescue by the Wrott of the twenty-three men who clung to the rigging of the wrecked steamer San Benita for twenty-seven hours during the prevalence of a fierce gale was a most hazardous undertaking. Repeated attempts were made to reach the wreck, but the sea was so rough that it was impossible for a boat to live in it. After midnight, however, the waves began to abate, and a boat from the steamer Wrott, after the greatest difficulty, reached the wreck. The unfortunate sailors were almost exhausted, and had to be assisted into the boat. Twelve men were transferred to the Wrott and the boat returned for the others, they too safely reaching the steamer, making a total of thirty-five saved, eight perishing. The wreck was watched by the people on shore, who kept huge bonfires blazing all night and had patrolled the beach to render all the assistance in their power, but all efforts to get a line off to the wreck were fruitless. The steamer is breaking to pieces.

Protest Against the Bacchante Statue.

Boston, Nov. 24.—The following, adopted by the Boston Methodist preachers, has been sent to the trustees of the Boston public library: "To the honorable board of trustees of the Boston public library: Gentlemen—Being deeply solicitous for the purity, sobriety and uprighteousness of the youths of our city, the Methodist preachers' meeting of Boston here by urgently protests against the placing of the now noted statue Bacchante in the precincts of the public library."

Slavin a Quitter.

New York, Nov. 24.—Frank P. Slavin of Australia wound up his career in this country by quitting in the fourth round of his battle with Bob Armstrong, before the Union Park Athletic club last night. Armstrong was by no means a star and if Slavin had been a good second-rater he could have disposed of the colored man. Slavin having signed for a percentage, he was dissatisfied with the house and endeavored to back out at the beginning.

Hartford's Gold Bonds.

Hartford, Nov. 24.—City Treasurer Strong yesterday afternoon opened bids for the award of the $250,000 3 1-2 per cent. 25-year gold public improvement bonds of the city of Hartford. Twenty-one bids were received aggregating $5,575,000. The highest bid was that of Thomas S. Grimke of New York for the entire issue, at 103.25. No award was made.

Steamers in Collision.

London, Nov. 24.—The British steamer Tower Hill, Captain Parsons, rom New York, November 7, just arrived here, had her stern badly damaged as the result of having been in collision off Gravesend with the teamer Ashbrooke. The latter vessel sustained damage to some of her boats, davits and bridge.

Charged with Poisoning Cows.

Norwich, Vt., Nov. 24.—George W. Lary, arrested on Friday on suspicion of poisoning cows and the wholesale fistribution of paris green about the streets and outer portions of residences, has been placed under $500 bonds for his appearance at the December term of court.

Disease Among Connecticut Cattle.

Hartford, Nov. 24.—The state cattle commissioners tested ten herd of cattle last week containing 139 head. Forty-two were condemned, which were slaughtered, having bovine tuberculosis.

Appointed by the President.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The president has appointed Charles C. Nott of New York, now judge of the court of claims, to be chief justice of the court of claims.

Good Roads Agitation in New York.

Albany, Nov. 24.—Good roads legislation will be vigorously pushed at the coming session of the legislature. Senator Bigbie, who was chairman of the assembly special committee on good roads two years ago, says he will introduce a good roads bill during the first week of the session, and that he has hopes of much being accomplished through the efforts of the good roaders.

May Have To Vacate the Lands.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Secretary of the Interior Francis has about decided that if the settlers upon the lands of the Otoe and Missouria Indians in Kansas and Nebraska, do not pay the amounts due the Indians in a short time they will have to vacate the lands.

Special Excise Agents.

Albany, Nov. 24.—State Excise Commissioner Lyman has appointed Robert G. Woods of Lockport and Charles F. Lewis of Alexander, Genesee county, as special agents under the Raines liquor tax law.

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SEWER NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for Drainage and Sewerage in Cities of this State," approved April 7th, 1890, the following statement is made:

No new contracts have been entered into during the last twelve months, and all the work then under contract, upon the sewers and disposal beds have been finished, and the sewerage system, consisting of 23.65 miles of sewers, together with the disposal area, is now in operation.

The whole cost of the sewers and disposal beds, as per declaration to the commissioners, of assessments, was $160,627.79, not including house connections; $70,500 of sewer notes have been issued during the last twelve months, making a total issue to date, of $156,500 on account of the cost. The commissioners of assessment have not yet made their report to the common council.

Plainfield, November 23, 1896.
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from a factory in Gloversville at 50 cents on the dollar, and will sell them as long as they last in the same way, that is, at 49c the pair. You will be in luck if you get a pair of them. Don't wait too long. They will go quick.

WRAPPERS.

Ladies' Fancy Eiderdown Wrappers in pretty blues, pink, green and brown, made with watteau back and loose front, large bishop sleeves and sailor colar, trimmed with insertion and ribbon. Our New Method Price, $3.40. Ladies' Red Flannelette Wrappers, with loose front and watteau back and large full sleeves. Our New Method Price, 1.69. Ladies' Black and White Flannelette Wrappers, made with watteau back and loose front, large sleeves. Our New Method Price, $1.83. Ladies' Working Wrappers in dark percales and calicos, nicely made, 79. We have a nice assortment of Ladies' Coats, but want of space forbids mention here. Come in and see them. We sell them cheaper than any other house.

Boys' Watches Free.

Boys, we certainly have a great "Snap" for you in our enlarged Boys' Department, where you will find the newest, nobbiest and cheapest Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, etc., and a Genuine Fine Watch Free with a purchase of $5 or over in the department, including Clothing and Underwear and Furnishings. Our new "CORNING" Watch, a reliable timepiece, stem winder, patent lever movement, dust proof, nickel case, 18 line-watch. Beats anything ever placed on the market. Retail price is $1.75. Boys, you want to be wide-awake and get one of these fine watches. They are not a clock. We sell Knee Pants from 21c and up. Full Suits from 79c and up.

In the Housefurnishing, China and Crockery Department.

We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

The Big Sale is Still On

and the way we have sold Laces the last week, the people must think "they are all right." You are especially invited to come in and see our Elegant New Goods of all kinds. Don't fail to visit our Big Basement. It's just brimfull of new and pretty things; awfully cheap too You know we are selling Fine New attractive goods cheaper than any other house, and it will pay you well to trade at

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POWER OF HOLY SPIRIT

REV. A. B. SIMPSON DELIVERED A POWERFUL ADDRESS.

Accounts for His Great Success in Raising Large Sums of Money by the Current of Deep Love for the Things Divine.

Special services were held in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday under the auspices of the Plainfield Branch of the Christian Alliance. In the morning at 10 o'clock a consecration meeting was held, and many attended to receive the blessing of the service. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. Henry Wilson, of New York, addressed the meeting on the subject of "The Holy Spirit." His remarks were intensely earnest and helpful to all.

The evening service at 7:30 was very largely attended. Frank W. Morse, a member of the Plainfield Branch, introduced Rev. A. B. Simpson, of New York, who is at the head of the Christian Alliance, and whose work has made him well-known throughout the world. Mr. Simpson also took for his subject "The Holy Spirit." In part he said:

"When Christ was upon earth the Holy Spirit was thought of as the Spirit of the Father, majestic and mighty. Now we think of the Holy Spirit as the Spirit of Christ, and as one not far away. Until Christ received the Holy Spirit He never preached a sermon. I am not dishonoring God when I say that the Son of God is the equal of the Father in personality.

"He voluntarily became dependent upon the Holy Spirit. When we receive the Holy Spirit we receive Jesus, and when you honor the Spirit you don't dishonor Christ. The point I want to make is that the Holy Spirit comes from the heart of Christ to your heart with all tenderness possible. Now the question is how can we receive the Spirit? It is your fault if you have not received the Spirit. If you fail and are not walking in the joy of God and His promises it is your own fault. God may answer your prayer and you may not get it. He giveth to all men liberally, of course. Not to a favorite few. We have to seek the Spirit. If we don't get the blessing there must be something wrong with the mechanism at this end. The apparatus is not there to receive it. God gives it but you don't take it. It is the one who wants God that gets him. Are you hungering and thirsting for the Holy Spirit? We are so content to take less than all and we lose so much of the blessing. We have not power because we don't desire to have it. When you meet God he will not find fault because you have not done more, but because you have not received more. In order to receive the Spirit we have got to let go of something. We can't retain both, and the way to get the Spirit is to let go of the other thing, whatever it may be. It is not enough to pray, but we must believe we have the answer to our prayer. The door is open to all who will walk in. 'As the Father hath sent me even so send I you.'"

Mr. Simpson closed his earnest remarks by telling something of the results of his labors regarding the large amounts of money that have been contributed, and he gave as his reason for the success that the Holy Spirit, working in the hearts of honest people, had prompted them to give. He did not consider it hypnotism, but a deep current of divine love.

During Mr. Simpson's remarks he related several interesting incidents which showed that the power of the Holy Spirit had worked wondrously among the people. The service closed with the singing of a hymn and prayer by Mr. Simpson.

In Mr. Simpson's concluding remarks he spoke of the objects of the Christian Alliance, and said that it was not antagonistic to the church in any way. It aimed to develop a more progressive Christian spirit among the members of all denominations so that better work could be accomplished in the churches. Some people, he said, had an idea that the Alliance attempted to break down the walls dividing the churches, but this is not so. On the other hand, the object was to strengthen each church.

To Know Their Rector Better.

The reception given tonight to Rev. Floyd Appleton, assistant rector of Grace P. E. church, by Mrs. Cruikshank, is to enable all members of the parish to become personally acquainted with him. The electric cars to the corner of Putnam and Woodland avenues pass within two blocks of the house.

Treated the Newsboys.

L. W. Randolph, the West Front street druggist, remembered the newsboys last evening by giving them an abundance of hot soda as a Thanksgivving reminder.

JUST A YEAR OF GROWTH

JUNIOR ENDEAVORERS CELEBRATE THEIR FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

The Society is the One at Monroe Avenue Chapel, and the Members Acquitted Themselves Creditably for the Time.

The Juniors were in full possession at Monroe Avenue chapel last night, for they were celebrating the first anniversary of the organization of the Junior Epworth League there. All the participonts in the entertainment were, with few exceptions, members of the Junior League. Their friends showed their appreciation by coming in goodly numbers and filling every vacant seat. A small admission was charged and at the close of the entertainment the treasury of the League was enriched to the amount of $10.35. Miss Edith Robinson presided at the door and acted as cashier. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell acted as master of the ceremonies while the accompanist was Miss Charlotte Aldrich.

The members of the Junior League entered in a body, singing, and took seats together. Then followed a delightful programme. George O. Stevens was as good as ever and Miss Ritta Pond recited in a very pleasing manner. The rest of the numbers were given by the Juniors, most of whom owed their excellent training to Miss Aldrich who spent much time and labor in preparing the Juniors for this entertainment. The tamborine drill was something new and was excellently given.

The programme was as follows: Hymn by Juniors, "When the Roll is called up Yonder;" prayer by James McGee; recitation, "Our Anniversary" by Miss Etta Randolph; duet, "Casting Bread upon the Waters," by Avis Aldrich and Grace Cowling; vocal solo by Miss Filmore; dialogue, "Some Children of the Bible," by Helen Fulton, May Brower, Bella VanNest, Alice Pugh, Sophia Saums and Anna Wenzel; vocal solo by George O. Stevens; recitation by Miss Nellie Arthur; recitation by Ephriam Saums; piano solo by Miss Etta Randolph; recitation by Miss Ritta Pond; dialogue, "The Little Motto Bearers," by the Misses Nellie Arthur, Nellie Whitly, and Emma Foster.

Part II—"Let the Sunshine In," verses sung by Miss Sadie Brower and chorus by Juniors; recitation by Miss Lulu Randolph; recitation, "If You Want to be Loved," by Miss Kriney; recitation, "A Little Boy," by George VanNest; piano solo by Miss Stillman; recitation by Miss Ritta Pond; dialogue "Jesus Loved Me," by Walter Foster, Arthur Dow, Willie Montgomery, Martin Bowman, Arthur Talbert, Willie Mattox, Ruth Thompson, Sidney Gilbert, Aaron Brower, Nellie Dow, Minnie Gunzelman, and Minnie Lude; recitation by Albert Cowling; duet, "A Patch Work Quilt," by the Misses Bella VanNest and Mabel Ayers; Tamborine drill, by the Misses Etta Randolph, Lulu Randolph, Sophia Saums, Anna Pierce, May Brower, Sadie Kriney, Stella Kriney, Daisy Brouard, Jessie Burt, Edna Phillips, Helen Fulton, Anna Wenzel; recitation by Miss Phillips; Sunday school acrostic, by Nellie Thompson, Daisy Gilbert, Sadie Brouwer, Carrie Brouwer, Irene Aldrich, Ethel Stryker, Ray Pugh, Bennie Wainwright, Sidney Gilbert, E. Saums, Harvey Stryker, and George Hill; tableau, "Rock of Ages."

MISSIONARY FROM INDIA.

The Earnest Workers Listen to a Missionary From the Far East.

The Earnest Workers, the boys' mission band of the Crescent Avenue church, held a meeting yesterday afternoon in the church parlors, to which their friends were invited. The meeting was addressed by Miss Sarah A. Stout, a returned missionary from India.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Edward Janes, while the secretary, George Richards, read his report. The report of the treasurer, Brockholdst Miller, was also made. Mrs. Isaac L. Miller made a few remarks in which she told that the band had been in existance for ten years and during that time had raised over $500. The band now has fourteen active members on its roll. Mrs. Miller then introduced Miss Stout.

She told something of her work in India and described the manners, customs and dress of the natives. She referred to their religion and touched on their idols. She illustrated her talk by exhibiting numerous articles she had picked up in India. Her collection included a scorpion preserved in alcohol. After her talk they were examined with much interest by those present.

A collection was taken that amounted to $5.59, which will be sent to the Lodiana Mission School. Quite a number were present.

CLAIM UNJUST TAXATION

PROTEST AGAINST INEQUALITY OF ASSESSMENT VALUATIONS.

It is Charged That Several Citizen's Properties Are Assessed Lower Than Others Not Nearly So Valuable.

A meeting of the Commissioners of Appeal in cases of taxation was held yesterday afternoon at the Common Council Chamber. The session began at two o'clock and lasted until seven o'clock. The Chamber was crowded with taypayers and at times the proceedings bordered on the sensational.

Commissioner Mulford, Coward and Saltzman were present, and Assessor Hubbard with his books and papers was also present to uphold his assessments and valuations. Much dissatisfaction was expressed at the inequality with which the assessments on different properties were levied. Many of the fine places in Plainfield, it was claimed, have been assessed at very low prices while medium sized and small houses belonging to the fairly well to do, as well as those belonging to the poorer portions of the population, were assessed at values out of all proportion to the others.

Names of prominent property owners were given, also the low valuation of the assessments on their land and houses. Addresses were made by Henry P. Talmage, of Belvidere avenue, James L. Anthony, of Putnam avenue, Edward VanBuren, of Central avenue, and many others, all of whom protested most earnestly at the inequality of the valuation of properties in which they were interested as compared with certain other properties much more valuable, but assessed in lesser amounts.

The Commissioners took some of complaints under consideration and will render their decision later.

A large number of the humbler residents of Plainfield were present complaining of the dog taxes, and considerable amusement was occasioned by their being required to state under oath that they either had no dog on the first of May or that the dogs they once owned had died and been buried prior to that date.

The meeting was adjourned at seven o'clock, and the session will be continued by the Commissioners at a later date before final adjournment.

MR. MARCLAY NOT TO BLAME.

Wagoners Used His Property Three Years Without Paying Rent.

Since the description of miserable hut in which the family of Jeptha Wagoner lived appeared in The Press, many people have no doubt been prone to criticise M. F. Marclay, the owner of the property for having rented such a place. But Mr. Marclay is entirely blameless for the condition, and, as a matter of fact, had he been a hardhearted man the family might have been even worse off than they were. Three years ago Wagoner went to Mr. Marclay and asked to rent the place, which contained the building and 17 acres of land. Mr. Marclay told him that the house was not in condition for a family to occupy, but that in a few days he would visit the place with him and look over the house and if it could be repaired for a reasonable sum, he would fix it up. Two weeks after that Wagoner visited Mr. Marclay and told him that he had moved into the house. The latter told him that he had no authority to do this and besides the house was not comfortable for his family. Wagoner claimed to be handy at repairing and said that he would fix up the house and take it out in rent. Mr. Marclay insisted on his moving out, and Wagoner left in a state of mind. He continued to use the house, however, and never paid a cent of rent. In addition to this he used a large amount of wood taken off the property. Mr. Marclay had never been in the house since it was occupied by Wagoner and did not know just how bad it was. Mr. Marclay feels very sorry for the family, but feels that he should not be criticised in the matter.

J. V. BERKAW FAILS.

The Shoe Dealer Unable to Satisfy His Creditors.

Owing to the continued dull times and inability to satisfy his creditors J. V. Berkaw, the West Front street shoe dealer, made an assignment last night. J. A. Smith is the assignee. S. S. Swackhamer is counsel for Mr. Berkaw. The liabilities are about $2,500 and the assets, it is calculated will almost cover that amount. An invoice of the stock will be made in a day or two.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

THE LUNAR LANDSCAPE.

DR. PRENTISS TALKS OF AND ILLUSTRATES THE MOON.

The Earth's Great Headlight Has Many Interesting Things About it Which are Told to University Extension Students.

"Well, I have heard so many interesting things tonight that I feel as if I couldn't digest them all," one student was heard to remark, at the close of Prof. Prentiss' lecture on "The Moon," last night. The lecture was the third in the University Extension astronomical course, and was delivered, as usual, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. A more interesting subject could hardly have been selected, and Professor Prentiss' clear explanations and the remarkably fine photographs, which the stereopticon threw upon the screen, held the audience thoroughly absorbed.

The moon is much the nearest of all celestial bodies, and is interesting on account of its general and telescopic appearance. It is the earth's only satellite. Observations of the moon night after night through any month beginning with a new moon show its changing phases and its movements among the stars and planets. The moon shines by the light of the sun, directly received, but sometimes also by sunlight received from the earth, producing earth-shine." The moon moves eastward, circling around the earth with a motion opposite to that of the hands of a watch. The interval from any phase to the same phase again, is 29 days, 12 hours, 44 minutes, 2.7 seconds. This is the length of the month. The movements of the moon, and its various phases were clearly shown by diagrams thrown upon the screen, and explained by the lecturer.

The moon moves in an elliptical orbit about the earth at a mean distance of 238,840 miles; its diameter is 2,163 miles. In size, forty-nine moons equal the earth. Eighty moons in the scales would balance the earth. Gravity is less there than here; a man weighing 150 pounds on the earth would weigh only 25 pounds on the moon. As the moon turns once on its own axis in going around the earth once, it always turns the same face toward us, though inequalites in its orbital motion, and the inclination of its axis to the plane of the earth's orbit enable us to see a little around each side and above or below its face.

Telescopic views of the moon in all its phases show its surface covered with mountain ranges, craters and plains. These features in the lunar landscape have been named after celebrated astronomers. Wonderful photographs of different parts of the moon's surface were shown here, and the audience were enabled to see the great craters, some having a diameter of more than a hundred miles, and the mountains, rising anywhere from a thousand to twenty thousand feet above the surrounding country. These mountains have very sharply defined shadows, by means height can be measured with considerable accuracy.

So far as we can tell, the moon is without air and water, and alternately exposed to great heat and cold. The earth as seen from the moon is changing and diversified by clouds and aurorae, continents and oceans, vegetation and snow patches. But the moon presents no such transformations. The conditions make life as we know it impossible; the moon is dead, organically and topograpically. The moon may at one time have been a part of the earth, secured millions of years ago, and gradually removed from it by a process still continued. The lecture closed with an interesting explanation of the connection between the moon's movements, and tides upon the earth.

Next week's lecture, instead of being upon the subject given in the syllabus, "The Earth," will consider the absorbing question, "Is Mars Inhabited!" The leaders in the University Extension movement in Plainfield still desire to call the attention of the women to the fact that they will confer a great kindness by removing their hats at the lectures, in order that those sitting behind them may have an unobstructed view of the screen.

Thanksgiving Services.

The union Thanksgiving services will be held tomorrow morning in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian and the First M. E. churches. The union meetings of the Christian Endeavorers and Epworth Leaguers will be held in the chapels of the same churches at 9:30 o'clock. No special invitations besides those published in the newspapers will be sent to the societies. The regular preaching services will begin at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Richardson will preach at the Crescent Avenue church while Rev. Robert Lowry, D. D., will make the address at the First M. E. church.

WED AT AUTUMN'S END

A HOME WEDDING AT NEW MARKET LAST EVENING.

Miss Annie E. Reusch Becomes the Wife of Philip G. Mitze—A Very Large Gathering of Friends Present at the Ceremony

A pretty wedding took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Otto, New Market, when Miss Anna E. Reusch became the wife of Philip G. Mitze, who for the past sixteen years has been in the employ of I. H. Boehm, of this city.

The parlor was beautified with ferns, potted plants and chrysanthemums. At 8:30 the bridal party entered the parlor while the Lohengrin wedding march was being played by Miss Irene Day. They were preceded by Miss Edna Reusch, of South Orange, and Miss Lizzie Reusch, of Dunellen, as flower girls. Then came Miss Georgine Reusch, of Cranford, as bridemaid, and Charles DeGraw, of this city, as best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Frank Fletcher, pastor of the New Market Baptist church.

The bride was attired in a becoming gown of white brocaded satin, trimmed with white chiffon, and she carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. After the ceremony congratulations were offered and a collation was served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Otto, Miss Josephine Reusch, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitze, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Day, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farrier, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Runyon, Mrs. J. Y Rupell, Mrs. L. Danz, Mr. and Mrs. Lienan, Miss Angie Warren, Miss Irene Day, Miss Mabel Stutts and Stanley Day, Jr., of New Market; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Day, Mr and Mrs. Paul Reusch, and family, Misses Josephine and Katie Trust, George Trust, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Cramer, Miss Kate Carl, and Miss Pauline Williams, of Dunellen; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steiner, Joseph Martin, Charles DeGraw, Miss Carrie E. Kuehn, Miss Minnie Stiglitz, Misses Annie and Louise Baker, Miss Mabel Dilts, Miss Maggie Whalen, Misses Alice and Marguerite Kennedy, Miss Celia Kelly, Miss Emma Strand, Miss May Smith, Miss Laura Powers, Miss Sadie Hibbitts, Messrs. Geo. Zimmer, Elmer Mantz, John Stein, of Plainfield; H. P Greenwood, of Hoboken.

MESSENCER WON THIS TIME.

Friends Prevent His Being Molested by a Central Railroad Detective.

As A. S. Stevenson, the Somerville express messenger, who has been fighting the Central Railroad and the United States Express Company for the last six months over the carrying of parcels on the Central trains, went through the train sheds in Jersey City last evening, to take the express for home, a railroad detective stepped up to him and said, pointing to two packages Stevenson carried: "You can't get on this train with those, and if you attempt to do so I will arrest you as a disorderly person."

Two friends of Stevenson, one an insurance man and the other a manufacturer, who heard the conversation, stepped forward, and, each taking a package from Stevenson, got on the train, telling Stevenson to follow them. He did so, unmolested, nor could the officer molest the two men who took the parcels unless he prevented every person with a package from getting on the train. The only thing left for the railroad company to do is to prevent persons from boarding their trains with parcels

WOMEN DEBATE.

The Question of Extending the Presidential Term Considered.

The Woman's Parliamentary Club held an interesting and instructive drill at the Y. M. C. A. building this morning. A debate was held on the question of extending the Presidential term of office was held. It was opened by Mrs. M. H. Eaton and Mrs. Olive King. The debate was entered into by the members with much enthusiasm and a vote taken.

The quotations at the roll call were from George Elliott. At the next meeting, they will answer to their names by using the words, "gold" or "silver." Mrs. W. B. Mason was appointed chairman of foreign affairs and Mrs. W. H. Eaton chairman of local affairs, while Miss Bessie Titsworth was appointed chairman of art and literature.

The Thanksgiving Dinner.

Oh, gladly we welcome the dawn of Thanksgiving,
The day when good-cheer doth with gratitude blend,
When bounty to all brings the feast of good living
And heartstone re-unions we joyons attend:
When gathered about the old family table
We banquet where sunbeams of memory glow,
And love at the dinner of poem and fable
Revives all the ties of the long, long ago.
The Thanksgiving dinner! The old turkey dinner!

Made perfect by fuel from Stevens & Co.

BROTHER M. D.'S AT ODDS

THE DRS. HUNTERS DISAGREE OVER THE NETHERWOOD SANITARIUM

Dr. James Hunter, Resident Physician, Left and With Him Went All But Two of the Patients—To Go to Law.

The hoodoo that has long haunted the old Hotel Netherwood has at last reached the Hunter Sanitarium, as it is called now. Dr. Robert Hunter is the proprietor and lives in New York. His brother, Dr. James Hunter, has been the resident physician, but today he and all the patients except two, left the sanitarium.

There has been a quarrel between the brothers. Dr. James Hunter told a Press reporter this afternoon that his brother was jealous of him. As resident physician he has been brought in contact with the patients and has gained their confidence. The proprietor did not like to see his brother receiving all the credit and finally wrote a letter which Dr. James Hunter says was very impertinent and insulting.

There is considerable money owing Dr. James Hunter for his services, and his brother offered to settle for a much smaller sum. This morning the ex-resident physician placed the matter in Lawyer C. A. Reed's hands and says that unless his brother pays the amount due he will sue him for that and also for damages.

When the patients learned that their friend had been ordered out, they were very indignant and all, except a man and his wife, packed up their things and departed.

Edward Ware, a chemist from Canada, will take Dr. Hunter's place. Mr. Ware has heretofore been chemist of the establishment and one of Proprietor Hunter's charges against his brother was that the latter interfered with Mr. Ware, for the doctor insisted on seeing that everything for his patients was done according to his judgment as resident physician.

AN EXPRESS TRAIN WRECK.

Engineer and Fireman Killed—Mail Clerk Badly Hurt.

The breaking of a truss on one of the cars on an eastbound freight train caused the wreck of two trains, one a passenger train, near Millstone Junction, close to New Brunswick, on the Pennsylvania railroad early this morning. Two persons lost their lives in the wreck and several were injured. The dead are: Joseph Meagan and William Chichester, both of Jersey City. Meagan was engineer of the passenger train, No. 66, a fast express from Washington, and Chichester was the fireman.

"Caste's" Characters.

Following are the characters in "Caste" which will be produced at the Casino, December 3rd, under the auspices of the Union Country Country Club.

Captain Hawtree	Irving West
Eccles	W. R. Cock
Sammie Gerridge	Fred W Walz
George D'Alroy	W. L. Saunders
Dixon	Howard Huntington
Marquise de St. Maur	Miss Louise K. Green
Polly Eccles	Miss Grace Cooley
Esther Eccles	Mrs. W. L. Saunders

All seats are reserved except those in the gallery and may be had at Armstrong's (Reynold's) drug store.

Married at St. Mary's.

The marriage of Miss Jane Elliott and Michael Cullen was solemnized this afternoon at 3:30 at St. Mary's church by Rev. Father Smyth. The groom is employed as coachman for E. M. VanBuren, of Central avenue, while the bride was in the employ of Mr. Schoonmaker, of Madison avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Cullen will reside at 519 West Sixth street.

Cut Her Nose.

Mrs. Bothwell, of this city, met with a serious accident last night. She was walking along Park avenue when she tripped over a rise in the sidewalk, near the railroad bridge, where it was being repaired, and fell. Her nose was severely cut and she lost a large amount of blood. She was taken to Dr. Lohg's for treatment.

—Your dinner will not be complete unless you have one of Warnock's mince pies.

—In Justice Newcorn's court this morning judgment was given the plaintiff in the case of Waldron against Cramer.

—The remaining seats for McClaren's lecture on December 8th, will be sold at Mr. Armstrong's drug store on Thanksgiving morning and evening.

—Armstrong's pharmacy, Park and North avenues, will be closed tomorrow afternoon between 1 and 6 o'clock. Randolph's pharmacy will also be closed at the same time.

—S.C Lilienstern will become one of Plainfield's merchant tailors about January 15th, after an absence of over twelve years. He has leased the store on West Front street, now occupied by Justice Newcorn.

SECRET OF HEALTH.

Rosy Cheeks and Bright Eyes Indicate Physical Perfection.

Disease Plainly to be Read in the Human Face -- Dr. Greene's Nervura the Means of Gaining and Maintaining Health.

A bright eye and rosy cheek follow the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great blood and nerve remedy, which strengthens and builds up the system,

purifies and enriches the blood and replaces weakness with vigor. It is simply infallible in the cure of weakness, nervousness, debility, neuralgia, rheumatism, stomach trouble, kidney and liver complaints, female weakness, nervous prostration, etc. It is the great blood and nerve restorative of the age. No

failure. Recovery begins with the first spoonful. Why groan beneath your burden of depression? You can be cured. Try Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy to-day. It is the sure road to health. Remember that this sure restorer of health is the prescription and discovery of Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City, the most successful specialist in curing nervous and chronic diseases, and that he can be consulted free, personally or by letter.

SALISBURY PRAISED

German Press Comment on the Venezuelan Settlement.

REGAINS UNITED STATES' FRIENDSHIP

Sir Edward Clarke Also Compliments the Premier, But Expresses Distrust in the Good Results of Permanent Arbitration.

London, Nov. 25. — Sir Edward Clarke, M. P., formerly solicitor general, delivered a speech at Accrington last night in the course of which he took occasion to refer to the Venezuelan matter. He congratulated Lord Salisbury upon having the courage to abandon the preposterous claims that Great Britain had made for years regarding a definite boundary between British Guiana and Venezuela. Referring to the proposed arbitration treaty, Sir Edward said he did not believe that a permanent arbitration tribunal would be likely to lessen the number of difficulties between Great Britain and the United States. Diplomacy was capable of dealing with most questions without referring them to a clumsy and unsatisfactory court of arbitration. Sir Edward, it will be remembered, caused much adverse comment some time ago by declaring publicly that Great Britain's claims regarding Venezuela were untenable.

Clarke Compliments the Premier.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—The Fremdenblatt, in an article on the settlement of the Venezuelan question, expresses the opinion that Lord Salisbury has acted very cleverly in having directed his policy so that Great Britain is again on friendly terms with the United States, and that the sentiment of kinship is emphasized by the English premier's consent to always submit disputes of the two Anglo-Saxon nations to arbitration. The sagacity of the British nation is readily seen, in the fact that Great Britain does not wish to have an enemy in the United States, and the price she pays for the friendship of the republic is not great.

New Jersey's Official Vote.

Trenton, Nov. 25.—The official figures of the late election as completed by the state board of canvassers are as follows: McKinley, 221,367; Bryan, 133,675; Lovering, 5,614; Palmer, 6,373; Matchett, 3,985. McKinley's plurality, 87,692. The official pluralities for congressmen are as follows: First district, Henry C. Loudenstager, 16,541; Second, John J. Gardner, 17,449; Third, Benjamin F. Howell, 8,221; Fourth, Mahlon Pitney, 2,977; Fifth, James F. Stewart, 10,178; Sixth, Richard Wayne Parker, 15,863; Seventh, Thomas McEwan, jr., 4,477; Eighth, C. N. Fowler, 11,644.

EXCISE VIOLATIONS

Raines Sticks to His Statement About Corruption in New York.

PROMISES TO FURNISH EVIDENCE

Will Soon Be Able, He Says, To Give the Police Names and Addresses of Several Thousand Persons Who Are Selling Liquor Without a License.

Albany, Nov. 25.—Senator John Raines of Canandaigua, chairman of the special excise investigating committee of the state senate, gave out a carefully prepared typewritten interview last night. His statement purports to be an explanation of the published paragraph which quotes him as saying: "There are between 4,000 and 5,000 places within a radius of ten miles of the New York city hall that are selling liquor without a state license in violation of the state liquor tax law, presumably under police or other protection." Mr. Raines is very much disturbed over the harsh criticisms of himself and his excise law by the New York city police commissioners and in explaining matters he more emphatically than ever affirms his opinion of excise law violations as expressed in the above quotation. In his statement given to the press last night Mr. Raines says: "Until the figures show to the contrary I shall hold to my conviction that the number of places selling liquor illegally within ten miles of the New York city hall, not including clubs, saloons, or fake hotels, is somewhere in the neighborhood of four thousand, and that most of these are places the owners of which cannot without committing perjury to secure a liqor tax receipt. Whether they have any police protection or not, or whether they simply sell in violation of all law and without the knowledge of the police is a question that may be more fully determined hereafrer." It will be noticed that the above statement made by Mr. Raines is stronger than his published sentiments in the morning papers, in that he says there are in the neighborhood of 4,000 places within ten miles of New York city hall selling liquor illegally, not including clubs, saloons or fake hotels. He numbers the latter violations in the thousands also. Senator Raines says: "The investigation which I have conducted during the summer has developed one remarkable fact, that while upwards of 42,000 retail licenses or certificates were granted in 1895 by the United States government, in the state of New York, but a little more than 34,000 were issued by boards of excise in the state of New York. Thus proving that notwithstanding the low license fees in previous years that about 8,000 people who paid a tax to the government for the privilege of retailing liquors, did not take out a license under local authorities. Certainly they did not intend to throw away their money when they obtained a government license, and if they carried on the traffic in liquors without license from the local authorities they were violating law. That in all probability from 4,000 to 5,000 of those cases exist within ten miles of the city hall of New York. The above is in reference to the state of affairs existing under the old excise law. The statistics for the present year show that some 27,000 tax certificates have been granted, but there is no question in my mind that the number of places or persons who had paid the retail tax to the United State government during the present year and have failed to obtain a liquor tax certificate under the Raines law, is at least as great, if not greater than last year. A comparison of the reports of the United States government with those of the excise department of this state will give the name and locality of each individual, and I propose to know before this investigation closes just who they are. Whether they have any police protection or not, or whether they simply sell in violation of all law and without the knowledge of the police is a question that may be more fully determined hereafter. Senator Raines closes with a reply to Commissioner Roosevelt's comments upon his statement, by giving the commissioner credit for the best of intentions and much good in the enforcement of law, and especially the liquor law, in New York city, and admitting the many obstacles yet to be overcome in the matter of enforcement, and expressing the belief that now that attention has been called to the violations, Mr. Roosevelt will endeavor to locate the guilty parties. Senator Raines says the committee will soon be able to assist Mr. Roosevelt by giving him the names and locations of these parties. He says the fake hotels and fake clubs will be speedily dealt with.

Minister Yang Yu's Successor.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Officials at the Chinese legation here discredit the statement cabled from London that Yang Yu, the present Chinese minister to Washington, has been transferred to St. Petersburg, and Wu-Ting-Fang appointed as his successor.

Vermont Legislature Adjourns.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 25.—The legislature adjourned at 8 o'clock this morning. The session last evening was merely a perfunctory affair. The members of the house presented speaker W. A. Lord with a handsome silver tea service.

Must Not Carry Children on Bicycles.

New York, Nov. 25.—A city ordinance prohibiting the carrying of children on bicycles has been adopted by the common council. The penalty is $10 fine.

Re-elected Mayor of Dover.

Dover, N. H., Nov. 25.—In the city election yesterday William F. Nason was re-elected mayor by 903 plurality.

BERRY OFFERS A REWARD.

He Receives a Letter of Sympathy from the Two Men Who Buncoed Him.

Corning, N. Y., Nov. 25.—S. Spicer Berry, who was buncoed out of $2,800 by two strangers on a lonely road outside of this city, as told in these dispatches, has offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the swindlers and the recovery of his money. The police believe that the men were the notorious "Red" Austin and his partner, Moore. These men buncoed a farmer at Athens, Pa., two years ago, and later swindled another farmer at Elmira, N. Y. The men have been traced to Andover, fifty miles west of here. They left a buggy there which they had hired here. The liverymen received a letter saying that the men would be back in two days to pay their bill, and Mr. Berry received a letter of sympathy from them.

HARTFORD CITY BONDS.

Another Issue To Be Made---First Lot Overbid Eighteen Times.

Hartford, Nov. 25.—The common council has authorized the city treasurer to offer $800,000 3 1-2 per cent. 25-year gold registered bonds, to refund $1,000,000 capital 6 per cent. gold bonds, which mature in January. The city treasurer has awarded $250,000 3 1-2 per cent. 25-year registered gold improvement bonds of the city of Hartford to R. L. Day & Co. of Boston at 102,236, netting a premium of 6,065. A deposit of 5 per cent. was required. T. S. Grinke of New York, who bid 103.25, did not qualify. Offerings for the first issue amounted to nearly eighteen times the sum asked.

TO AID FITCHBURG'S POOR.

Maria R. Whitcomb Bequeaths $13,000 To Be Held in Trust.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 25.—The will of the late Maria R. Whitcomb of Fitchburg has been filed here. The entire estate, amounting to about $13,000, is left to the city of Fitchburg to be held in trust by them to be known as the Nathan Whitcomb fund. The income is to be used under the direction of the overseers of the poor for the benefit of the poor and needy of the city, with preference expressed for widows and orphans, but none of the money can be expended on inmates of the poor house.

Trenton Suicide Identified.

Trenton, Nov. 25.—The young woman who shot herself here last Sunday morning has been identified by a younger sister as Minnie Haschelback, 21 years old, of New York city. She was a dressmaker and lived with her widowed mother. Her sister said that she had threatened to end her life before she would permit her condition to become known. She kept company with Harry Gray, a young furniture installment collector.

Phi Delta Theta Fraternity.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25.—The sessions of the biennial national convention of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity, which began yesterday at Odd Fellows' hall, will be continued until Saturday. One hundred and fifty delegates, representing sixty-nine colleges, are in attendance. Last night a reception was tendered to the delegates at Houston hall, University of Pennsylvania, and tonight they will attend a banquet at the Hotel Walton.

Barred from Nomination by Convention.

Trenton, Nov. 25.—An interesting matter brought out by the official canvass is that neither the national democrats nor the prohibition party received the necessary number of votes to enable them under the law to nominate their next state ticket by convention. The law requires independent parties to poll 2 per cent. of the total vote cast before they can nominate by convention.

Texas Inquiry Adjourned Sine Die.

New York, Nov. 25.—The court of inquiry which has been investigating the recent mishap to the battleship Texas at the navy yard in Brooklyn has been abruptly adjourned sine die and the findings will be forwarded at once to Washington. The members of the court all refused to indicate the result of the investigation.

For Despatching Troops to Canada.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 25.—The Allan line steamer Carthaginian arrived here last night from Liverpool, conveying drafts of 800 officers and men to relieve the British garrisons at Halifax, Bermuda and Esquimault. This route was adopted in order to test the possibility of despatching troops to Canada rapidly in time of war.

Yale-Harvard Athletics.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 25.—More rumors of the proposed reunion of Yale and Harvard in athletic sports has reached here. Leaders in athletics at Yale say that nothing definite has yet been done, but Yale, however, is desirous of meeting Harvard again next year.

To Be Hanged To-morrow Night.

Columbus, O., Nov. 25.—The supreme court has refused to grant a hearing to Frank Tierney, an Erie county murderer, and he will be hanged in the state prison here to-morrow night. Tierney killed George Hupman in a freight car near Sandusky last summer.

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20th Day of December

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Cabinet Speculation.

Canton, O., Nov. 25.—Major McKinley's visitors were numerous to-day and he expects important visitors to-morrow. There is more talk about Andrew D. White for secretary of state than has been heard in Canton at any time since the election, and the belief that Nelson A. Dingley of Maine may be the New England member of the cabinet gains strength.

Suicide of Supt. Perkins.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25. — Howard Perkins, superintendent of the Philadelphia county prison (Moyamensing) who committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head, had been afflicted with insomnia for some time, and this is said to have been the cause for the deed. Mr. Perkins had been superintendent of the prison for a number of years.

Big Fire at Stroudsburg.

East Stroudsburg, Pa., Nov. 25.—A fire, supposed to have been caused by a spark from a passing locomotive, broke out at 9 o'clock last night in the large International Boiler works of Turner, Booth & Seidors, and the plant was entirely destroyed. A number of men are thrown out of employment.

The Turkish Question.

London, Nov. 25.—The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent says that the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, on a recent visit to Vienna, took with him a proposal for the partition of Turkey among the powers and to make Constantinople a free port, Russia to have Asia Minor and England to have Egypt.

Glass Factories To Resume.

Pittsburg, Nov. 25.—Fires were tarted in the idle window-glass factories all over the country last night, and glass blowing will commence December 14.

Bishop of Ross, Ireland, Dead.

Dublin, Nov. 25.—Right Rev. William Fitzgerald, Roman Catholic bishop of Ross, died suddenly yesterday at his residence in Skibbereen.

British Steamer Libeled.

Galveston, Tex., Nov 25.—The Mallory Line Steamship company has libeled the British steamship Melbridge for $5,000 for services rendered in towing the disabled Melbridge into port.

Money for Pensions.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Secretary of the Interior Francis has made a requisition on the secretary of the treasury for $11,220,000 for the next quarterly payment of pensions.

Minneapolis Sails for Syria.

Smyrna, Nov. 25.—The United States cruiser Minneapolis has sailed for Syrian waters.

THE COWBOY CAUGHT ON.

But the Bostonese Girl's Highfalutin Staggered the Head Waiter.

The young woman from Boston was at the table in a railroad restaurant in the far west, and when she essayed to cut the steak with which she had been served she discovered that she needed was a higher education in athletics, says the Detroit Free Press. After four or five ineffectual attempts to dissect it she called to the waiter:

"Cahn't you," she asked, "give me a bit of steak which is characterized by less tenacity of tissue?"

The waiter staggered and a cowboy across the counter looked up.

"I didn't quite ketch, mum," said the waiter, bending forward with his hand to his ear.

"I said," and there was a shade of annoyance in her tone, "that I desired a portion of steak in which the coherence of the molecules was not so apparent."

"Oh," stammered the waiter, and he stood fixed with his mouth open in amazement.

The young woman became embarrassed.

"Here," snorted the gallant cowboy, coming to the rescue, with a sounding whack on the table, "git a move on you; what the lady wants is a piece of meat that ain't so tough she can't stick her purty tooth into it; see?" and the young lady actually smiled as the waiter hurried away.

WEARING LANTERNS.

The Latest Craze in Paris Is the Result of the Fair at Neuilly.

The last new craze in Paris is the wearing of a lighted lantern as a personal adornment. The fashion originated with a speculative manufacturer, whose petites lanterns were bought by tents of thousands at the fair at Neuilly.

The lantern is very small and neat, and made in a Gothic form after an ancient model; it is only of tin, but is sufficiently solid. It has well-fitted glass plates, is about the size of a walnut, burns for some hours, and is sold at the price of six sous.

Almost everybody who returns from a suburban fair to Paris recently looked as if he were outwardly symbolizing the Midsummer Saint, John the Baptist, "a burning and a shining light." The men and boys had the little lanterns in their hats, and the ladies carried them in their bouquets.

Queer Steeple in Cork.

There is a church in the city of Cork which is known for miles around on account of the peculiarity of its steeple. The steeple is built of two different colored stones, two sides being built in white and the other two in red stone.

THE DINGLEY BILL

Gen. Grosvenor Believes the Measure Cannot Be Passed.

SAYS IT SHOULD NOT BE ATTEMPTED

Might Be Forced Through for a Temporary Relief, But Such Action Would Obstruct the Passage of a Proper Measure.

Cincinnati, Nov. 25.—Congressman Charles H. Grosvenor, in a signed article just published, outlines his views as to to the policy of passing the Dingley bill. Gen. Grosvenor takes the position that although it might be well if the Dingley bill could be passed for temporary relief and be followed immediately after the 4th of March in an extra session of congress by the passage of a proper measure, yet the passage of that tentative bill will hinder and obstruct the passage of a proper measure, and therefore should not be attempted. He criticizes the Dingley bill for proposing ad valorem duties, which have proved standing invitations to defraud the government. This was one great defect of the Wilson bill, and it should be remedied in future legislation. Another reason for the defeat of the Dingley bill is that it does not meet the requirements of the St. Louis platform as a protective measure. He says every republican member of the ways and means committee has been re-elected, and these members, during the time which is to elapse between the first Monday in December and the 4th day March, can formulate a tariff bill based upon the principles of the McKinley law, with schedules adapted to existing conditions, perfected and ready for passage within ten days after the meeting of an extra session of congress, and then, if there is republicanism enough in the senate, it can be passed into a law and and be ready for enforcement by the first of May. On the other hand, let the Dingley law be passed, founded as it is upon errors that are organic and incurable. Then let it run until December, 1897, and let congress organize, appoint committees, encounter the delay of the holidays, attack a mass of incidental legislation, and set about framing a permanent tariff. In that case it would do well if it got an untried measure through by September, 1898, in the midst of a campaign for congress. Meanwhile the country would be flooded with foreign importations, to the injury of home industries and reduction of revenue and a long train of consequent evils.

$10,000 for Loss of Wife's Affections.

Nyack, N. Y., Nov. 25.—The jury in the suit of editor William B. Thompson of Nyack against school commissioner George A. Blauvelt at Monsey for alienation of his wife's affection last night returned a verdict awarding Thompson $10,000 damages. Mrs. Cora Blauvelt, the divorced wife of Mr. Thompson who afterwards married Mr. Blauvelt, denied on the witness stand all the alleged improprieties with Blauvelt, and said that she had no love for him until she had received a divorce from Thompson.

W. J. Bryan Welcomed at Denver.

Denver, Nov. 25.—At the First Presbyterian church last evening William J. Bryan spoke to an audience that occupied every inch of space in the edifice. It being the anniversary of the admission of Colorado to the sisterhood of states his theme was "Colorado," and his remarks were appropriate to the occasion.

Young Crisp To Fill His Father's Place.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 25.—Charles R. Crisp has been nominated for congress to fill the unexpired term of his father, Hon. Charles F. Crisp, recently deceased. There was no opposition to him, and he will represent the Third Georgia district until March 4, next. He is not quite 26 years of age.

Rebel Defeat Reported.

Madrid, Nov. 25.—A dispatch from Manila states that the Spaniards have defeated 4,000 rebels at Santa Cruz. The insurgents suffered heavy loss, including Abad, their leader. The dispatch adds that the Spaniards have captured the town of San Juan after severe fighting.

Steamer Sama a Total Loss.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25.—The agents at this port of the Norwegian steamer Sama, which is ashore near Cape Ann's bay, Jamaica, understand that the vessel's owners consider her a total loss and will abandon her to the underwriters.

For Women Lawyers.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—The Alabama senate by a majority of two passed a bill permitting women to practise law in all of the courts of Alabama. The passage of the bill was a great surprise to the public here.

Press Censorship at Johannesburg.

London, Nov. 25.—Mr. Hess, proprietor of the Johannesburg Critic, has received a cable dispatch saying that the whole staff of that paper has been arrested by the Boer authorities under the provisions of the new press law.

Col. Ingersoll's Condition Improved.

New York, Nov. 25.—Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, who suffered an attack of sciatica while on a lecturing tour, is better, although not fully recovered. He will postpone all future lectures until after Christmas.

Pettus Elected Senator from Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—The legislative vote on senator resulted: Pettus, dem., 93; Longshore, pop., 24; Wickersham, rep., 6. Pettus was declared elected senator to succeed Pugh.

BARCELONA BOMB THROWERS.

Twenty-eight Death Warrants and Fifty-six Life Sentences Will Be Demanded.

Barcelona, Nov. 25.—The attorney-general, who is personally conducting the prosecution of the prisoners who are under arrest for connection with the throwing of a bomb in a crowded street while a religious procession was passing on June 7 last, has announced that he will ask the court that twenty-eight of the prisoners be sentenced to death and fifty-six condemned to penal servitude for life. Great precautions will be taken against disorder when the sentences are published. The court will sit in the vault of the fortress of Mont Juich and only military officers will be admitted to its proceedings. The crime for which the prisoners are to answer to a military court was one of the most fiendish of the many similar outrages committed by anarchists within the last few years. The usual religious observances of the feast of Corpus Christi were being observed and thousands of people lined the streets to witness the procession on its way to the ancient church of Santa Maria del Mar. Just as the procession was entering the church a bomb was exploded in the crowd, killing a dozen persons outright and wounding about fifty others, some of whom died from their injuries.

PHILIPPINE REVOLUTION.

Sympathy for Rebels in the Orient—Prisoners Tortured by Spaniards.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Tokio, Nov. 7, (Correspondence of the United Associated Presses, per steamer City of Pekin). Sympathy in the far east is strongly in favor of the Philippine island insurgents. From several sources come stories of terrible tortures inflicted upon the prisoners, suspects and convicts by the Spanish authorities for the purpose of extorting confessions. Speeches by Spaniards in high positions indicate that a war of extermination is being planned.

War Records of the Rebellion.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The interesting and valuable war records of the rebellion which are being compiled by Major George B. Davis, are nearing completion. Over one hundred volumes irrespective of maps have been issued at a cost of over $2,300,000 dating back to 1874 when the appropriation began. It is anticipated that the close of the next fiscal year will see the conclusion of the series. Their historical value is made manifest by the number of applications from public libraries which the department is unable to comply with.

The Kaiser's Address to New Marines.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—After the emperor had administered the oath yesterday to a large number of sailors and marines recently recruited and assembled here, he addressed them, in the course of his remarks saying: "Sailors, the oath you have just taken is the basis of discipline. Do honor to the emperor's coat. There is no enemy for the present, but if one should come you must face him without fear."

Big Blaze in Washington.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The large lumber yard and planing mill of Thomas W. Smith & Son, located at North Capitol and H streets, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The plant consisted of lumber of every description and valuable machinery. The flames rose high in the air illuminating one half of the city, and attracted thousands of people to the scene.

Bayard To Dine with the Queen.

London, Nov. 25.—Ambassador and Mrs. Bayard have been "commanded" to visit Windsor castle to-morrow and dine with the queen. Mr. and Mrs. Bayard will remain at the castle all night, and Mr. Bayard, in consequence, has been obliged to cancel his engagement to preside at the Thanksgiving dinner of the American colony here.

Requisition for an Absconder.

Hartford, Nov. 25.—Gov. Coffin late yesterday afternoon issued a requisition upon Gov. Bushnell of Ohio for the surrender of J. H. Gorman, the absconding confidential clerk of Malloy, Neely & Co. of New Haven. Detective Denny was deputed to go after the prisoner.

Fourth-class Postmasters.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The following fourth-class postmasters have just been appointed: New York—R. R. Westover, Aurelina; E. C. Weaver, Dehl; G. Watkins, Steuben Valley. Pennsylvania—A. R. Overpeck, Forest Grove.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Prices higher; checking trade. Dec., 88⅜c.; May, 87⅜c.

Corn—Spot firmer; fair inquiry. Dec., 29¾c.; May, 33⅜c.

Oats—Trade quiet; prices inactive. Dec., 23⅜c.; May, 26⅛c.

Pork—Spot firm; prices unchanged. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and inactive. Steam rendered, $4.22½.

Eggs—Market quiet; choice scarce. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@26c.; ice house, 16½@18c.; western, fresh, 22@24c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 22@23.

Butter—Light receipts; market active. Creamery western extras, 22c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fall made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Moderate demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—Market remains steady. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel $1.00@1.12.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.

Threatening, With Showers Tonight and Thursday, Warmer Thursday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

COMING EVENTS.

Nov. 25—Parliamentary Club meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building. Morning

Nov. 25th—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club in the Plainfield Cycle Academy.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	George O. Stevens
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com'rs of Appeal—	For Com'rs of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

Mayor, Charles Burns; City Collector, Arthur Scott; City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell; Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto, Wm. C. VanNorden; Councilmen, Third Ward, Claus R. Wallander; Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr.

No Daily Press tomorrow.

In response to a letter of congratulations from the Hon. James Ritchie, of Scotch Plains, James E. Martine, the Democratic candidate for Mayor, replies as follows:

Plainfield, N. J., November 23d, 1896,
"Cedar Brook."

Hon. James Ritchie:

My Dear Friend—Yours just at hand. I thank you for your kind wishes. Of course I cannot be elected as there is 1,700 Republican majority against us. I only accepted the nomination that our party might have a head in this canvass. I am not a coward and do not fear defeat, so long as I retain my character and manhood. I shall use every honorable means to be elected. My opponent, Charles J. Fisk, is a personal friend. Though I disagree with his politics, I have no unkind word to say against him. Again thanking you for your interest in my success, I am very respectfully, J. E. Martine.

SONG, RECITATION AND CHAT.

The Three Qualities That Made a Pleasant Social Event.

A pleasant social event was enjoyed last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Elizabeth, when their daughter, Miss Luella C. Harris, entertained a few intimate friends.

During the evening Miss Harris rendered several vocal solos. She is the leading soprano at the First Baptist church in this city, and her singing has been a feature of the musical part of the services. Her sister, Miss Grace E Harris, won favor by giving several recitations in a most finished and talented manner.

Those present were: Miss Laura Sydenham, Miss Emma Tantum, Miss Alice Needham, Miss Johanson, ex-Mayor John H. VanWinkle, ex-Mayor and Mrs. H. E. Needham, Walter Reynolds, Stacy Reynolds, John H. VanWinkle, Jr., of North Plainfield; Miss Kate K. Allen, of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Miss Luella C. Harris, Miss Grace E. Harris, Willis Harris, of Elizabeth.

THEATRICAL.

At Music Hall Thanksgiving matinee and night, McFadden's Reception, the latest New York success. The above attraction will make their first appearance in this city with magnificent costumes, topical songs, jolly music, new dances, and a host of pretty girls, making it one of the most attractive and leading farce comedies on the road. See McFadden in his trouble; it will drive yours away. See Beaman and Daly in their original characters as Dr. Parkhurst and Commissioner Roosevelt, the men who overhauled New York. See the original and only Macks, also Foster and Williams. They will cure the blues. Matinee Thanksgiving Day.

A Pleasant Surprise.

Belle DeMott, of Somerset street, was given a pleasant surprise party last evening. It was arranged by Eva Citus and Kizzie DeMott. There were present about fifty young folks who, with dancing and the playing of games, passed an enjoyable evening. Miss May Conroy rendered piano solos, Miss Alice DeMott and Miss Lizzie Hoagland gave recitations and John H. Carney delighted the young people with several comical recitations.

Charles Smith and William Wolstencroft will meet Friday afternoon on the Climax Gun Club grounds to shoot a match for the Austin inter-State championship trophy which Mr. Smith now holds. He won it at a recent match with Captain Brewer.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Peter See, of Somerset street, is detained at home by illness.

Mrs. Case, of Church street, is detained at home by a slight illness.

Miss Horton, of Rahway, is the guest of Mrs. Ludlow, of Jackson avenue.

Henry V. Ryder, of East Front street, is home from Yale College for the week.

Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, has just purchased a pair of brown horses.

George Fiering, of the fire department, is confined to his home with a severe illness.

Miss Martin, of Westervelt avenue, is very much improved from her recent severe illness.

Andrew Smalley, of Somerset street, has taken up his residence in Westfield with his niece.

Wm. Larned, the well-known tennis player of Summit, spent Sunday with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Graff, of Newark, Del., is a guest ot the home of Charles W. McCutchen, of Rockview avenue.

Charles Noble, of East Fifth street, left this afternoon to spend the rest of the week at his home in Mendham.

Thomas D. Blair, of East Second street, returned this afternoon from Princeton to remain the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baynon, of East Orange, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William C. Ayers, of West Second street.

Mrs. Dr. Quick, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Newark, is visiting Miss M. V. Stickles, of East Fifth street.

Nathan Lewis, of West Eighth street, left this afternoon for his home at Ashaway, R. I., to spend Thanksgiving.

Horace J. Martin, Jr., of Fairview avenue, has entirely recovered from the operation performed on his nose by Dr. Ard.

George A. Horne, of Lehigh University, returned this afternoon to spend Thanksgiving at his home on Willow avenue.

Edward Beekman and family, of Brooklyn, arrived in Plainfield tonight to take up their permanent residence on Rockiew avenue.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, is expected home today from Yale to spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Wm. M. McCutchen, of Rockview Terrace, is expected home from Yale University this evening to spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

The Misses Della and Tiny Voehl, of Somerset street, left today for Monticello, Sullivan county, N. Y., to remain until Christmas.

The Misses Kate and Julia Ketcham, of Brooklyn, are the guests of Miss Mary E. Collier, of East Sixth street for the remainder of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. Garrett Conover, of Hawthorne, are spending the week with Mrs. Conver's mother, Mrs. J. K. VanArsdale, of Grove street.

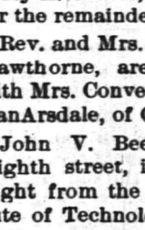
John V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, is expected home tonight from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to spend the rest of the week in Plainfield.

William E. MacClymont, of Washington avenue, attended the meeting of the American Guild of Organists at St. Bartholomew's church, New York, last evening. The meeting was followed by a big banquet at the Manhattan Hotel.

Isaac L. Miller, of Watchung avenue, attended the citizens' reception at the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night, which was given to Rev. Dr. Storr in honor of his jubilee celebration. Mr. Miller was a member of Dr. Storr's church when he lived in Brooklyn.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, and his chum at Stevens Institute, Robert Hondloser, left New York this afternoon to ride out to Plainfield on a tandem. They will arrive here this evening. Mr. Hondloser will spend the rest of the week in this city where he has a number of friends.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.



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All Styles and Sizes at Plainfield Stores.

A USE FOR DISCARDED ARTICLES.

A Worthy Work in Which the Relief Association is Engaged in.

The ladies in charge of the employment committee of the Relief Association, 514 West Front street, are much in need of cast off garments of all kinds, remnants of cotton and woolen goods, and cotton and woolen rags. At this time of the year, when closets and trunks are being looked over by good housekepers, many articles considered as waste by the possessors can be used by the employment committee with great advantage.

Large pieces of material are tastefully and skillfully put together and made with dresses and other garments for children; smaller pieces are made into comforters, or cut into strips for rag carpets, and still smaller pieces can be used in the construction of rugs.

The making of these various articles provides sewing for women, needing assistance and thus employment is given instead of alms, the payment for such work being made in groceries, coal and clothing. The cast-off garments are neatly repaired, thereby also giving employment to women. This clothing is then sold to those who need it, at nominal prices, sometimes a few cents only for each garment, thus enabling self-respecting persons to provide themselves with clothing, who would not ask for or accept such articles as gifts. The work of this clothing bureau is most successful and is now entering it's second year, past the stage of experiment, and it has proved one of the most valuable departments of the Relief Association.

The Clothing Bureau, No. 544 West Front street, is open for the sale of clothing, each Saturday morning, from 9 until 11. All persons wishing to purchase garments may do so by applying for permits to Miss Prey, Superintendent of the Relief Association. It is hoped that the many friends of the Association who have contributed so generously in the past will continue their co-operation by sending the articles solicited and so much needed.

University Extension Lectures—Books on the Moon.

Ball—Moon's story, in Scientific American, vol. 72, page 338; Ball—Story of the heavens; Burritt—Geography of the heavens; Clerke—Astronomy during the 19th century; Ennis—Origin of the stars; Flammarion—Wonders of the heavens; Giberne—Sun, moon and stars; Guillermiu—Wonders of the moon; Holden—Lunar landscape, contributions from Lick observatory, in Century, vol. 20, page 436; Humboldt—Cosmos, vol. 4; Langley—New astronomy; Langley—Plants and the moon, in Century, vol. 7, page 700; Lockyer—Astronomy; Mee—Progress of selenography, in Knowledge, vol. 18, page 133; Mitchell—Popular astronomy; Payne—The moon, in Popular Astronomy, vol. 2, page 67, and vol. 3, page 176; Photographs of the eclipse of the moon, September 14, 1894, in Scientific American, vol. 72, page 57; Photographs of the moon, taken at Paris observatory, in Nature, vol. 52, page 439; Proctor—History of the moon, and New crater in the moon, in "Rough Ways Made Smooth;" Proctor—Other worlds than ours; Proctor—The telescope; Serviss—Astronomy with an opera glass; Total lunar eclipse, its astronomical value, in Scientific American, vol. 73, page 395; Wells—Visibility of change in the moon, in Knowledge, vol. 18, page 230; Woodbury—Portraiture of the moon, in Photographic Times, vol. 26, page 1.

UPRISING IN THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The Proximity of a Fire Was Too Great a Temptation to the Pupils.

There was great excitement at the Plainfield High School yesterday morning when the alarm was sent in from the fire-alarm box in front of the building, but the sight of the smoke and flames capped the climax. A change of classes came conveniently just then and fully three-quarters of the pupils went to see the fire. Some ran down to the fire while others remained at the school gate and watched the conflagration from there. It was the first fire that has occurred in the vicinity of the school when the school was in session and the temptation was too much.

The excited pupils had to pay rather dearly for their sudden break for liberty and all those who went to the gate or outside had to return in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and remain until 4 or 5 o'clock.

Al. Jones Encounters a Dog.

As Al. Jones was hurrying along Park avenue, on his wheel, yesterday morning, on his way to the scene of the fire, he collided with a stray dog and turned a somersault over the handle-bars. The dog wasn't hurt, but Jones lost his breath suddenly and had several spokes broken in his wheel.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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It's a pure cream of tartar powder, highest in strength.

Trustee's Sale.

Public notice is hereby given that the subscriber will expose for sale on Friday, November 27, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the premises, 146 North avenue, Plainfield N. J., ately occupied by William J. Stephenson, caterer, all the goods and chattels contained in said premises, consisting of a large amount of table cutlery, silver ware, china ware, table cloths, napkins, etc., tables, chairs, hat racks, show cases, ice cream forms, cake pans, machinery, 1 six horse steam engine, 1 ten horse boiler, belts, pulleys, 1 bay horse, 2 wagons harness, lot of tin ware, copper ware etc.

WILLIAM A CODDINGTON, Trustee.
REED & CODDINGTON, Attorneys. 11 19 6

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I Did More Engraving

in October than ever before in one month—not excepting the holiday month—which is usually the largest. When you remember that October was the last month in a bitter campaign, it means that quality counts.

Plate and fifty cards, - - - $1.25
100 Cards from plate, - - - 1.00

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front Street.

Talked Temperance.

Mrs. Tomlinson addressed a good audience of colored people in Mt. Olive church last evening on the subject of temperance. Her presentation of the subject was in a very clear and persuasive manner, and it is hoped that the colored people, especially the voters, will educate themselves along this line, for their own individual benefit, and the advancement of the work of the church.

Dr. Upham to Preach.

Rev. S. F. Upham, D. D., LL. D., will preach in Grace M. E. church at 7:45o'clock this evening. Dr. Upham is professor of Practical Theology in Drew Seminary, Madison, and is a preacher of great power. Judging from his popularity there ought to be a large congregation to hear him tonight. Special music will be a feature of the meeting.

Death of Mrs. VanVliet.

The death of Mrs. George VanVliet occurred at her home, 1122 Prospect avenue, yesterday. She had a wide circle of acquaintances who learn with deep regret of her demise. The funeral was held from her late home this afternoon. The interment will be in Trinity cemetery, New York, tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Firstbrook, of the West End, have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the loss of their young son.

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Do you want Laces?
Do you want Dress Trimmings?
Do you want Hosiery?

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Nobby all-wool Suits, Single or Double Breasted, - $4.00
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Our Overcoat stock consists of the most desirable and best selected goods in the market. These elegant Fur Beaver, Chinchilla and Kersey Coats are going at prices unheard of Come while the assortment is complete.

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Communications pertaining to the business mentioned, either by letter or otherwise, will receive prompt attention. Carriage service supplied.

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Ladies Cardigan Jackets, 75c and $1. Men's Cardigan Jackets, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.25. Specials in Table Linen from 25c. to $1 yd. Infants Sacques from 25c. up. Underwear for Ladies', Gent's and Children. Scotch Wool Gloves for Men and Boys—all prices. Warner Bros. Corsets. Thompson "Glove Fitting" Corsets.

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CUT THIS OUT.

Save this and wait until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring this with you to

214 West Front Street, Plainfield. N. J.

Received the entire remaining fall and winter stock of a leading New York wholesale clothing house consigned to us to be sold at once without regard to cost which means an opportunity of buying Suits, Trousers, boys suits and men's suits and men's overcoats and ulsters at about one-third of the actual value in order to prove what tremendous sacrifices will be made. We mention a few of the extraordinary bargains, and we advise you to cut this out and bring it with you, so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here: 100 fine men's overcoats, that sold for $11.00, now $3.75; 100 extra fine men's overcoats in latest style silk or satin lined at $5.98; men's fine all wool cassimere suits, $10.00, at $4.00; men's fancy worsted suits, worth $15, at $6.90; men's all wool English clay diagonal frock suits, worth $18, at $7.50; men's fine ulsters, worth $10.00, at $3.50; 400 men's pants, worth $3.00, at $1.25; 225 pair striped cassmere pants, worth $4.00, at $1.50. Hundred of other styles of goods, space will not allow to mention. All we say is come and judge for yourself. Boys suits, $1.65, worth $4.50; boy's winter overcoats, at $1.65, worth $3.50. Now don't delay, for these bargains are not like the sun to last for evermore, but come at once to the

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Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.
Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tuffed Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 98c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.

A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—7c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield.....{7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m.
{4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains.{6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
{2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

T. P. Cady has been visiting friends in New York city.

Mrs. Samuel Richardson visited among New York friends on Tuesday.

Jesse Dalrymple has returned from a visit with relatives at Jutland, N. J.

Miss Flauser, of Springdale, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jennings here.

Miss Mary Snyder will spend Thanksgiving Day with her parents at Milford, N. J.

Isaac Laing, who has been at Waterford, Me., for the benefit of his health, has returned home.

Mrs. T. E. Syphers, formerly of this place, but now of Plainfield, was in town yesterday visiting friends.

Mrs Joseph Apgar has returned home from New York city, where she has been visiting for several days past.

Conductor Chas. Dinneen has been shorn of his whiskers and some of his friends say that he is about to enter the ministry.

William J. Dougherty and William L. Winges were initiated into Friendship Council, No. 81, J. O. U. A. M., Monday evening.

Another friendly checker contest was held in W. H. Coles' office last evening, but the scores were not given out for publication.

John Huff and Joel Giddes are going hunting to Pluckamin Thanksgiving Day. If they don't shoot some of the farmers they may be home at night.

The case of Griffen against Worth, on contract, set down for trial in Justice Huff's court yesterday, was adjourned over for a week at the request of the plaintiff.

In compliance with official notices from the postoffice department the postoffice here will close at 10 a. m., on Thursday and remain closed for the balance of the day.

Conductor Dodwell has so far recovered from his recent attack of rheumatism that he can kick the high hat from the head of a man twice his size. At least his friends say so.

Work on the Town Hall seems to be lagging to a noticeable extent. The interior, so far as hard-finish, wainescoating, etc., is concerned, is about all finished, and the hall will soon be ready for occupancy.

The Dunellen Athletic Association will have a great and glorious time in Friendship Hall, New Market, this evening, when it is expected that guests will be present from the several neighboring places.

Messrs. John Apgar, H. V. Dunham and Samuel Luckey, constituting the Board of Commissioners of Appeal, met in the W. C. T. U. rooms yesterday, from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m., with short intermissions. Some few complaints were heard concerning the tax levy and they were amicably adjusted.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Timothy Toulin will spend Thanksgiving Day with friends in New York city.

The Central Railroad Company is building a stone wall along the Park front near the Fanwood station.

Miss Sarah Kane, of West Third street, Plainfield, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Lee for a day or two.

Daniel Gibson, M. and William Fitzgerald and W. Nelson, all of Jersey City, will come to the Plains tomorrow and enjoy Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lee's hospitality.

The Scotch Plains and Dunellen football teams will contest in a friendly shin skinning match on the school grounds here Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Seats will be reserved for "rooters."

The members of Twilight Council, No. 7, J. O. U. A. M., will attend divine services in the Baptist church tomorrow morning and listen to a Thanksgiving sermon by Rev. Dr. Braker, the pastor.

Clarence Smith, of Fanwood, is preparing plans for the proposed new Young Men's Club house. The building, it is understood, is to be fully equipped with gymnasium, bowling alleys, bath and reception rooms.

All the tenants in "Hogan's Alley" have been notified to "vamoose the ranch," as the owner wants to build on the site. So penny-ante, chucking for dips and other favorite sports will have to be discontinued for a time at least.

It's a trifle late in the season for husking corn, so the farmers hereabouts say, but Fred Clark and his brother, Baron, just finished up a thirty-acre patch, yesterday, and got the stalks housed before real cold weather sets in.

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Encouraging Report of the Treasurer of St. Stephen's Church.

The annual parish meeting of St. Stephen's church, held last night in the church building, resulted in the election of the following officers: Wardens.—William Palmer Smith, G. Seabury Guion, Vestryman—C. P. Ralli, N. P. T. Finch, A. J. Beal, Hugh Knox, Charles Sturtevant, Lounzes A. Smith, John Mullett Duck. Treasurer G. S. Guion read his yearly report, which was accepted without correction. The thanks of the meeting was extended to Mr. Guion for the efficient manner in which he had managed the financial affairs of the parish for the past year. The church has paid all its indebtedness, and does not owe one dollar; and commences the new church year with about $50 in the Treasury. Certainly, St. Stephen's church is to becongratulated weathering the hard times of the last twelve months as well as it has. The future of this energetic parish is bright and prosperous. The church is entirely supported by the voluntary contributions of the worshippers. It is free to all, and all are welcome.

Mrs. Wagoner Very Grateful.

Owing to one of the Wagoner children having symptoms of whooping cough, they will not be admitted to the Children's Home today as was planned. The afflicted child will be brought to this city Friday and a doctor will make an examination, and if it is found that it is the whooping cough other arrangements for their care will have to be made. The family is comfortably prepared for now. Mrs. Wagoner feels very grateful to those who came to her assistance after The Press called attention to the matter.

Petit Jurors Drawn.

The following petit jurors from North Plainfield were drawn for the December term of Somerset county, yesterday: William H. Morris, Peter B. Matthews, Jonathan Clawson, George Lewis and John W. VanHorn.

—One of the Front street trolley cars was burned out yesterday afternoon, and it had to be taken to the car house for repairs.

—Coddington & Ackerman, of Somerset street, will have a choice supply of oysters on the half shell for Thanksgiving. Place your orders now.

—Your Thanksgiving Day programme would be incomplete without Huyler's delicious candy. Leggett, the druggist, has just what you want in that line.

—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, of Boston, the well-known lecturer and writer, will preach next Sunday morning in All Souls church at 10:45. All are invited. Seats free.

—Dinner will be served in the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day at the fair of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., which will include turkey and all the delicacies.

—S. D. Frazee played for a reception and dance at Roycefield last evening. It was a surprise to William Wyckoff, and was given by Mr. Wyckoff's wife and a party of friends.

—A regular meeting of the Plainfield Game and Fish Protective Society will be held in the society's rooms Tuesday evening. Business will come up with reference to hunting on unlicensed grounds.

—The Central Railroad Company had a force of men at work yesterday morning clearing out the cellar under the North Avenue station. Several carloads of ashes were carted out and deposited alongside the track ready to be carted away.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

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—Eugene Moore, of Central avenue, has purchased a very fine pair of bird dogs.

—The work of cutting Chatham street to the grade was started yesterday morning.

—Among the many good things one should be thankful for is the chance to trade at Peck's.

—O. T. Waring, of Park avenue, is making some extensive improvements about his house.

—Daniel Dugan has sold one of his houses on LaGrande avenue to John W. Pool, of East Second street.

—A business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held this evening in the Sunday-school room.

—The Republican executive committee will hold a meeting this evening to arrange for the coming city election.

—The Barbers' Union, of Somerville, will give a dance on December 15th. Rogers, of this city, will furnish the music.

—Rogers will furnish the music for the masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at the Plainfield Cycle Academy, tonight.

—The insurance agents will settle the loss of the Lederer fire this week. A meeting will be held in a few days for the above purpose.

—An entertainment will be given in Gesang and Turn Verein Hall this evening by the members of the Saenger and Turner Society.

—A new pole has been erected at the corner of Westervelt and Manning avenues, and fire alarm box 132 will be stationed at that place.

—There is at present an immense amount of building being done on Fairview avenue, which gives a large number of men employment.

—William E. MacClymont will act as organist at the union Thanksgiving meeting at the Crescent Avenue church, tomorrow morning.

—Several of the old cars on the street railway have been treated to a handsome coat of yellow paint, which improves their appearance greatly.

—Justice Nash issued summons yesterday in the contract cases of French against Manning, Osment against Thorn, Osment against Smith, all returnable on Dec. 1st.

—There yet remains about one more week's work on the Watchung avenue extension, and then the borough will have added another fine road to their already large number.

—The heavy part of the work on the vault in the new City Fational Bank is about completed. Work will be started tomorrow on the vault to be placed in the basement.

—William E. MacClymont, organist of the First Presbyterian church, will exhibit a new organ just erected in a church at Islip, L. I., tomorrow evening. It was erected by the Midmer Organ Company.

—The masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club will be held this evening at the Plainfield Cycle Academy. The music will be furnished by Rogers and the committee have been working hard to furnish a pleasant evening to all who attend.

—The Press last Saturday advertised the fact that a large bunch of fair tickets of Engine Company, No. 2, had been lost. They were found by Frank Randolph, of West Front street, and returned to R. B. Rogers, who rewarded him for his honesty.

—"Judge" William B. Green who in part furnishes the entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. star course on Thanksgiving night has been called "The Mark Twain Among Elocutionists." He is the author of Judge Green's Stories" in the Brooklyn Daily Eagle.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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Here, therefore, is a chance for weak men in our community which should not be lost. Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th street, New York city, who has the largest practice in the world, and who is without doubt the most successful specialist in curing this class of diseases offers to give free consultation by mail to all weakened, vigorless and nerve-exhausted men. You have the privilege of consulting Dr. Greene by letter describing your complaint and he will, after carefully considering your condition, send you a letter fully explaining all your symptoms, telling you everything about your complaint so plainly that you will understand exactly what ails you. He will also give you his advice, based upon his vast experience and wonderfull success in treating and curing such cases, as to just what to do to get cured. All this will cost you nothing and you can thus have consultation with the best known physician and acknowledged most successful specialist in the world, without leaving home and at no expense whatever. The Doctor is the discoverer of that greatest of medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and he has discovered many other most valuable remedies. Write to him now, for this is the chance of a lifetime to get cured which you may never have again.

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Thanksgiving Eve. Dancing and Bowling every evening and Thanksgiving afternoon. Music by LeVere's Orchestra.

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Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

DIED.

VAN VLIET—Died in this city Nov 24, 1896, Sarah J. Kniffin, wife of Geo. VanVliet. Funeral services at her late residence, 112 Prospect avenue, on Thursday, at 3 p. m. Interment at Trinity cemetery, New York, Friday morning. 11-24-2

TIMS—In this city, Nov. 24, 1896, Peter Tims in his 48th year. Funeral services from his late residence 529 East Sixth street, Friday afternoon, Nov. 27, at 2.30 p. m. 11-24-2t

WANTS AND OFFERS.

TO LET—Flat, 4 rooms, $8.00 per month. House to let, Rice street, first house from Watchung avenue, 10.00 a month. Geo. White, 116 W. Front street, tea store.

2 OR 3 gentlemen can have extra large front room and board in private family, $4.50 per week. Inpuire store, 123 East Front street. 11 25 2

SECOND hand stoves for sale cheap. St. George elevated oven range, cylinder stove No. 12, Oriental parlor stove, double heater parlor stove. Inquire R Thorn, Park ave., rear Van Zant's feed store.

YOUNG man wants situation as coachman, good reference. Call 15 Harmony street. 11 25 2

POOL and billiard table for sale very cheap, size 3½x7, ivory balls. Address P. O. box 794. 11 23 2mw

FOR EXCHANGE—Centrally located residence on large lot in Westfield, value $4500, no encumbrances; want small Plainfield house of about equal value. Address Mr. L. H., care Press. 11 24 5

FOR SALE—Small farm of 20 acres, about one mile from city limits, new, well built and attractive house, good fruit, etc. Price low, terms easy. As part payment, might take small house in Plainfield. Address Alton, care Press. 11 24 5

FURNISHED room to let. 189 North avenue. 11 24 2

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" " 6	1.39	2.25
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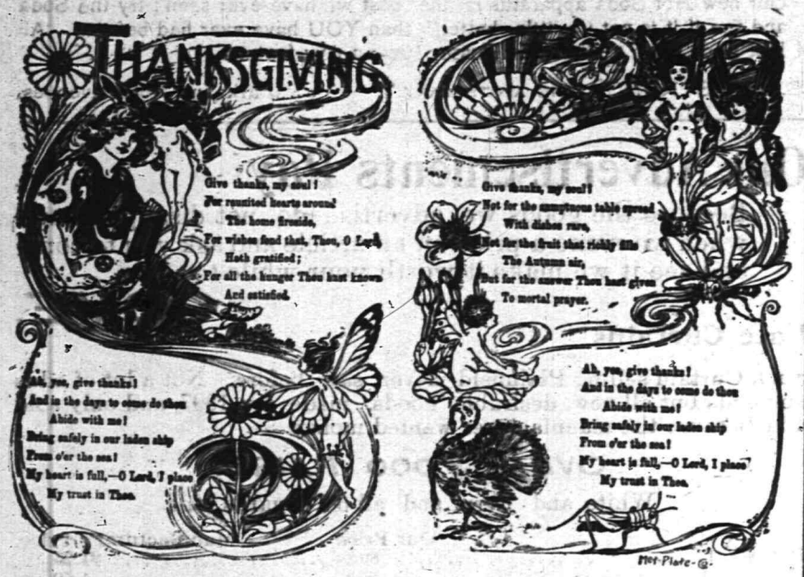

THE PLUMBER'S JOB.

Whatever her eccentricities—I must grant her some—she was greatly beloved by her fellow-townsmen; and those who knew her best loved her most strongly. She had, however, a will of her own. And she was one who, in the language of the Holy Writ, kept her promise to her hurt. Thus, sometimes, an impetuous temper led her into imprudent declarations out of which she could not always extract herself without great exercise of her wits. Her latest dilemma engrossed her tonight. Having had the plumbing of her dwelling repaired, in an unlucky moment there has come a quarrel with the plumbers' union over a bill. The result was that she sent away "every man swindler of them all"—and was left with the water service of the house cut off, and water hauled from the cisterns and a single faucet in the garden, while friends sniffed apprehensively whenever they she not afraid of sewer gas? and her niece (who was as a daughter to her) did not care to bring the baby to spend Thanksgiving because the child might catch diphtheria through the deadly, leaking pipes.

"Stuff!" said Miss Merryweather, who used strong expressions sometimes, being by birth and breeding quite too much of a lady to disturb herself about the minor conventions; "stuff and nonsense! There are no leaks, but I'm not going to argue with you, Helen; I shall get a plumber and have you come Thanksgiving."

Miss Merryweather was not used to be beaten; it galled. She had mailed letters to different plumbers asking for bids by telegraph; but peer as she might she could not see a loop-hole of escape for her at this time.

She went to bed early, but for a long while she could not sleep; she thought of the plumbers' union and her own defeat, and raged anew.

And when, at last, she was just slipping off into the shadows of peace, she heard the softest of footfalls. Surely she had closed the door on Diogenes, the dog. Hadn't she closed the door? Her mind drove her backward over that hasty journey through the rooms downstairs. Diogenes had a mat in the laundry, and the range of the kitchen; she certainly had closed one of the kitchen doors. Hadn't she closed the kitchen door upstairs? She had—at least she had seen that the door to the cellar was fast, and she thought she had bolted the door upstairs—how did people ever feel certain about anything enough to swear that it happened? The footsteps were nearer—in the sitting room which adjoined the chamber. Her first thought was for the safety of the tea table, with its precious freight; she was sure if she called to the dog kindly he would begin wagging his tail, that tremendous brush which with one sweep might hurl her idols into irredeemable, smashing, crashing ruin!

Sternness was the only chance! "Down charge, Di!" she commanded. "Bad dog! Down!"

A particularly mild voice answered her: "It ain't a dog, miss; it's a man!"

"A man?" repeated Miss Merryweather. "Well!"

Of course it was not well; but Miss Merryweather did not think of the nicer meaning of words.

"Yes, ma'am," the voice repeated; don't be alarmed; I'm a man—a burglar!"

Miss Merryweather showed no signs of alarm; in the first place she had a fearless soul; in the second place, the voice was so mild, so almost apologetic, that it aroused her sense of humor.

"I don't know but that you are less of a nuisance than the dog would be," said she. "You stay right where you are, and I will turn on the electric lights. Don't move, or you'll hit something!"

"All right, ma'am,' said the burglar; "only no pulling out a pop, you know, and firing it off at me in the dark, hit or miss!"

"Certainly not; at least, not until I can see you," said Miss Merryweather. All the while she was hastily donning a wrapper and slippers. Then she turned on the lights.

The burglar stood directly under the blaze. He did not look like a burglar; there was nothing much in his pale face except the look of recent sickness and hopelessness. His clothes were like any other workman's, a pair of blue, soiled overalls with something like a bib front and a patched check shirt.

When Miss Merryweather loomed upon him—one may say darted, since that was the effect of the springing of the light upon her image—he lifted his empty hand to his hat.

"I don't want to disturb you, ma'am," he repeated, "but I've got to have some money'"

"Why?" said Miss Merryweather. She was quite at her ease, and had taken a rocking chair.

"Why?" the man echoed bitterly. "Because I prefer to steal to see my wife dying for want of things done for her, and my children without shoes to their feet, and never a bite amongst us all this day, by ——! I beg your pardon, lady; I wasn't meaning to swear, but I'm wore out."

"Haven't you had anything to eat today?" said Miss Merryweather.

He shook his head. A stiff lock of brown hair which stood up on the top of his head waggled at the motion; it gave him a grotesque look. He certainly was frightfully thin.

"Humph!" said Miss Merryweather. "You sit down in that rocking chair and stay there till I come up again. Don't you burgle any until I come back; then we'll see what we can do."

"I won't touch a thing, lady," promised the burglar; "I've been druv to this, I truly have."

When she entered her sitting room again, and saw how starved and tired her burglar looked, she was glad of her decision.

He was leaning back in his chair, his pistol still in one limp hand, his head laid back, showing a miserably thin neck; and the white glare full on the haggard pallor of his face.

His eyes brightened at the sight of the tray. Miss Merryweather, making no comment, lighted the lamp under the silver chafing dish; and, as it burned she buttered the slices of bread and placed beef between them.

"I am afraid the beef is a little underdone for your taste," observed she, kindly, and I hope you don't care for mustard, for I forgot it; but I've put on salt and pepper, and they were the best done pieces I could find. The soup will be warm in a minute."

"You are not at all like a professional burglar," remarked the lady, who had now come to ladling out the steaming soup; "I think you must be an amateur."

"I never touched a thing that wasn't my own before, lady, so help me——"

"Well, you haven't touched anything yet, now," interrupted Miss Merryweather, who had a mania for accuracy. She continued: "I suppose you are putting that sandwich in your pocket for your family—don't do it! I'll make you up a basket for them. Tell me what brought you, such a decent man, to this pass?"

The man smeared his eyes with his hand before he began. "I have never seen a lady like you," said he; "I'm just going to tell you the honest truth. I was working in Chicago. I belonged to the junior plumbers——"

"Oh, if you were a plumber, it must have come natural for you to rob."

The burglar acknowledged the sally by a faint smile. "We ain't so bad as they make us out. Well, hard times came, and work fell off, and the union wouldn't let us work below wages, so I left the union—fact is, I couldn't keep up my dues——"

"Do you mean to tell me," cried Miss Merryweather, springing from her chair in strong agitation—"do you mean to tell me that you are not a union man? Don't think of burgling me! I can give you a great deal better job, and I will advance you money on it, too. This house is only about half plumbed; if you will take hold and get this plumbing done by six o'clock tomorrow, I'll pay you well. And you shall have two men to help you who aren't plumbers, but who have some sense. And a boy to run to the shop to get the tools. Are you a good plumber?

"Yes'm, I was; but, you see, I went to Pullman, and worked there till the strike came. I didn't strike; but I joined the A. R. U. afterwards, so as to get the relief. The strike lasted so long I used up all my savings; and then I didn't git back after all. The baby come just then, God forgive it! and I guess he knowed he was none too welcome, for he's been hollering ever since. Doctor says he needs some kinder food, and I wanted to git it, for I someway don't jest want him to die, if he is mean! Then I wanted to git my woman things; she's an awful nice woman, I'll say that, and about all we've got she's earned washing. I have been out a week walking about a hundred miles, I guess, begging for a job everywhere. I heard jobs were to be had; but you see we were strangers, and there ain't enough work to go 'round 'mong the old men. Today, as I went back from the shoe factory 'cross the river, and seen all the turkeys in the winders, and remembered how there wasn't a bite in our house for to-day nor for to-morrow, and looked at the rich folks that don't love their families a mite better'n I love mine, I got kinder wild, I guess. I never had gredged rich folks their money, before. I was willing to work hard, and not to have very much; but now it seems as if there wasn't an inch of room for me and my family on this earth. We'd pawned every last thing we could pawn, and there we was—a starving!

"Lady, I tell you, it ain't the poverty poor that gits squeezed the hardest when there's hard times; bless you, no! They're used to leanin' on other folks, and they just lop over a leetle heavier; but it's the decent folks that never knew the way to the poor-overseer's office before, or even to the pawnshop, that catch it. They suffer and don't holler about it."

"I see," said Miss Merryweather; "go on!"

"There ain't much more," said the man, very neatly folding the napkin. "I told my wife I had got a job and would have the money for a turkey tomorrow; not to fret, I'd git some advanced. I went straight out, meaning to enter somebody's house and git enough to buy a Thanksgiving dinner. I prowled about for a long time, first deciding on one house, and then on another. By and by I saw all the folks in your kitchen going out, and the light upstairs; and, says I, 'that lady is all alone by herself, and I can git some money, easy.' So I come."

"But how did you get in?" The windows are barred downstairs——"

"Yes'm; they look like good winders. But I come in by the door—the kitchen door. I reasoned like the girls would have some place where they hid the kitchen key, and I could hunt it up. Most like it would be under the door-mat. That's where it was, too."

"They shall have a latch-key, every one of them; of course you got in. But didn't you wake the dog?"

"No, ma'am; he jest slept like the dead. Them big dogs is jest like men about sleeping, they sleep so sound."

"But when you came up stairs what did you do about the mat at the foot of the stairs? The lights ought to have sprung up and the bells rung, the instant your foot touched the mat!"

"Why, you see, lady," said the burglar apologetically—he seemed to fear lest she should be hurt by the failure of her carefully planned burgar traps—"you see, I naturally struck a match, now and then, to see my way, and when I come on that plain, common mat in that beautiful hall with the handsome rugs about, I knowed it to be a burglar mat, so I jest stepped over it. I've no doubt all the things would have happened if I had stepped on it right."

"Do you think anything is the matter with this?" displaying her revolver.

It was a big revolver of glossy and iridescent black, not a feminine fripery about it—no pearl, no silver; a revolver that meant business and showed it intentions honorably.

"No, it's all right," said the burglar, admiring; "you could 'a plugged me, sure."

"Unless you shot me first."

"Hump! that would 'a been difficult, seein' mine ain't loaded and there's something the matter with the trigger so it can't go off, else it would 'a been in the pawnshop 'stead of here."

"Well," sighed Miss Merryweather, "it's a mercy you tried to burgle me with that useless thing, instead of some one else. Now, for goodness sake come down stairs and let me give you that basket and get you off before the servants come."

Miss Merryweather had very much the sensations of a burglar in her own house, as she despoiled the larder, the friendly burglar holding the candle. They hurried at every glimpse of the clock, they trembled at all the creakings of the floor.

"Robbins never did stay out before later than twelve or one; it's a quar—Great heavens!" Miss Merryweather jumped. Suddenly she was bathed in a flood of light, and bells seemed to be ringing all over the house!

"I guess the mat is straight goods," said the burglar; "you trod on it by mistake, ma'am. Say, what's that? They're a hollering in the yard! I'll try this door——"

"No, you will not," said Miss Merryweather, all herself again; "you will stay just where you are, while I open the door."

She was at the hall door before she ended, calling loudly to the shrieking maids, who came in timidly (except Robbins), in the rear of the two men, who were none too valorous.

"Nothing is the matter," said Miss Merryweather; "I stepped on the mat myself. It works perfectly. Harriet, I've engaged a plumber, and he is to work all night, and the plumbing will be done by tomorrow afternoon. If you need those extra tools you better go home and get them now"—turning upon the bewildered burglar—"and you don't need that candle any more; put it down. Don't forget the basket."

"No, ma'am, thank you, ma'am," the burglar responded meekly, "and I'll be back——"

"As soon as you can; there's no time to lose," said Miss Merryweather. "He is a good plumber," she announced calmly to her dazed domestic staff, "and I was lucky to get him. I have sent a basket of things to his family. Get him a good breakfast to-morrow morning; and I hope we shall have a Thanksgiving after all. I shan't forget how good you all are in these emergencies."

The household knew too well Miss Merryweather's generosity, for these special efforts, to be unhappy; but Robbins summed up the general mixture of disapprobation and admiration. She said: "Did you ever see the like! I believe Miss Elinor would git her will if she had to tear the world up by the roots!"

The plumbing was done, and well done, by four of the next afternoon. The burglar's family, as well as the Merryweather gathering dined late that Thanksgiving.—McClure's Magazine.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

"Blest be those feasts with simple plenty crowned
Where all the ruddy family around,
Laugh at the jests or pranks that never fail
Or sigh with pity at some mournful tale."
—Goldsmith.

The Puritan emigrants who came to this country brought with them a stern hatred for all fasts and feasts associated with the church from which they had cut themselves free. Judged by easy modern standards, the Puritan character seems grim, narrow and unattractive, but to the handful of men and women who faced exile, hardship and danger of death for the sake of their soul's freedom we in America largely owe what is best in our national life today.

The Mayflower is usually now regarded as a sort of Noah's ark, capable of holding any number of passengers, so that it is somewhat startling to remember that she was only of 158 tons burden, which is less than that of an ordinary coastwise fishing boat. When we further think that 102 people were packed away on board of her for 67 days, it is astonishing that only one man died, and as little Oceanus Hopkins was born at sea, the number of the ship's company was the same when at last, by the early dawn of the ninth of November, 1620, they sighted a sandy and well-wooded shore.

The grown men met in the cabin of the Mayflower as she lay in the harbor of what is now Provincetown and framed the first American constitution for the government of the colony.

It is not unlikely that the first American Thanksgiving followed soon after. The date usually accepted, however, is at the end of the next October, when the first harvest had been gathered in.

The winter after they landed was one of great suffering, nearly half of their number having died between December and March, but in their own words "warm and fair weather came at last, and the birds sang in the woods most pleasantly." They sowed six acres with barley and peas, and 20 more with Indian corn found in a native storehouse during the winter, which their Indian friend Squanto showed them how to cultivate. When their simple crops were gathered in they prepared to hold a festival, perhaps with wistful memories of the English "harvest homes" which they were never to see again.

This first real Thanksgiving seems like the calm warmth of Indian summer among the bleak days of those hard years. The next one, 1622, was full of misfortunes.

Winslow, one of the colonists, says he saw strong men staggering about at noon-time faint for want of food, and Elder Brewster was found one day sitting down to table with nothing but a platter of broiled clams and a jug of water before him. But his spirit was unbroken and over this meagre fare he gave thanks that he and his were permitted "to suck of the abundance of the seas, and of the treasures hid in the sand."

At last things came to such a pass that in the end of July a day was set apart for fasting, humiliation and prayers for rain. For eight or nine hours without intermission they pleaded and strove with the Lord, and as they left the little fort which protected their worship they looked in each other's faces as men do who see help at hand when they have been near death, for clouds were slowly gathering, and before many hours the rain was falling gently and steadily upon the cracked and dusty earth. Another Thanksgiving followed.

The camps and councils of the Revolution brought men together from all parts of the country and it was a great force in the development of social life. Three fasts were set by the Continental Congress before the first Thanksgiving, but that was one not to be forgotten. Burgoyne had surrendered, which meant that he could not shut the New England colonies off from the South by holding the Hudson River. Washington was then with his army at Valley Forge, and his order for the day runs: "Tomorrow being the day set apart by the honorable Congress for Public Thanksgiving and praise, and duty calling us devoutly to express our grateful acknowledgements to God for the manifold blessings he has granted us, the General directs that the army remain in its present quarters, and that the chaplains perform divine services with their different corps and brigades, and earnestly exhorts all officers and soldiers whose absence is not indispensably necessary to attend with reverence the solemnities of the day."

That was our first national Thanksgiving Day, but it was not followed by one each year. As time went on one state after another made it a custom to keep an autumn holiday. New York for instance, having done so since 1817, but is was not until Abraham Lincoln appointed the twenty-sixth of November, 1863, that the day now universally kept was nationally acknowledged.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 00, 8 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 38, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 32, 5 54, 6 40, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 38, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 08, 10 05, 11 25, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 08, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 20, 9 05, 9 20, 10 05, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 25; 2 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 3 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 32, 7 25, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 43, 5 14, 6 25, 10 35, 7 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 12, 9 08, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m Sunday at 9 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 9 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a. m., 12 46, 2 11, 4 55, 6 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 38, 8 m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 02 a m; 6 37, 7 30 p. m.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville; Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 30 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 38 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 55 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

9 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 25 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 01, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 2 17, 2 32*, 5 34*, 6 56*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m. 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, p. m. 1 17 night.

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PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION HELD

Gen. Weyler Said To Have Returned to Havana To Look After the New Issue of Notes by the Spanish Bank.

Havana, Nov. 25.—The report circulated by a New York newspaper to the effect that the men captured on the American filibustering schooner Competitor had been retried by a court-martial, despite a protest filed by Consul-General Lee prior to his departure from Havana, is absolutely without a word of truth. Only the preliminary examinations of the prisoners on the second trial, as ordered by the supreme military and naval tribunal in Madrid, have as yet occurred, as was reported at the time by the United Associated Presses. It is not known when the trials will take place. Every effort has been made to learn the true reasons for the return to Havana of Captain-General Weyler from the province of Pinar del Rio, but nothing definite has transpired. All that is known is that he came here on the gunboat Legazpi from Mariel, accompanied by only one adjutant. The rest of his staff came by rail from Artemisa. Gen. Weyler has made no official declaration concerning the condition of affairs in the province of Pinar del Rio. In an interview with him just before he left Artemisa to board the Lagazpi at Mariel he said he was satisfied with his campaign. He had crossed to the south and had expected to meet Maceo and give him combat. He had, however, met only small bands of rebels, who disappeared when the Spanish troops came near to them. When questioned concerning the whereabouts of Maceo, Gen. Weyler said: "I do not know where he is. It is certain that I did not meet him in either the hills or dales of Pinar del Rio. Despite their bravadoes the rebels never fight, but always flee upon the approach of our troops." Gen. Weyler added that the supplies of cattle that had been obtained by the insurgents are disappearing, the troops capturing and destroying all they saw. The military combinations planned by him had resulted as he had anticipated. All these combinations were not finished, but there would be much less to do at the end of the year. The press comments on the return of the captain-general are very guarded, as is natural under the strict censorship exercised here. It is rumored that he will soon return to the field. One report has it that the chief reason for his return to Havana was pressing government business which demanded his personal attention However, nothing really definite is known, and events in the near future are anxiously awaited. Some dissatisfaction is quietly expressed even by the loyalists that Gen. Weyler, after his long poeparations to inflict a crushing blow on Maceo, should now come back to the capital without even catching sight of the main body of the rebels.

Sympathizers with Rebels Jubilant.

The sympathizers with the Cuban cause in this city are very jubilant over Captain-General Weyler's return to Havana. Several reasons are given for the general's action in withdrawing from the field, one of them being that Marquis Ahumada, who took charge of affairs in Havana during the absence of Gen. Weyler, did not properly conduct the war. The Cubans all agree that Weyler's campaign in Pinar del Rio has been a failure, and that he has disgraced himself by leaving the field, for, although he had over three times the number of men at his command than Maceo has in Pinar del Rio, he has not accomplished his avowed purpose of crushing the revolutionists. It is stated that the insurgent forces under Gen. Calixto Garcia have beseiged Puerto Principe, the fourth largest city in the island, which it is said they now practically control.

Why Weyler Returned.

Madrid, Nov. 25.—A dispatch to the Imparcial from Havana says that in an interview Gen. Weyler stated that he had returned from the province of Pinar del Rio owing to the necessity of settling the question of the new issue of notes by the Spanish bank and other urgent matters. After these were settled he would be ready to return to the field. He added that he did not believe that Maceo had more than 6,000 men, and that these were scattered in remote positions. He said he would crush the rebellion in the Pinar del Rio province before dealing with the insurgents elsewhere.

Rev. Morris D'C. Crawford Dead.

New York, Nov. 25.—The Rev. Morris D'C. Crawford, a prominent Methodist Episcopal clergymen, died at his residence in this city yesterday. He was 78 years of age. He had been in the ministry for fifty-six years.

Greater New York Charter.

New York, Nov. 25.—The Greater New York commission will meet about Dec. 8 and receive a full copy of the proposed Greater New York charter, which is now in the hands of the committee on draft.

Secretary Roosevelt's Condition Serious.

London, Nov. 25.—The condition of James R. Roosevelt, first secretary of the United States embassy, who has been suffering from nervous prostration for several days, has become very serious.

Jumped Overboard at Sea.

Queenstown, Nov. 25.—The White Star line steamer Majestic, just arrived here from New York, reports that on Sunday Steward Greal committed suicide by jumping overboard.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:59 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:36 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:36 p. m.

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INTERESTING NOTES CONCERNING THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

Comment on Local Players and What Their Chances Are With the Teams That They Are Matched to Play Against.

The Dunellen foot ball team was defeated by the Cranfords last Saturday on the latters grounds. The score was 10 to 0. Raymond Carroll, of the Dunellens was injured. Thomas A. Cuming, of the Y. M. C. A. team, put up an excellent game at half for the Dunellens. The Dunellen team plays in Somerville tomorrow morning. Both teams will be considerably strengthened.

Every day for the last week the candidates for the Hunter football team have met for practice and tomorrow they will play their first and last games of the season. In the morning the team will go to Elizabeth to play the Battin High School of that place. The hunters are playing a good game and expect to hold their own against the Elizabeth boys. The team is quite strong in team play. In the afternoon they will play the Spartan team from North Plainfield. The latter team was organized especially for Thanksgiving Day and will play only one game. The players have been practicing some time and as the teams are about evenly matched, as to weight, the game is likely to be a very exciting one. It will be played on the Martine Field at 1.30 o'clock. The teams will line up as follows:

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Finch	left end	Stout, (Capt)
Ericson	quarterback	C. Woolston
McClure	right half back	Loizeaux
Phillips	left half back	Carroll
Wills	full back	Boone

Both McGee and Abbott, who are now at Yale, have written home asking for a game on the Y. M. C. A. team for Saturday. It is very probable that one, or perhaps both, will be able to play Lovell will be unable to occupy his usual place at tackle, and Abbott will probably take his place. There is some talk that "Shorty" Milne will not play in Plainfield, then in that case McGee will occupy his old place at guard. He has now recovered from his recent injuries to his knee.

The Atlas team has now disbanded for the season and the players from it are in great demand by the other teams.

The substitutes for the Hunter eleven for to-morrow are Harry Cuming, Harry Woltman, Howard Martin, Garfield Pike and Viernie Waters.

BASKET BALL.

Basket ball has become a very prominent feature in Y. M. C. A. circles. It is a very interesting game, and when properly played is appreciated by any who may happen to witness it. A series of games has been arranged by the local Y. M. C. A. team's manager, and these games promise to be very interesting and deserve the patronage of the Plainfield people. The first game of the season will be played on Friday evening of this week beginning at 8:30. The visiting team will be the second team of the Twenty-third Street Branch, Y. M. C. A., of New York city, and is one of the strongest teams in the country. The admission to outsiders is 15 cents, and to members of the Association, 10 cents.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

Following is the standing of the clubs in the above league:

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	3	1
Elizabeth A. C.	3	3
Westfield	2	2
Roselle Casino	2	2
Cranford Country Club	2	2
New Jersey A. C.	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	1	3

GOLF.

A special match has been arranged to take place tomorrow at the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club. It will be men's foursomes, mixed class, and will be continued all through the day.

Arthur Murphy, son of Rev. T. Logan Murphy, is quite ill at his home on Washington avenue.

It required fortitude, bravery, sand, to do it, but Judge McCormick, of Elizabeth, seems to have arisen to the occasion. He has actually held that a servant must obey her mistress, and a great, patient public is trembling for his safety.—New York Press.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the Church of the Redeemer at 11:30 a. m.; in Holy Cross church at 11 a. m., and in St. Stephen's church at 10:30 a. m. In the latter church there will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

—Leggett's pharmacy, Y. M. C. A. building, will be open all day Thanksgiving.

—VanEmburgh & Son will close there store all day tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

—L. W. Randolph will lead the Thanksgiving service at the East Third Street Mission, tomorrow evening.

—H. A. Stiles, the optician, will not be at his office in this city tomorrow on account of its being a holiday, but will be here as usual on Thursday of next week.

—Brakeman Peter Schneiderwind met with a mishap yesterday. He was coupling cars near the North avenue station when the first finger on his right hand was accidentally caught between the bumpers and badly crushed.

—Edward White went to a Broadway manufacturer of coats for ladies' and children yesterday, and made him an offer for his entire stock of fine coats. The offer was accepted and Mr White has the goods. They go on sale today and Friday at a remarkably low price.

The many friends of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., will rejoice to learn that his condition is greatly improved, and his physician, Dr. Probasco, now feels confident of his early recovery.

THE ROMANCE OF CHOLLY.

One Day It Came to a Strange, Sad Ending.

Cholly Addlepate had been in love with Chiara Pirouetti, the music hall queen, for two weeks. He had sent her flowers, diamonds, lover's notes and the rest, and at last came the happy hour when she received him in her luxurious Harlem flat.

As he beheld her in her pink evening dress she looked even more girlish and lovely than on the stage, and before a half hour had passed Cholly was pouring out his love with an eloquence that surprised even himself.

"I weally—ah—love you—by Jove, I do!" he cried. "I've got lots of cash, and my family's all right. The guv'ner's a banker, you know, and my mother was a Hoffenstein, and"—

"What!" exclaimed Chiara, trembling with excitement. "A Hoffenstein! Her Christian name? Tell me. Quick! Quick!"

"Her name was Caroline," replied Cholly, greatly surprised.

"Caroline Hoffenstein!" shrieked Chiara, now as pale as death. "Caroline Hoffenstein your mother! Let me look at you."

She scanned the young man's features for a full minute without saying a word. Then, with a cry of supreme joy, she threw her arms around his neck and drew him to her breast.

"My dear, dear Charles," she said. "I cannot be mistaken. You have her eyes, her hair, her nose. From the way you spoke of her I know, alas, she has gone from this world, but I have you, Charlie, anyhow, haven't I, dear?"

"Seems so," said the bewildered Cholly, "but"—

"Oh, you do not understand, of course," interrupted Chiara. "I was so overjoyed at discovering who you are that I took you to my heart before explaining that Caroline Hoffenstein was my daughter, the child that was taken away from me when I was divorced from your grandfather. I never heard her name again till you mentioned it tonight. I missed her dreadfully for years, but now you will make up for her loss, won't you, dear boy? You will love your grandmother just a little? Say you will, dear."

But Cholly had swooned away.—New York Evening Journal.

Couldn't Believe It.

"I think your daughter intends to elope."

The old man looked at the neighbor who was always interfering in matters that did not concern him and shook his head.

"I can hardly believe it," he said.

"I have every reason to believe"—

"But that won't do," interrupted the old man. "You forget that this is a serious matter that ought not to be allowed to rest upon hearsay evidence. When one man comes to another and tells him that his daughter is about to forsake the parental roof under cover of the night, he should be absolutely sure of what he says. Have you incontrovertible evidence that what you say is true?"

"Well, no, I can't say that I have," replied the officious neighbor, beginning to feel that perhaps he had gone too far.

"Just as I feared," returned the old man. "This is the third time I've had my hopes needlessly raised by reports of this sort, and it is growing monotonous."—Chicago Post.

No Lack of Raw Material.

"Fawther," said Dickey, seizing the guinea hen firmly by the bill and holding her head down on the block, "what's the reason I've always got to do this when you cut off a guinea's head?"

"Because a fowl of this kind always humps her neck up so it's hard to get at it with the hatchet."

"But suppose you made a mislick and chopped off a lot of my fingers?"

Mr. McCorkle, father of 14 children, mostly boys, looked fixedly at his youngest.

"In that case, Dickey," he said, "I should simply call another boy and try it again."—Chicago Tribune.

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EAGLE Brand
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Never Drowned In His Life.

Barney Phillips is a sailor living in Alpena, and last month he was reported as having been drowned off the barge Monitor in Lake Erie. Barney returned to Alpena the other day and claimed that he was not drowned. To a newspaper reporter in that city he said:

"Eet ees tam lie dat am drown. Haf nafer been drown in ma life. Am tell you som' man his tam liar when he say am drowned off Monitor. Am been from Cincinnati to Montreal sance dat time and am nafer drown in ma life."—Detroit Free Press.

Amply Demonstrated.

"How singular it happened that Mrs. Delaware was able to find proof that she had known her husband in a previous reincarnation."

"How did she discover it?"

"She found a letter she had given him to post in a former state of existence."—Buffalo Times.

His Proper Place.

Mr. Footbaul—Where (hic) do you wantsh t' play?

Captain (disgustedly)—Oh, you can keep on playing full.—Up-to-Date.

Absence Accounted For.

"Did Miss Dubb make her debut last night?"

"No. She didn't have the face to make her appearance before such a large assemblage."

"What was the matter?"

"Her make up box was stolen."—Norristown Herald

Uncertain Mr. Treadway.

Ethel—That Mr. Treadway is so uncertain, you never know where he stands.

Emma—No, unless he happens to be on your feet.—Yonkers Statesman.

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FOR SALE !

Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired, inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH, 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

NOTICE

Estate of Robert Anderson deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate to the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditor of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation there claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the 6th day of November 1896, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ANSON W. ANDERSON,
11 18 10-oaw-w Administrator.

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Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Rudolph Kersting and Herman Klinsman, under the firm name of Kersting & Klinsman, was dissolved on the fourth day of November, A. D., 1896, by mutual consent.

All debts owing the said partnership are to be received by the said Rudolph Kersting, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

Dated this fourth day of November, A. D., 1896.

[Signed.] RUDOLPH KERSTING.
HERMAN KLINSMAN.

Rudolph Kersting, the senior member of the firm, will continue the business at the same place, 201 and 203 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 11 11 6t Th

NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Tucker Dunham deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the county of Union, made on the application of the undersigned executors of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased, within nine months from the seventh day of October 1896, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

MARY THANKFUL DUNHAM.
MAXSON MARVIN DUNHAM.
Executors.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administratrix of Charles E. Catlin, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the thirtieth day of December next. GERTRUDE W. CATLIN.
Dated October 28th, 1896. 10 29 10w

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE.
Thanksgiving Night
8 O'CLOCK.

"Judge" W. B. GREEN, of Brooklyn.
Reciter and Story Teller.
Miss Kathryn Krymer, of Brooklyn,
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Single Admission, - - - - - 25c.
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Wednesday Evening
at 8 o'clock. All are invited. 11 23 3t

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SEWER NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for Drainage and Sewerage in Cities of this State," approved April 7th, 1890, the following statement is made:

No new contracts have been entered into during the last twelve months, and all the work then under contract, upon the sewers and disposal beds have been finished, and the sewerage system, consisting of 23.55 miles of sewers, together with the disposal area, is now in operation.

The whole cost of the sewers and disposal beds, as per declaration to the commissioners, of assessments, was $160,627.72, not including house connections: $70,500 of sewer notes have been issued during the last twelve months, making a total issue to date, of $156,500 on account of the cost. The commissioners of assessment have not yet made their report to the common council.

Plainfield, November 23, 1896.
JOHN JOHNSON.
Collector.

Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 699 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.
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And you can depend on it too.

We have just purchased and put on sale a "Closing Out" lot of
Extra Fine Kid Gloves
from a factory in Gloversville at 50 cents on the dollar, and will sell them as long as they last in the same way, that is, at 49c the pair. You will be in luck if you get a pair of them. Don't wait too long. They will go quick.

WRAPPERS.

Ladies' Fancy Eiderdown Wrappers in pretty blues, pink, green and brown, made with watteau back and loose front, large bishop sleeves and sailor colar, trimmed with insertion and ribbon. Our New Method Price, $3.40. Ladies' Red Flannelette Wrappers, with loose front and watteau back and large full sleeves. Our New Method Price, 1.69. Ladies' Black and White Flannelette Wrappers, made with watteau back and loose front, large sleeves. Our New Method Price, $1.83. Ladies' Working Wrappers in dark percales and calicos, nicely made, 79. We have a nice assortment of Ladies' Coats, but want of space forbids mention here. Come in and see them. We sell them cheaper than any other house.

Boys' Watches Free.

Boys, we certainly have a great "Snap" for you in our enlarged Boys' Department, where you will find the newest, nobbiest and cheapest Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, etc., and a Genuine Fine Watch Free with a purchase of $5 or over in the department, including Clothing and Underwear and Furnishings. Our new "CORNING" Watch, a reliable timepiece, stem winder, patent lever movement, dust proof, nickel case, 18 line-watch. Beats anything ever placed on the market. Retail price is $1.75. Boys, you want to be wide-awake and get one of these fine watches. They are not a clock. We sell Knee Pants from 21c and up. Full Suits from 79c and up.

In the Housefurnishing, China and Crockery Department.

We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

The Big Sale is Still On

and the way we have sold Laces the last week, the people must think "they are all right." You are especially invited to come in and see our Elegant New Goods of all kinds. Don't fail to visit our Big Basement. It's just brim full of new and pretty things; awfully cheap too You know we are selling Fine New attractive goods cheaper than any other house, and it will pay you well to trade at

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Ladies' Calf Skin Heavey Sole WALKING BOOTS, $3
Per Pair. Button and lace; Goodyear welts; dressy and serviceable. Just the shoe for Ladies' who dislike Rubbers.

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BUCK GLOVES, 50c. per Pair to $2.
HEAVY UNDERWEAR, 25c. to $2.
HATS and CAPS of every description.
CRANE & CLARK,
Hatters and Furnishers, 120 West Front street.

DON'T FORGET TO CALL AT
Frank Linke's,
227 West Front street, as he is making a great reduction, for cash, in Liquors and Wines for the Holidays.

COMING—Next Monday night—KITTIE RHOADES.
STILLMAN MUSIC HALL !
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GREAT IS UNCLE SAM

OUR COUNTRY THE SUBJECT OF THANKSGIVING REMARKS.

Both Revs. J. W. Richardson and Robert Lowry Refer to the Recent National Election in Their Sermons.

The Union Thanksgiving service held in the First M. E. church yesterday morning was not very well attended, but those who staid away missed an excellent and soul-stirring discourse. Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, opened the service with a fervent and earnest prayer, and Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes read the Scripture lesson.

Dr. Barnes, in introducing Dr. Robert Lowry, spoke concerning the absence of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, and he said that he hoped that all would remember Mr. Schenck in their prayers, that he might speedily recover his health.

Dr. Lowry took his text from the first verse of 137th Psalm: "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning." In part the doctor said:

"These words were used in the days of Babylonian bondage, when the Jews had become idiotic in their conduct. They had neglected their government and turned their minds to temporal affairs. As politicians they had had their day and the essential forces which make men what they should be was absent. Their city was in ruins and their temple had been destroyed. It was while in this condition that they found God whom they had not known in their prosperity. In the first place the Jews had a spirit of patriotism. They were patriots and would fight for their country's honor, and it was this patriotism which saved them.

"In the next place they met trouble with a spirit of devotion. Most any man can be pious in trouble, but it is not everyone who can be pious in prosperity. In the third place they were religious. When all else had fled they sought God.

"Their temple was demolished and their sacrifice had ceased, but from horror they stretched their hand to the Daughter of Zion and they wept when they remembered her. Patriotism and Religion are the two essential qualities. If these depart and decay a nation will die. Rome was made great by them and she would have still been great if they had been retained. These two forces are inseparable.

"If a man is nothing but virtuous he is sure to have the vices of his own virtue, and we would gladly give him a ticket to leave town by the first train. A man with nothing but a conscience is a monstrosity. It is necessary that he possess a little judgment.

"Nowadays if a preacher talks over a half hour his people want to shut up the church. Let God into the hearts of the people and all things else will be right. Sooner or later we shall see that the party leaders must stand back for the country's honor. The time is coming when every patriotic men will join in hurling the demagogues from the earth.

"Some of us remember the struggle of 1861-'65, when our sons and fathers left their homes to defend the flag which had been fired upon. We must have a patriotism that will take us to the ballot box to vote for God and not the head or even tail of a ticket.

"Evil forces are fast falling in on us. The Bible is being crowded out of our public schools and their is infidelity. But the world is not stronger than the church and I will stand on that statement against all comers. Think of the city missions of today with their wonderful influence saving lost souls. Think of the stupendous force of the Y. M. C. A., and Sunday schools. The latter has a membership of 12,000,000 children today.

"God reigns and the flag flies! Think of the Christian Endeavor Epworth League, B. Y. P. U., American Volunters, Salvation Army, and the educational forces. God is at the front with the starry flag overhead!

"Lately we have been against the foe. I am not a politician of the lowest sense, but of the hightest, and I care for my country. The people of the present day will always remember the campaign just passed. It was not one man against another, nor one platform against another, but a fight for country, and in the midst of it arose the flag. God run his hand through anarchy, riot and ruin, and when the result was known the next morning how the people did shout and thank God. Through the struggle the newspaper and pulpit came over for sound money. When Democrats, who were slyed in the wool, saw that their platform had left true Democracy they joined in the great fight. The Supreme Court was attacked and there was an attempt at class hatred.

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MET THE NEW MENTOR.

REV. FLOYD APPLETON INTRODUCED TO GRACE P. E. CHURGH MEMBERS.

The Reception Held at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, Which Was the Scene of Much Hospitality.

Warm and hearty was the greeting extended to Rev. Floyd Appleton, assistant-rector of the Grace P. E. church, Wednesday evening, in the spacious parlors of the handsome residence of S. A. Cruikshank, on Belvidere avenue. It was the occasion of a tea and reception given by Mrs. Cruikshank to enable the members of the parish to become better acquainted with Rev. Mr. Appleton and was essentially a church affair.

The dampness and gloom outside was in striking contrast to the life and gaiety within. Palms and potted plants were arranged around the parlors and halls in a tasteful manner. A bright fire in the large open fireplace in the reception hall added a warmth and glow to the scene that made the welcome seem all the more hearty.

On entering the guests were directed to the dressing rooms above where wraps and coats were removed. Then they were presented to Rev. Mr. Appleton in one of the parlors where Mrs. Cruikshank, Mrs. E. M. Rodman and Mrs. G. M. Randell assisted in receiving the guests. The ushers who introduced the guests to the new assistant-rector were Marion S. Ackerman, D. C. Ivins, Dexter O. Tiffany, G. M. Randell. Laurens H. Van-Buren, John B. Dumont, Jr., and Siegfried Arens.

In the refreshment room, several tables were artistically arranged, the prevailing color being pink. Here tea, ice cream and cakes were served to the guests. Mrs. Cruikshank remained here part of the time and was assisted in passing the refreshments by her sister, Miss Moore, of New York; Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, Miss Lawrence, of New York; Miss Katie McClure, Mrs. E. M. Van-Buren, Miss Holly, Miss Reinhart and Miss Rodman.

Mrs. Cruikshank's hospitality was well appreciated as was shown by the large number present. The choir boys had been invited to meet the new assistant-rector and they attended. All the leading families of the church were represented and the evening passed very enjoyably.

Among those present were the following: Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Rodman, Rev. S. P. Simpson, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Moore, of New York; Rev. Mr. Cobb, of Rahway; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Wills, T. C. H. Curtis, Misses Tweedy, General and Mrs. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, Miss Mary Anderson Reinhart, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mimford, Miss Agnes Mimford, Mr. and Mrs. S. Q. Lawson, Miss Nancy Lawson, Mrs. R. M. Stover, Frank Stover, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Waring, Miss May Waring, Miss Florence Waring, O. G. Waring, Mrs. C. S. West, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Cox, Mrs. Hastings, Miss Van Boskerck, Miss Maud Lowry, William Bartindale, of New York; Miss Lizzie Cock, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Case, Berry Egan, Miss Louise Egan, Miss Elaine Massett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman, Mrs. W. K. McClure, Miss McClure, William L. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton Rogers, Miss Newton, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Savage, of Rahway; Mrs. Carl Pfieffer, Carl Pfieffer, Jr., Miss Pfieffer, Miss Appleton, of New York; Mrs. Gleason, of New York; and Fuller Appleton, of New York.

Little Lord Fauntleroy Coming.

Tommy Russell, of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" fame and now quarter back of New York University Foot Ball team, as referred to in these columns a few days ago, will take part in the programme of entertainment at the social of the Christian Endeavor of the Crescent Avenue church in the chapel on Monday evening, November 30th. The programme will be furnished by a delegation from the musical clubs of New York University, as follows: Harry N. Pfeiffer, leader of the mandolins; Edmund W. Greacen, leader of the banjos; Thomas H. Russell, banjo; Moody B. Gates, accompanist.

—Attend the big 5 and 10 cent sale at 224 West Front street, tomorrow and Monday.

—Wm. Gillis was sent down the road for thirty days this morning by City Judge DeMeza for being drunk and disorderly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Marshall, of Fairview avenue, entertained a few friends at their home last evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lunger, of Coddington avenue, was brightened yesterday by the arrival of a young son.

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY

A FARMER THROWN FROM A WAGON AND HIS BACK HURT.

The Horse Took Fright at the Sliding Wagon and Collided With Another Rig—Patrolman Hartpence's Bravery.

Stephen Beeching, of Washingtonville, was severely injured this forenoon when he was thrown from his wagon which was upset by a runaway horse. Mr. Beeching was crossing the car tracks on East Front street with the wagon. The rails were slippery and the wheels slid for a considerable distance. This frightened the horse and he ran away. In front of the Dime Savings Bank the rig collided with a horse and wagon belonging to P. Traynor, of West Seventh street. Mr. Beeching was then thrown out and his wagon was upset. The horse then broke away from the wagon, which was demolished, and ran down Park avenue. At the corner of Second street Patrolman Hartpence made a desperate dash and very bravely caught the animal. His bravery was highly commended by all.

In the meantime Dr. Probasco came along and Mr. Beeching was taken to the former's office. An examination proved that his back was badly sprained, and it is feared that he sustained internal injuries. He was afterward taken to his home.

A GAY TIME.

Masquerade Ball of the Twilight Social Club a Successful One.

The masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club was given in the Jersey Cycle Academy Thanksgiving Eve with a dash of completeness that made it a gay spot in the usual prosaic life of many Plainfielders. The large dancing surface presented a kaleidscopic view of interchanging costumes of historical and modern characters, and many of the masqueraders' identity was a mystery only to be solved after unmasking time arrived. The attendance was very large, and the grand march, which was led by Mr. and Mrs. James Loughlin and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Smith, was one of the pleasing features. Music was furnished by Rogers orchestra and it was of a popular variety. At 1 o'clock a turkey supper was served in the balcony of the academy. The following are the members of the Twilight Social Club who had charge of the ball: F. S. Moore, L. Feiring, E. C. Searing and J. W. Loughlin.

Following were some of the costumes worn at the ball:

Persian spring beauty, Miss Blanche Brizard; Goddess of Liberty, B. Rockfellow; Gypsy girl, A. Fitzgerald; rose and pink girls, Mrs. W. and A. Fiering; school girl, S. Swick; Bo Peep, Lizzie Gunn; school girl, M. Rafferty; queen of hearts, L. McElin, Red Riding Hood, Carrie Reid; summer girl, E. Morecraft; Oriental girl, A. Fleming; summer girl, M. Reid; Spanish dancer, M. Diem; tambourine girl, M. DeNise; Star-Spangled Banner girl, E. Perry; soubrette girls, N. Kereger and K. Alberts; school girl, M. McElin; dancing beauties, N. Parkinson and A. Tunison; fancy frolic, Minnie Kiely; Marguerite, Mamie Kiely; flower girls, M. Smith and Annie Smith; peasant girl, L. Weber; maid of the mist, Bessie Day; bicycle girl, J. Waters; ballet dancer, Mrs. Howard; maid-of-honor, Katie Miller; flower girl, S. Goff; gypsy, Mrs. S. Tunison; Spanish dancer, Mrs. A. Moore; Sarah Bernhardt, J. Heenan; Red Riding Hood, M. Geary; school girl, Mrs. M. Condon; Spanish dancer, C. Howarth; jockey, L. Brown; tambourine girls, N. Goff and M. Motley; gypsy, N. Motley; twins in red, M. Shanley and Aggie McGinley; sporty coon, Fred Meeker; dude, Julian Sutphen; clown, H. Ackerman; two-faced sport, Jesse Ayers; clown, C. M. Powell; yellow kid, John Vardon.

Clog dancers, W. Robinson and W. Fiering, farmer, Charles Hewett; Irishman, John Vroom; butcher, Geo. Robson; Scotch Highlander, C. E. Bowden; clown, Harry Mattis; sporty boy, W. A. Boe; Chinaman, Thomas Eageny; clown, George Gerry; Erie Social Club boys, J. McEwan and Thomas Kane; baker, F. Burke; frog, L. Scheelein; clowns, D. Teller and Walter Frey; National guard, Ed. Galbraith; West Point Cadet, Charles Shirley; three dudes, W. Drake, D. Guinee and A. Ford; sailors, Samuel Goff and Charles Kaeding.

On New Year's Eve the Twilight Club will give another grand ball in the Cycle Academy and Rogers will furnish the music.

—All bills against the city must be in the hands of city clerk, Monday, November 30th.

—The report that Mrs. Julia Ward Howe is to preach in All Souls' church next Sunday, is erroneous.

EARNEST ENDEAVORERS.

A THANKSGIVING SERVICE HELD YESTERDAY MORNING.

E. E. Anthony Spoke of the Things to be Thankful For and Their Seeming Ingratitude of Christian People to the Giver.

A heavy mist hung over the city, yesterday morning, at 9.30 o'clock, the time appointed for the Union Christian Endeavor service in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Church, but the meeting was fairly well attended, and was very earnest and solemn, and was thoroughly enjoyed. Edward E. Anthony, President of the Plainfield Local Union, was the leader of the meeting, and Miss Carrie Dewey presided at the piano. An opening song service was followed by prayers by Rev. Mr. Main and Mr. Anthony, the responsive reading of a psalm, and a short but very earnest talk from the leader. He spoke of the many things for which one should give thanks, and then of the seeming ingratitude of Christian people toward the Giver of all good. He drew a strong lesson from the story of the ten lepers who came to Christ to be cleansed, only one of whom returned to thank Him.

"Leprosy is a frightful disease," he said, "but we have been cleansed of a worse one,—sin. Have we thanked Him as we ought? And don't you believe that if those men had any friends who were lepers, they brought them to be cleansed also? Let us show our thankfulness not only by word, but also by deed, bearing to others the news of what Christ has done for us. Let us this day consecrate ourselves to this winter's evangelistic work."

When the meeting was thrown open, there was no time wasted. No testimonies were given, but many earnest, heartfelt prayers were offered, thanking the Father for His many gifts, temporal and spiritual, and asking that the Endeavorers might be truly thankful, and show their thankfulness by whole-hearted work for Him.

At the close of the meeting, Mr. Anthony gave notice of a week of Bible study in preparation for evangelistic work, to begin December 6. Then, after a closing hymn, the Endeavorers separated, most of them attending the preaching service which followed.

AWAY FOR A LONG TIME.

Rev. Hunter Corbett, a Returned Missionary, Speaks.

The chapel of the Crescent Avenue church contained a very large audience Wednesday evening when Rev. Hunter Corbett, a returned missionary from China, was present and told something of his work in that foreign field. The speaker said that he left America the same day that the battle Gettysburg was commenced and that this was the first time he had seen his own country since. He related some very interesting experiences that were amusing to those present. He claimed that the Presbyterian church was doing a great work in China and that the denomination has cause for thankfulness. He urged that more workers be sent into the field and that more money be contributed to save these perishing souls. He said that the natives were hungering and thirsting for knowledge concerning Christ and that they were truly anxious to be saved from their sins. Mr. Corbett is a magnetic speaker and his earnest words touched the hearts of nearly all present. At the close a collection was taken for the work.

At St. Stephen's Church.

Thanksgiving day in St. Stephens' church was celebrated by a service of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. and morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. The decorations were under the direction of Mrs. Dyett, and proved very effective and appropriate. Wheat, and fruit and vegetables, were present in profusion; yet so arranged as not to be obtrusive. The Rector, Rev. S. P. Simpson, preached a sermon from the text "Whatsover a man soweth, that shall he also reap." The lessons drawn from these words were thoroughly appropriate to the season. After the services were ended, the various offering of fruit were sent to the sick of the Parish, and the other donations distributed. The services throughout were well attended. when one takes into consideration the threatening condition of the water.

A Clever Entertainment.

Another of the Y. M. C. A. Star Course of entertainments was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall last evening and it was largely attended. "Judge" Green, the well-known entertainer and story teller, was unable to be present, but Franklin Hart took his place and his selections were heartily enjoyed. The contralto solos by Miss Katheryn Krymer, of Brooklyn, were a very pleasing part of the programme.

—A pleasant dance was given at Saengerbund Hall, Wednesday night.

QUARREL AND ASSAULT

A SERIOUS AFFAIR BETWEEN TWO PLAINFIELD MEN.

It is Alleged That T. J. Hovell Kicked and Maltreated "Count" J. K. VanNest—Former Held For the Grand Jury.

A little dispute yesterday morning between two neighbors ended in a lively quarrel and the serious injury of one of the participants, John K. VanNest, more familiarly known as "Count." Arrest immediately followed and the affair promises to be a serious one for the offending neighbor.

Mr. VanNest lives on East Front street near Cole's Hill, and next door lives T. J. Hovell, a furniture dealer, doing business in New York. Mr. VanNest is a lawyer whose office is also in New York, but has been confined to his home for nearly a year. He can only move around with the aid of crutches, and yesterday morning at about 11 o'clock he was moving slowly about the yard when Mr. Hovell strolled by with a rifle over his shoulder. He was out on a hunting expedition, and on seeing Frank Soar, a lad employed by Mr. VanNest, he asked him to go over to his house as Mrs. Hovell wanted him to do an errand. Soar had often gone errands for the Hovell's, and so he started to go, when VanNest ordered him back. Then the latter remarked to Hovell that when he wanted the lad's services it would be a little more courteous to find out whether VanNest had any any objections.

Hovell replied and other remarks of an uncomplimentary character followed. Hovell admits that both parties indulged in a veritable war of words.

As they grew more excited, words could not express their thoughts and they took the more forcible means and came to blows. VanNest thinks that his opponent opened the battle with the butt of his rifle while Hovell declared that VanNest caused his crutches to move around the former's ears with too much force and in too close proximity to be pleasant. At any rate a lively scrap ensued and Hovell brought the butt of his gun down on the top of VanNest's cranium with so much force as to cut through his hat and inflict a severe scalp wound. VanNest states that Hovell continued the assault, knocked him down and kicked around the yard awhile. Then Hovell left his victim and departed.

The police were notified and Dr. Long summoned. An officer visited Hovell in the afternoon and arrested him. He was taken before Justice Newcorn in the evening on the charge of atrocious assault, and the Justice held him in $300 bail for the grand jury.

He said he was very much surprised at the arrest, as he did not suppose a little quarrel like this one between neighbors would be taken any notice of. He declared that he had merely acted in self-defence, but the complainant's friends claim that the rough treatment that VanNest received was not necessary, as very little force was needed to overpower a crippled man in his condition.

Dr. Long attended the injured man and found VanNest's face and head badly bruised and swollen, while he was also suffering from several scalp wounds. There was a bad bruise on the back, said to be the result of a kick. His injuries are very serious and will confine him to his bed for some time. His jaws and mouth were so battered that he could scarcely speak. Besides having to answer the charge for atrocious assault, Hovell will probably find himself involved in a suit for damages.

Homeless Pigeons.

The freight house pigeons which have for a long time past been nurtured and cared for around the old freight house, are now homeless since the building has been removed. But a dozen or more of them still continue to hang about the old place, and pick up whatever grain and other things dropped which is appetizing to the birds.

Rewarded for His Honesty.

Mrs. Rafferty, of Willow avenue, left her purse, containg a considerable amount of money, in the hack of John Keilly, of P. Keilly & Son, while being driven to her home last evening, and an hour or two later the wallet was found in the wagon by Mr. Keilly. He immediately returned it to the owner and was liberally compensated for his honesty and uprightness.

Another Stolen Wheel.

Roy Radford, of Park avenue, had his wheel stolen Wednesday evening while it was standing in front of Charles Smith's residence on Grove street. He reported the matter to the police but as yet the wheel has not been found.

NUPTIAL KNOTS TIED.

CUPID SHOOTS HIS ARROW AND HYMEN DOES THE REST.

Two Pretty Wedding Solemnized Thanksgiving Eve—Both in Home Circles But Were None the Less Enjoyable.

A pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized Wednesday night at 7:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McVey, of North avenue, when their daughter, Miss Lelia McVey, and Henry Biswanger, of New York, were united in marriage by Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church. The bride was gowned in pale blue silk trimmed with passmentrie and lace. Grace and Carrie McVey, young sisters of the bride, served as flower girls and they were gowned in white. Supper was served after the ceremony and the bride and groom left on the 10:17 train for a bridal tour. They will reside in New York on their return.

The groom is a wholesale dry goods merchant and his place of business is on Broome street, New York. Only the immediate relatives were present at the wedding.

The marriage of Miss Mabel Margerum, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pangborn, of Washington avenue, and Walter H. Dorlon, of Oak Tree, was celebrated Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor of Hope chapel, performed the ceremony. Only the members of the bride's family were present. The bride was gowned in silk trimmed with Spanish lace, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The arch under which the happy couple stood was made entirely of chrysanthemum. Mr. and Mrs. Dorlon will probably reside at the home of the bride's parents.

TEMPLARS ELECTED.

Officers Who Will Look After Lodge Matters in the Future.

At the regular meeting of Templars of Liberty, No. 6, held last evening, the following officers were elected: Worthy Templar, Charles Leland; Vice Templar, Charles Hall; Worthy Recorder, J. B. Martin; Financial Secretary, James Davis; Treasurer, Nathan Hendri; Marshal, Arthur Osborn; Assistant Marshal, Frank Snowden; Inside Guard, A. G. Nicholson; Outside Guard, Geo. Leland; Trustees, James Davis, Chas. Leland, Robert Larramore; Delegates to grand lodge, J. B. Martin, Charles Leland; Alternates, James Davis, Charles Hall. A public installation of officers will take place Dec. 17th.

A Grand Sermon.

To hear Dr. Upham, of whose preaching so much had been said, a large congregation gathered last Wednesday evening in Grace M. E. church. His text was taken from Mark's Gospel, 14th chapter, verses 8 and 9. As an introduction to his sermon, he first related the incident which took place in Bethany. Though spending some in thus describing, he said he had no apology to offer for thus taking the time, as he believed he was but obeying the command of Christ contained in these verses. The divisions of the sermon then followed. First, The woman's great faith—"She did it for My burial." Second, Union with Christ brings enduring fame—"Wheresoever this Gospel shall be preached, etc.," verse 9. Third, Christ is pleased when we attempt anything for Him. Elaborating each thought in order, the preacher concluded with a touching incident of human devotion.

Ran Into a Trolley Car.

A men named Henderson, living at Coontown, was riding his wheel through Somerset street, Wednesday evening, and when he reached Manning avenue, both he and the wheel collided with a trolley car. The car was stopped as quickly as possible, but the man did not escape injury. He received a cut over the left eye and his left hand was badly injured. Officials of the street railway told Henderson to go to Dr. Zeglio and have his wounds dressed and they would settle the bill. The accident was undoubtedly the fault of Henderson who was riding to close to the car tracks.

A New Trustee.

At a business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church Wednesday night, D. N. Runyon was elected trustee to fill the unexpired term of D. C. Skaden, resigned. Mr. Skaden has left town.

—A man named McNally, who is employed by Jones, the scavenger, was taken with a fit on Somerset street last evening and it was with difficulty that he was taken care of. He was finally removed removed to the hospital where Dr. Long gave him treatment, which brought him around all right.

SICK-POISON.

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Sick poison is what makes you sick, irritates your nerves, disorders your functions, saps your strength, makes you miserable.

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THE NEXT CONGRESS

Plenty of Work for the Senate When It Meets.

MUCH REQUIRING CAREFUL ATTENTION

The Unfinished Business on Hand When Recess Was Taken Nine Months Ago To Come Up in Its Regular Order.

Washington, Dec. 27.—When the senate meets a week from next Monday it will find a calendar loaded with bills that require careful attention, many of which were debated during the last session and which are now awaiting final action. The interregnum of nine months so far as the legislative condition of bills is concerned amounts to no more than adjournment over night. According to the order made on May 8 last the bill for the erection of a bridge across the Detroit river at Detroit, which was hotly contested before the committee on commerce and which has been as warmly discussed on the floor, is made the special order for the first Monday in December, the opening day of the session. The unfinished business is house bills H. R. 7,864, an act to amend the immigration laws, as reported to the senate by Mr. Lodge, with some material amendmens. The joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of senators by popular vote, is the special order for Monday, December 14, at 2 o'clock. Other special orders are senate bills to prevent the desecration of the naval flag; house bill to prevent the extermination of the fur-bearing seals of Alaska, and house bill to reduce the cases in which the penalty of death may be inflicted. Apropos of our relations with Spain, it may be stated that the comprehensive fortifications bill of Senator Squire appropriating $100,000,000 for defenses is still on the calendar; also Mr. Hale's bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to enlist additional men, which was amended and passed and since May 20 has been pending on a motion to reconsider; a bill for the establishment of a lighthouse on Swan island, in the Carribean sea, belonging to the United States, and the bill to construct a drydock at Key West. As elsewhere stated, the stringent concurrent resolution of Senator Davis relative to the enforcement and assertion of the Monroe doctrine, which was called out by the attitude of Great Britain towards Venezuela, still remains upon the calendar and can be called up at any time for consideration. The Dingley bill is still on the calendar, having been reported to the senate with the tariff features eliminated and a free coinage rider attached, Feb. 4 last. It will be in order to move to take the bill up and put it upon its passage or to recommit it to the committee either with or without instructions.

Football Games.

At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania, 32; Cornell, 10. At New York—Brown university, 24; Carlisle Indian school, 12. At Baltimore—Lehigh university, 26; Maryland Athletic club, 0. At Chicago—University of Chicago, 7; University of Michigan, 6. Chicago Athletic association, 13; Boston Athletic association, 6. Northwestern university, 6; University of Wisconsin, 6. At Corning, N. Y.—Corning, 10; Waverly, 12. At Saratoga, N. Y.—Saratoga, 12; Greenwich, 4. At Rochester, N. Y.—Hamilton, 16; Rochester, 10. At Washington—Gallaudet (deaf mutes), 10; Columbian, 8. At Middletown, Conn.—New Jersey Athletic, 12; Wesleyan, 10.

Bryan Eats Turkey at Home.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 27.—William J. Bryan reached Linclon from Denver in time to enjoy Thanksgiving dinner at home with his family and help dispose of a twenty-five pound turkey which came with the compliments of the Democratic Free Silver club of Chesaning, Mich. The Bryan home is still quarantined and friends of the family are unable to call. Ruth Bryan, who is suffering from diphtheria, is mending slowly. Aside from working some on his book, Mr. Bryan has no plans for the immediate future.

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WILL REMAIN A WEEK IN NEW YORK

No Concealment of the Names of Herself, Husband and Son Aboard the Havel—Appreciation of American Sympathy During Their Troubles.

New York, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Ella Castle, the wealthy California woman recently convicted in London of shoplifting, who arrived here yesterday on the steamship Havel, accompanied by her husband and their 10-year-old son, was greatly improved by the voyage. She had not, however, entirely recovered from the effect of the ordeal. The steamship had a rough passage, for several days the wind and waves being unusually high. Notwithstanding this, Mrs. Castle was not sea sick. She appeared for meals every day and during the latter part of the voyage spent some time on deck. Although it was stated in cables from London that the Castles sailed under the name of "Michaels," as a matter of fact their real names appeared on the passenger list. It was explained that while Mr. Castle had booked as "Michaels" he had signed his right surname to his tickets and the steamship officials got it in that way. The presence of the unfortunate woman on the steamship was known to the other passengers, and those who met her personally proffered their deepest sympathy. Dr. Krotoszyner of San Francisco and his wife happened to be aboard the steamship and the doctor attended Mrs. Castle during the voyage, and Mrs. Krotoszyner was with her constantly, comforting her as much as possible Mrs. Castle's face plainly shows the marks of the trials she has undergone. Her manner is very nervous and there is a woe-be-gone expression on her face. She was heavily veiled when she stepped from the steamer. The only one present to greet the returning couple was Alfred E. Castle, a brother of Mr. Castle. He had journeyed from San Francisco to welcome them back to America. Mrs. Castle, with Mrs. Krotoszyner, left the steamer quietly, and no one on the dock recognized her. She hurried to a cab in awaiting, and was driven away. Her husband and his brother remained behind to look after their baggage. It is the intention of the Castles to remain in this city a week or more with friends, when they expect to go to their Pacific coast home. Mr. Castle himself, aside from a slight nervousness, seemed none the worst for his unpleasant experience. He was met in the cabin of the Havel, when she arrived at quarantine, by a representative of the United Associated Presses. He was cordial in his manner and warmly expressed his appreciation of the kind words which came from America during his hour of trouble. He speaks in terms of praise of the treatment he and his wife received from the English officials.

Tom Mann Expelled from Hamburg.

London, Nov. 27.—A dispatch to the Central News from Hamburg says that the strike is increasing and that the number of men who have quit work is 12,000. The dispatch adds that Tom Mann, the English labor agitator, was arrested while attempting to enter Hamburg territory and expelled. The police placed their prisoner on board the steamer Nottingham, bound for Grimsby. It is expected that a thousand Italians will be lodged on board the steamer Fuerst Bismarck, which has been fitted out to lodge men who will take the places of strikers.

German Dock Strike Spreading.

Hamburg, Nov. 27.—The total number of dock laborers on strike here is 8,000, and these have been joined by the lightermen. Ships arriving from England and Sweden are bringing men to replace the strikers. All of the port laborers in Bremen are idle, and dockmen at Kiel struck this morning.

Revolution Probable in Hayti.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 27.—Apparently well authenticated reports have reached the Haytian colony here of troubles brewing in political circles in Hayti, that may break into open hostilities at any moment. The fact is that the unpopularity of the government of President Sam has already achieved is beginning to develop into a serious menace to the peace of his administration.

Football Players Injured.

Trenton, Nov. 27.—Edward Keefe, the left half back on the Philadelphia Dental college football team, had his collar bone broken yesterday in a game here with a Trenton club. Boneches, quarterback of the Spaulding Athletic association of Philadelphia, was severely injured about the head in a football game with the East End. He was removed to a hospital.

Catholic Church Damaged by Fire.

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 27.—The sacristy of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, containing the vestments, communion plate, library and chapel organ, was burned last evening, causing a loss of about $20,000. The fire originated, it is thought, from a spark from a locomotive falling on the roof.

Knighted by the Queen.

London, Nov. 27.—The queen has conferred the honor of knighthood on Edward John Poynter, who, on November 4, was elected president of the Royal academy.

American Hospital at Mexico.

Mexico, Nov. 27.—The annual ball for the benefit of the American hospital took place last night. President Diaz and the best people of the city were in attendance.

Crowded Fishing Boat Sunk.

New York, Nov. 27.—While the steamboat John E. Moore with about 150 members of the Clinton Fishing club on board was proceeding to the fishing banks she went ashore on the Romer shoal, during a dense fog, and settled to a depth of her main deck. Captain Osborne immediately set signals of distress and about three hours later they were seen by the steam pilot boat Walter H. Adams, which quickly went to the Moore's assistance and took off all the passengers. When the Moore struck the shoal the passengers made a rush for life preservers and life rafts and two or three men fell overboard, but they were immediately picked up. With this exception there was no excitement among the passengers.

Every Election in a County Contested.

De Sota, Mo., Nov. 27.—Every office in Jefferson county for which an election was held November 3 has been contested by the defeated candidates. The democrats elected collector, prosecuting attorney, coroner, assessor, surveyor and public administrator, and the republicans elected the sheriff and treasurer. The majorities range from 26 to 101.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Prices higher; checking trade. Dec., 88½c.; May, 87⅞c.

Corn—Spot firmer; prices unsettled. Dec., 29⅝c.; May, 33⅝c.

Oats—Trade quiet; prices inactive. Dec., 23¼c.; May, 26⅝c.

Pork—Spot firm; prices unchanged. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market quiet and inactive. Steam rendered, $4.23.

Eggs—Market quiet; choice scarce. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@26c.; ice house, 16½@18c.; western, fresh, 22@24c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 21@22½.

Butter — Receipts continue light. Creamery western extras, 22c.; state and Pennsylvania, extra, 21½c.; creamery, western seconds, 15c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fall made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 11@12½c.

Cheese—Market active. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

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1896 TAXES

NOTICE is hereby given to the Taxpayers of the City of Plainfield that the taxes assessed in said city for the year 1896, are now due and payable, and that if the said taxes be not paid by the

20th Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution. The Commissioners of Appeal, in cases of taxation, will meet in the Council Chamber on the

4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector of Taxes.

Dated Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 1st, '96. 10 2 tf

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Ancient Documents That May Enrich the Heirs of Col. Samuel Hawes.

Owensboro, Ky., Nov. 27.—George Hawes has submitted to his attorney several ancient documents that may bring immense wealth to the heirs of Col. Samuel Hawes, the revolutionary soldier and patriot. The documents comprise four land patents issued to Col. Hawes by president John Adams, dated at Philadelphia, in the year 1800, and also signed by Timothy Pickering, secretary of state, and stamped with the great seal of the United States. The grants recite that they were issued under an act of congress to Samuel Hawes, for seven years a colonel, in consideration of military services, and each of the grants is attested by James McHenry, secretary of war, and endorsed by Jacob Wagner, chief clerk. Each of the grants recites that it is a part of a 7,000 acre grant to Hawes, one being for 140 acres, another for 1,000, another for 280 and the fourth for about 1,000 acres. The other patents have been mislaid or were burned when United States Senator McCreery's residence was destroyed by fire some years ago. The land lies between the little Miami and Scioto rivers in Ohio, and embraces a large part of the city of Dayton and surrounding country. The land and improvements are worth many million dollars.

DAMAGES AGAINST A PRIEST.

A Curious Slander Suit Just Decided in a Canadian Parish.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—An interesting case has just been decided in the superior court. The plaintiff, Adelard Chapert, a farmer of the parish of Varennes, claimed $500 damages from the Rev. Abbe Theberge, his pastor, on account of alleged verbal injuries. The words complained of were to the effect that Chapert had stolen his Easter communion, the inference being that he had been admitted to his Easter duties under false pretences. The whole trouble arose out of the question of tithes on hay as well as on grain. Chapert and a few other parishoners called upon the priest one Sunday morning to ask him to call a public meeting to consider this tithes question, and it was on this occasion that the words complained of were pronounced. Subsequently the priest made a retraction from the pulpit, but Chapert was not satisfied with it. He also refused to accept a confession of judgment for ten dollars and costs of the action, and consequently the case came up for a hearing. The court rendered judgment, granting the plaintiff fifty dollars damages.

President McKinley's Cabinet.

Canton, O., Nov. 27.—Ex-Senator Washburn of Minnesota, after a visit to President-elect McKinley, made the following statement: "Our state has two cabinet cadidates, at least. Ex-Governor Merriam is talked of for the post of secretary of the interior, and Senator Davis for secretary of state. My impression is that the president-elect has not yet made a final and definite choice for his cabinet. He has several persons in mind, but he is not going to be hurried into a selection."

Seven To Receive Red Hats.

Rome, Nov. 27.—The cardinals who will receive the red hat at the next public consistory, which is to be held December 3, are Satolli, Jacobini, Agliardi, Ferrata and Di Pietro, who were absent from Rome when they were appointed, and it is said that the pope will also raise to the cardinalate P. Pieretti, master of the sacred palace, and Cannon Frisco of the metropolitan chapter of Naples. Other important appointments are expected.

Fashionable Wedding at Alexandria, Va.

Alexandria, Va., Nov. 27.—The wedding of Charles Henry Carter, a prominent young lawyer and clubman of Baltimore, and Miss Sara Carroll Dangerfield, eldest daughter of Mrs. Reverdy Johnson Daingerfield of this city, was solemnized at the Daingerfield residence in Prince street last evening in the presence of about 100 guests. A reception was held later and supper served, and at a late hour the couple took a train for the north.

Young Football Player Killed.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 27.—William Rue, 14 years old, was knocked down in the midst of a scrimmage in a football game on the Parade ground in Prospect park yesterday afternoon. He was removed to Seney hospital, where the doctors did everything in their power for him, but he died in a few minutes from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Hungarian Diet Opened.

Budapest, Nov. 27.—In his speech opening the Hungarian diet yesterday Emperor Francis Joseph said that highly important political interests affecting the position of Austro-Hungary in Europe rendered it desirable that the economic and financial relations of the two divisions of the monarchy should be settled without delay.

The Philippine Islands Revolt.

Madrid, Nov. 27.—A dispatch from Manila says that the Spanish troops under Major Artega have defeated a body of Philippine insurgents, whose losses in killed and wounded were upwards of 400 men.

McDowell's Injuries Not Dangerous.

Newburgh, N. Y., Nov. 27.—William Fletcher, who, while drunk, stabbed John McDowell twice in the neck while the latter was endeavoring to protect his wife from insult, is held by the police to await the result of McDowell's injuries, which, although severe, are not considered dangerous.

Death of an English Poet.

London, Nov. 27.—Coventry Kearsey Deighton Patmore, a poet, died at Lymington yesterday, after a brief illness.

OUR COAST DEFENSES

Secretary Lamont's Report of War Department Operations.

EXPENSES FOR 1896, $52,000,000

By July, 1898, There Will Be in Position 128 Guns and 153 Mortars of High Power—Disappearing Gun Carriages.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Secretary Lamont's report of the operations of the war department for 1896 shows total expenditures aggregating nearly fifty-two million dollars and an unexpended balance of nearly two millions turned back into the treasury at the end of the fiscal year. For the three years of Col. Lamont's administration the surplus has amounted to more than five million dollars. On the first of July, 1894, of our modern defense, but one high power gun was monted. By the first of July next there will be in position seventy high power breech-loading guns and ninety-five breech loading mortars of modern design, and by the following July on completion of work already under way or provided for, 128 guns and 153 mortars. A battery of two or three of these guns takes the place of the former pretentious fort and is vastly more effective.

Defenses Now Under Consideration.

The defenses now under consideration are distributed among the ports of Portland, Me.; Portsmouth, N. H.; Boston, Narragansett bay, eastern entrance to Long Island sound, eastern and southern entrances to New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Hampton Roads, Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah, Key West, Pensacola, Mobile, New Orleans, Galveston, San Diego, San Francisco and the mouth of the Columbia river, and Puget sound. All of the emplacements have been located with a view to carrying out the project of the act of congress of March 3, 1885, as revised by the permanent board of engineers. The total amount appropriated for sea coast defenses, including the cost of sites, fortifications and armaments since the adoption of the present scheme is $26,357,000, of which more than one-third was carried by the act passed at the last session of congress.

A Saving of $20,000,000.

Before the end of the present year we shall have eleven 12-inch, forty-two 10-inch, eight 8-inch, six rapid-fire guns and 112 mortar emplacements. By July next there should be completed fourteen 12-inch, forty-six 10-inch, ten 8-inch and twelve rapid-fire guns and 112 mortar emplacements. And by the close of the coming year this will be increased to twenty-one 12-inch, sixty-six 10-inch, twenty-five 8-inch and sixteen rapid-fire guns and 156 mortar emplacements. In the belief that the problem of a satisfactory disappearing gun carriage had been solved, the appropriations committees were informed at the previous session of the present congress that this department proposed to spend no more money for gun-lift batteries, thus saving $20,000,000.

More Artillerists Needed.

The completion already of some coast defenses and the approaching completion of other modern batteries render necessary a larger force of artillerists, but no other increase of the army is asked for. The plan of sea coast defense involves one hundred distinct batteries in over twenty harbors, and a force must gradually be supplied to take care of guns and fortifications, as they are completed and maintain them in a state of efficient defense.

French Senator Arago Dead.

Paris, Nov. 27.—Francois Victor Emmanuel Arago, a member of the French senate, is dead. He played a prominent part in the revolution of 1848 and was dispatched to Lyons with the title of commissary-general of the republic. After the fall of the empire in 1870, he became a member of the government of national defense, as minister of justice, and continued to hold office until February, 1871, when he was dismissed by M. Theirs. From 1880 to 1891 M. Arago was French ambassador to Switzerland.

Naval Veterans Monument.

Baltimore, Nov. 27.—The Naval Veterans' association unveiled its monument to the sailors of the United States navy at Loudon Park cemetery yesterday afternoon with appropriate exercises. The monument is of granite, twenty-three feet six inches high and consists of a handsome pedestal surmounted by a ship's capstan, upon which is the figure of a ship's quartermaster with a spyglass in hand.

Ohio's New Electrical Death Chair.

Columbus, O., Nov. 27.—The first trial of Ohio's new electrical death chair for the execution of murderers, a dog being the victim, was very successful, death resulting instantaneously, and next Tuesday another trial will be made, with a mule for the subject.

Washed Overboard and Drowned.

London, Nov. 27.—The British schooner Lady of Avenel, late Capt. Richards, at Gibraltar from Kings Cove, N. F., reports that on Nov. 5 she encountered very rough weather, during which Capt. Richards was washed overboard and lost.

Laurier To Be Knighted.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Lord Aberdeen has recommended Hon. W. Laurier, premier of Canada, to the imperial authorities for the honor of knighthood. It is understood that the premier has consented to be knighted.

Thirty Miners Killed.

Breslau, Nov. 27.—A dispatch from Zengorge, Russian Poland, says that thirty miners have been killed in a colliery accident at that place.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., NOV. 27, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

(Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.)

Threatening, With Showers Tonight and Saturday; Continued High Temperature Tonight; Colder Saturday; Decidedly Colder Sunday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 60 Degrees.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	George O. Stevens
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com's of Appeal—	For Com's of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

Mayor, Charles Burns; City Collector, Arthur Scott; City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell; Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto, Wm. C. VanNorden; Councilmen, Third Ward, Claus R. Wallander; Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr.

The North Plainfield Board of Education made a wise selection when they secured Prof. A. D. Warde to assume charge of the public school. He is a man of attainments and ability that constantly reflects credit on the school. The East Syracuse News has the following to say:

Through the courtesy of Prof. A. D. Warde we have received a copy of the annual catalogue and courses of study of the North Plainfield, N. J. Public High School. It is indeed a model of its kind. We do not remember to have seen anything quite equal to it in that line of work. We congratulate Prof. Warde and extend our thanks for a copy of the same. Mr. Warde was the principal of our school the first year in the new school building, and laid the foundation for the excellent order that has been characteristic of our school since that time.

The State Board of Canvassers, Tuesday completed the official vote of New Jersey for President and Congressmen. The official plurality of McKinley and Hobart is 87,692. The total average vote for the Republican electors was 221,367; for the Democratic electors, 133,675; Prohibition, 5,614; National Democratic, 6,373; Socialist Labor 3,985. The total vote was 374,476. The number of ballots rejected was 2,309.

That stanch Democrat, James E. Martine, the "Farmer Orator", of Union county, has at last been prevailed upon to accept a nomination for office, and he was the unanimous choice of the Plainfield Democracy for Mayor of that city. He believes in economy and honesty in municipal government, and if the voters of the city are like minded they will elect him.—Somerset Messenger.

New Jersey's list of lawyers has reached the 2,000 mark. There is a lawyer for every 906 inhabitants, or one for every 200 citizens.

THEATRICAL.

On Monday evening, November 30th, Miss Kittie Rhoades and her company of clever artists will open a week's engagement at Music Hall in repertoire. Miss Rhoades has surrounded herself this season with a company of ladies and gentlemen that compose the best repertoire organization in existance. Special scenery, electrical and calcium effects are used in all the productions.

Business and Pleasure.

The members of No. 2 Engine Company took their apparatus out for a "wash" yesterday afternoon. The Independent Fife and Drum Corps escorted the chiefs of the department and the boys, together with the engine and hose carriage, to the Sandford avenue bridge where a thoroughly successful exhibition was given. In the evening the members of the company partook of a sumptuous dinner at the Cycle Academy. The dinner was prepared by the members wives and it was a fine spread. During the feast there were speeches, and songs by the members and the whole affair was one of great pleasure. The guests from Bayonne who were expected, could not come owing to many of them being away.

A Free Social.

This evening the Epworth League of Grace M. E. church will give a social to its members, and the members of the church and congregation. A pleasant evening will be spent and an opportunity afforded for becoming acquinted with the many new members of the church and congregation.

Miss Luella Crowther and Miss Edith Horton, of Craig place, were the guests last night of Miss Florence L. Spaulding, of Bound Brook.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Sophia Rudd, of New Brunswick, is a welcome visitor in town.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, entertained relatives from out of town yesterday.

Miss Nellie Good, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss May Howlett, of Elmwood place.

Mrs. B A. Hegeman, Jr., of Myrtle avenue, is recovering from a slight attack of the grip.

Miss Mildred Tyrrell, Miss Cora B. Scull and Miss Lillian B. Thorn spent Thanksgiving at Orange.

H. P. Jones, of Park place, has left for a business trip through the West to be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Cranford, spent yesterday with their son, Chas. Wheeler, of Linden avenue.

Mrs. J. A. McAllister, of New York, is a guest at the home of Miss Agnes T. Faber, on Mercer avenue.

A young daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther D. Morris, of West Front street.

Mrs. James Spencer and sons, of Brooklyn, spent Thanksgiving with A. B. Bonnell, of Manning avenue.

Mr. Keefe and Miss Keefe, of New Haven, N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanName, of Elmwood place.

Miss Lillian Bowers, of Annandale, is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coddington, of Somerset street.

Mrs. Richard Coleman, of West Orange, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Krausse, of Vine street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schermerhorn, of West Front street, spent Thanksgiving Day with Trenton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Dumont, of Brooklyn, are the guests of Mrs. Dumont's sister, Mrs. George T. Rogers, of Myrtle avenue.

Mrs. Julius Williams and son, Arthur Williams, of Elmwood place, are the guests of relatives at Warrenville for a few days.

Harry Barton, of the United States Express Company, is enjoying a week's vacation visiting relatives in Hunterdon county.

George Feiring, of the fire department, is much improved from a severe illness which has detained him at home for a few days.

Miss Josephine Chichester, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Willow avenue, has returned home.

Mrs. W. Allen Schutt and son, Edward, of Bayonne, are spending a week with Mrs. Schutt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Morse, of Chatham street.

Isaac Laing, of Dunellen, who has been in the Adirondack mountains for sometime in the hope that he would regain his health, has returned not very much improved.

The many friends of Miss Belle VanWinkle, of Central avenue, will be glad to learn that she is gradually getting well, and hopes of her ultimate recovery are assured.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bovey, of Somerset street, accompanied by their granddaughter, Miss Alice Demarest, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bovey, of Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn.

Gen. Eli Long and family have returned to their Grove street home after spending the summer and part of the autumn at Bluff Point, Yates county, N. Y., where Mr. Long has extensive vineyards.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGee and children, of Rockview avenue, leave today for Philadelphia, where they will be the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ashbrooke. Mrs. Ashbrooke is a sister of Mr. McGee.

Walter Linbarger, formerly with Werner, the clother, and David L. Linbarger, of Elizabeth, have formed a partnership, and are now representing the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of Newark. They will have a branch office in this city.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

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GREAT IS UNCLE SAM.

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The campaign of education has just begun. We should educate through the press and pulpit and settle all things in the behalf of God and country.

"Let us have the biggest navy in the world and let us inform the people that we mean business. Then there will be no Venezuelian or Armenian questions. With the flag at the front, the day of promise will dawn. Up with the flag, up with the cross and God will bless the men who stand for country." After the discourse Rev. H. C. Johnston offered prayer. A collection, as usual, was taken for the Relief Association. "America" and the doxology was sung and Dr. Lowry pronounced the benediction. As the people was leaving the church, one woman in speaking about Dr. Lowry's sermon remarked that she only wished she could have cheered during the discourse.

In spite of the threatening weather, there was a large attendance at the Thanksgiving service held in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church at 10:30 yesterday morning. Rev. Wm. R. Richards, D. D., conducted the opening exercises, assisted by Rev. Mr. Main. William E. MacClymont acted as organist, and two anthems were charmingly sung by the choir. An offering was taken for the Relief Association, Dr. Richards saying that it was in accordance with one clause of President Cleveland's Thanksgiving Proclamation, which he had just read.

The sermon of the morning was delivered by Rev. John Wilbur Richardson, from the text "What Hath God Wrought!" Numbers 23:23. It was an account of God's marvellous care for and blessing on our nation. Evolution, he said, is not a strong enough term to describe the progress of the American people. Other peoples, with their opportunities of centuries, have not accomplished what we have in our 275 years. Look at Spain, with her long history; how she has degenerated and decayed, instead of progressing. Contrast Mexico with the United States. It was settled long before the Pilgrims landed, by men who had the wealth and resources of Europe behind them, and who were opening up a country where no storms of winter would trouble them, and whose wealth was sufficient for the needs of whole nations. But what progress have they made? They have had no inventors, no scientists, no intellectual activity; their government is despised everywhere, and their name a synonym for bigotry. But our country, settled by a handful of pioneers, living in their log cabins, has been the child of Providence. The wealth of the United States is sufficient to buy up whole European States. Two hundred years ago Great Britain was the greatest among nations, while this country, a mere chip of the old block, was cutting its wisdom teeth. But now the son has more energy than the sire.

"Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it." Oh, that men would praise our God, for His wonderful works to the children of men!

The foundations of our republic were laid at noonday. There is nothing vague and unknown in American history. Our forefathers were divinely inspired how to build up an enlightened nation. The free school is the cradle of American manhood. The conquests of books will outlast those of armies. Education is the foot that rocks the world. It is boys educated in our common schools that become our statesmen, authors, inventors and generals. Abraham Lincoln, a backwoods boy, taught by a backwoods teacher to read and write, rose to guide the storm tossed ship of State safely into port.

Our native-born theologians are as well trained, our lawyers as adroit, our mechanics better informed than those of other countries. Our citizens are all trained up to bear their part in our country's government; a government that needs the help of neither king, Pope or czar.

On Nov. 3d there was given a greater proof than ever before of the perpetuity of American manhood. American manhood has not deteriorated. The independent voter guards the pass to the American Thermopylae. All hail to the noble millions who exalt principles above parties.

We reach ideals quickly on American soil. Financial and social troubles, war clouds, political crisises, are only temporary. Above, the Lord omnipotent reigneth.

We must not forget to give thanks for individual mercies. It pleased God to loan you all you possess. You have been protected, fed, clothed and given comparative health. Perhaps business reverses have come to you, but the btessings far outnumber the shadows.

In every case there is cause for thanksgiving today, even in the case of those to whom bereavement has come Let us give thanks that we have had these dear ones with us, and that we shall have them again in the Home beyond the river.

The Housewife

who has once used Cleveland's baking powder gladly recommends it to her friends. It makes such fine bread and cake, and is so sure to do the work just right, that she is always glad to have them know about it.

Cleveland's, Pure and Sure.

Trustee's Sale.

Public notice is hereby given that the subscriber will expose for sale on Friday, November 27, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the premises, 146 North avenue, Plainfield N. J., lately occupied by William J. Stephenson, caterer, all the goods and chattels contained in said premises, consisting of a large amount of table cutlery, silver ware, china ware, table cloths, napkins, etc., tables, chairs, hat racks, show cases, ice cream forms, cake pans, machinery, 1 six horse steam engine, 1 ten horse boiler, belts, pulleys, 1 bay horse, 2 wagons harness, lot of tin ware, copper ware etc.

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BY PLAINFIELD AMATEURS.

ALL SEATS RESERVED.

Tickets will be on sale at Armstrong's (Reynold's) Drug store, Monday, Nov. 23d, 8 a. m
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DEALERS IN

Lehigh Valley Coal.

Office 209 North avenue. All orders will receive prompt attention. Yard—At Mt. Pleasant, Lehigh Valley Railroad. 10 20 1-7

NOTICE!

Thomas Timbo will hereafter be in front of the U. S. Express office, on North avenue, every morning to supply his customers with the morning papers, instead of at the depot.

I Did More Engraving

in October than ever before in one month—not excepting the holiday month—which is usually the largest. When you remember that October was the last month in a bitter campaign, it means that quality counts.

Plate and fifty cards, - - - $1.25
100 Cards from plate, - - - 1.00

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front Street.

Miss Graves, of New York, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. B. Penton, of Rockview avenue.

Postmaster and Mrs. John M. Hetfield spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Hetfield's parents, at Morristown.

Mrs. C. E. Anderson, of East Orange, is the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Woodland, of Duer street.

Jacob Long, Jr., has returned to his home at Walden, N. Y., after a week's visit with his parents on Craig place.

Prof. George W. Stevens returned to his home on Duer street Wednesday after a three-weeks business trip through Connecticut.

Bartholdi, the son of G. A. Audsley, of Grove street, is confined to his home suffering from scarlet fever. The house is quarantined.

Mrs. Levi Kline, of Somerset street, who has spent the last two months at Three Bridges, where the serious illness of her mother made her prolonged stay necessary, returned home Wednesday, but left for Three Bridges this morning, to resume her place at her mother's bedside.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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Do you want Kid Gloves?
Do you want Laces?
Do you want Dress Trimmings?
Do you want Hosiery?

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CLOTHING Of the Latest Style for Men, Boys' and Children. Suits and Overcoats.

SUITS and OVERCOATS. School Suits, from 75c. up.
NOVELTIES FOR CHILDREN. Full lines in Top Coats, Reefers and Separate Pants.
MEN'S FURNISHINGS. All of the latest Novelties in Ties, Collars, Shirts, Suspenders.
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HATS of the Latest Styles at Moderate Prices.

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Values Extraordinary

These two words mean business to us and money to you. It is now high time for you to don your heavy weight clothes. You are going to buy them of WERNER for the Prices make you. If you don't believe it here are the prices:

Nobby all-wool Suits, Single or Double Breasted, - $4.00
Fine " Cheviot Suits, Single or Double Breasted, 5.50
Elegant " Men's Cash, " " " " $6 & $7.

OTHERS AT $8, $9, $10 AND UP.

Our Overcoat stock consists of the most desirable and best selected goods in the market. These elegant Fur Beaver, Chinchilla and Kersey Coats are going at prices unheard of Come while the assortment is complete.

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Send for blank contracts. 109 North avenue Armstrong Mulford, Assistant.

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Communications pertaining to the business mentioned, either by letter or otherwise, will receive prompt attention. Carriage service supplied.

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Ladies Cardigan Jackets, 75c and $1. Men's Cardigan Jackets, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.25. Specials in Table Linen from 25c. to $1 yd. Infants Sacques from 25c. up. Underwear for Ladies', Gent's and Children. Scotch Wool Gloves for Men and Boys—all prices. Warner Bros. Corsets. Thompson "Glove Fitting" Corsets.

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Time to Think OF THE Christmas Coming!

Less than a month We are prepared for it. Are you? During the last few months we have been filling our cases with new

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Selections made now delivered when wanted or held until called for.

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We are a success. Our prices are surprisingly low for such goods. Scarf pins 25c. to $150, pearl and opal pins $1.25 up, chains, charms, brooches.

RINGS—Under this head comes every kind of ring from plain gold wedding ring to the costly diamond solitaire.

Cluster rings are most popular this season.

Opals surrounded with diamonds or pearl, $20 to $150.

WATCHES—We are among the first to introduce the new THIN MODEL—Men's Watch. It has caught the popular fancy and will soon supplant the heavy case watch.

$17.25 UP.—In filled cases, warranted for 20 years.

14 Kt. Solid Gold, $34 up.
The Waltham and Elgin make.
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Cut This Out

As a memorandum of Christmas gifts

Carving Sets, $1.25 up.

OPERA GLASSES—New importations. We will fit them to suit owner's eyes. $3.

VASES—Lovely collection of Limogesware, Dresden, Belleek. Beautiful sets for library and boudoir.

SILVERWARE—Almost everything that comes under this head can be found in our cases. From a trifle booby prize to silver service.

CUT GLASS is at all times an appropriate gift. Refined people like nothing better than a piece of rich Cut Glass.

LOOK TO YOUR EYES.

A pair of glasses for $1. Good Glasses make useful holiday gifts. Examinations in our optical office daily and Saturday nights. Glasses nicely adjusted. Satisfaction guaranteed. L. B. Hilborn (R. O.,) in charge.

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Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m.
4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m.
2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

William Connolly has been spending a day or two with friends in Newark.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson, of Front street, entertained Brooklyn friends over Thanksgiving Day.

Night Operator "Billy" Lance went to Junction, hunting, yesterday, but he didn't have much luck.

Mrs. Gehres, of South Orange, is visiting Mrs. Catherine Maier, at the Park Hotel, for a few days.

Miss Lena Maier attended the ball of Lincoln Hose Company, at Somerville, on Wednesday evening.

H. S. Fisher spent Thanksgiving Day among Newark friends, and enjoyed a turkey dinner with cranberry sauce.

Miss M. Dickison has returned to her home in New Brunswick after a few weeks' visit with her brother, S. Y. Dickson, at Greenbrook.

Messrs. Apgar & Milligan, the contractors, are pushing to completion the work on H. Fisher's new barn and outbuildings on Prospect avenue.

F. Lyons, of West Dunellen, has bought out a one-quarter interest in the America Corrugating Fireproof and Construction Company, of New York.

Louis T. Titsworth a day or two ago staked out the cellar for a new house on Prospect avenue for himself. The house is to be frame and Mr. Titsworth, being a carpenter, will attend to that branch of the construction, while John Hubbard will do the mason work.

What a glorious good thing it would be if the Street Railway Company or the Borough Commissioners would erect a lamp or two along the main street, between the street railway terminus and the roundhouse. This stretch of ground, probably 220 yards long, is particularly dangerous for ladies at night, and even an ordinary man is not safe to traverse it after dark.

Borough Tax Collector George Day says he notices but little or no difference between the collections of this year and those in previous years. There is, however, quite an outstanding indebtedness on the part of the smaller taxpayers, but Collector Day is hustling them along and at the close of his fiscal year he will have made a particularly good showing.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Edward Emery has gone to Bayonne to accept a lucrative position with the Standard Oil Company.

James Boyle, who has been a guest at Blimm's Hotel during the summer and fall, left town today for a week's trip through South Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Grant, Robert Grant and wife and John Walker, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Paff, Sr., on Thanksgiving Day.

The town pump has been sunk deeper, and pure and wholesome water is again as free as raindrops—provided it is obtained after 6:30 in the morning and before 9 in the evening, after which time the pump-handle will be locked and the thirsty inhabitants will be obliged to quench their thirst with cold tea.

Thanksgiving Day passed off very quietly here, and the average person passing through the town would scarcely have known that it was a holiday. Some of the stores closed for the day and the postoffice was closed from 9 to 5. The hotels did a good business during the day, many bicyclists and carriage riders stopping over for dinner and light refreshments.

Union Thanksgiving services were held in the Baptist church yesterday, when Twilight Council, No. 7, Jr. O. U. A. M., and the members of the Royal Arcanum attended in a body. Rev. Mr. Treaux read the Scripture lesson, Rev. Dr. Parks led in prayer, and Rev. Mr. Angleman preached the sermon, which was both instructive and entertaining. Rev Mr. Braker pronounced the benediction.

FANWOOD.

Sheriff Kyte's face still bears the marks of a terrible fall from his bicycle in Brooklyn on Monday. It was the result of a collision of his wheel with that of a young lady companion and was purely accidental. He is thankful that no bones were broken.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.
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FOOD FOR MIND AND BODY

WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF THE SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH ENTERTAIN.

They Give Another of Their Delightful Sociables—A Literary and Musical Programme and a Bountiful Supper.

There is one thing that the Seventh-Day Baptist church should be thankful for and that is their very energetic organization, the Women's Society for Christian Work. That society held another of its delightful sociables on Wednesday evening in the church parlors, which was well attended by old and young. Early in the evening a bountiful supper was served and at 8 o'clock the entertainment began. The programme opened with a piano trio by Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Hubbard and Miss Bessie Titsworth, which was well rendered. Charles P. Titsworth made his debut as a speaker by giving a short recitation and did it in a manner that bids fair to make him as delightful a speaker as his father. A vocal solo was rendered in an artistic manner by Miss Meredith, and then a farce, entitled "Rather Mixed," was acted by Mrs. Joseph Miller as school teacher, and the Misses Marie Rogers, Bertha Mitchell, Edith Titsworth, Bessie Dunham, Kizzie Naegle and Nellie Miller. It was supposed to represent a scene in a country school the day before Thanksgiving, and the exceedingly lively effects of the promise of vacation were portrayed in a very lifelike manner.

Another vocal solo, "Mobile," was given by Miss Meredith, and then Miss Maud Mosher read a selection, "The Overruling of Miss Deborah," in a pleasing manner. The entertainment closed with two whistling solos, "The Nightingale" and "Raleigh Two-step," by Miss Meredith.

The committee that arranged this delightful entertainment consisted of Mrs. Albert Ross, Mrs. Joseph Miller, and Miss Bessie Titsworth. The refreshments were provided by a committee composed of Mrs. A. H. Lewis and Mrs. Charles Randolph.

Paid a Fraternal Visit.

About twenty of the members of the Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R. K. of P., went to Brooklyn on the 2:07 train yesterday afternoon, and were the guests of Rathbone Division, No. 27, of that city. While there they participated in a street parade and worked the Orient Degree on a large number of members. The Plainfield Knights arrived home on a late train.

Many Licenses Wanted.

It seems to be the general impression that there will be some tall skirmishing for liquor licenses at Scotch Plains in the spring. It is understood that in all there will be eight applicants, and as each applicant must have twelve freeholders' signatures on his application, this means 96 signers out of a total of 303 registered voters.

Tickets are Limited.

As the seating capacity of the Y. M. C. A. hall is not limited, and as only tickets enough to fill the hall have been issued it would be well for those desiring to hear Minnie Marshal Smith to procure their tickets as soon as possible. Tickets for sale at Leggett's and Armstrong's pharmacies.

Lost Their Jobs.

Three employes of the street railway have been discharged for various offending causes, and their places have been filled by three men from the waiting list.

James R. Hall and family, of Brooklyn, moved Wednesday into F. S. Brown's new house on Sycamore avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. E. Scudder, of Newark, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Scudder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Crosley, of Duer street.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal

—Workmen were busy yesterday spreading crushed stone on Madison avenue.

—The work of macadamizing Mountain avenue has been started by Smalley Bros.

—The old freight house located in the West End, will be opened for business next Monday.

—Marsh, Ayers & Co. have the contract for the painting of William Barlow's house on Prospect place.

—See "The Foyer of the Metropolitan Opera," by A. B. Wenzel, in Truth tomorrow. All trains and news stands.

—The literary society of Monroe Avenue chapel will hold a meeting this evening in the chapel. All are invited.

—Rev. Dr. Main will conduct the prayer meeting in the Seventh day Baptist church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

—The work of lowering the sidewalk on Clinton avenue to conform with the grade established a year ago, is now going on.

—The Water Supply Company have commenced the work of extending their mains along West Front street beyond Grant avenue.

—The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library on Wednesday morning, December 2d, at 11 o'clock.

—The Woman's Relief Corps will be inspected this evening by Mrs. Hill, of Trenton. She will be accompanied by several Department officers.

—Hummer Bros. commenced the carpenter work on Maria Kneuler's $5,000 house now in the course of erection at West End Park, West Front street.

—F. H. Andrews will speak and Charles L. Lewis, of the choir of the Crescent Avenue church, will sing at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday at 4:15 p. m.

—George Giddes, of Pearl street, has purchased from John P. Emmons the house at 180 Duer street, where he will move with his family in a few days.

—The next meeting of the young Friends' Society will be held Wednesday evening of next week. One or more papers are being prepared and will be read.

—The Watchung Avenue Commissioners will hold another meeting this evening to transact matters pertaining to the opening of the street and to adjust one claim.

—Hummer Bros., of Stone street, have the contract for the carpenter work, and Geo. J. Tobin for the plumbing for Geo. W. Greason's new $6,000 house to be erected at Metuchen.

—The State Board of Taxation will hold a session at the Court House, Somerville, on Tuesday, December 1st, for the purpose of hearing complaints of taxpayers from excessive or unjust assessments.

—The residence being built by Alfred H. Compton, on Compton avenue, and to be occupied by George O. Stevens, is about completed. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens expect to be domiciled there in the course of two weeks.

—There was nothing but routine business transacted at the meeting of the City Republican Executive Committee, which was held on Wednesday evening at headquarters. All arrangements were made for election next Tuesday.

—A turkey and oyster supper for the benefit of the Patriotic Sons of America was held at Sterling on Wednesday evening. There was a very large attendance. Dancing followed the supper. The music was furnished by Samuel Frazee, of this city.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Ranbolph, 143 West Front street.

—The whole story of the wonderful cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla is soon told. It makes the blood rich, pure and nourishing. It cures scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills. 25 cents.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

The Best Yet! Our new Hot Soda apparatus is the best we have ever seen; try the Soda and see if it is not "a little better" than YOU have ever had before. All kinds of Hot Bouillons, 5c. All kinds of Hot Soda, with a Charlotte Russe, 10c—a new feature.

Successor H. P. REYNOLDS. T. S. ARMSTRONG, "THE APOTHECARY." Park and North avenues.

John A. Layton and family, of White House, moved Wednesday to 137 Grove street.

Mrs. E. D. Moffett, of Orchard place, returned today after spending Thanksgiving with her daughter at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Ely, of Governor's Island, spent yesterday with Mrs. Ely's sister, Mrs. E. S. Hooley, of Rockview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Pond, of Washington avenue, are planning to spend the winter in California, and will leave at an early date.

The Rev. and Mrs. Skeele, of Hubbardsville, N. Y., are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Wein, of Rockview avenue.

Fred LaPorte, the congenial mailing clerk of the local post office, wears a broad smile today. It's a girl, who arrived Thanksgiving Eve.

Miss Cora Haviland, daughter of A. W. Haviland, of Rockview avenue, has gone to Garrisons on-the-Hudson, to spend a week with relatives.

Walter Probasco returned from Philadelphia, on Wednesday, to spend Thanksgiving Day at the home of his father, Dr. J. B. Probasco, on East Front street.

—Circulars have been distributed about the city offering $1,000 for the arrest and conviction of one John H. O'Neil, absconding treasurer of the American Hand Sewed Shoe Company, of Providence, R. I., who is wanted by the authorities there for grand larceny.

Advertised Letters.

Plainfield November 23d, 1896.

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Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

FOR SALE—Printing press, also type; little used. Address Press, care Press. 11 29 tf

LOST—Between Grove street and Park place and Babcock Building, case containing eyeglasses. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Press office.

WANTED—Small girl as nurse and assistant housekeeper. Must go home at night. Call 518 West Front street, fur store.

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of the door he started and looked for a moment at his friend, apparently not seeing him. His face was so gray and ghastly that Kenyon placed his hand against the wall for support as he saw it.

"My God! George," he cried. "What's the matter with you? What has happened? Tell me."

Wentworth gazed in front of him with glassy eyes for a moment, but did not answer. Then his head dropped again in his hands, and he groaned aloud.

CHAPTER VI.

"Tell me what has happened," repeated John Kenyon.

Wentworth looked up at him. "Everything has happened," he answered.

"What do you mean, George? Are you ill? What is the matter with you?"

"I am worse than ill, John; a great deal worse than ill. I wish I were ill."

"That wouldn't help things, whatever is wrong. Come, wake up. Tell me what the trouble is."

"John, I am a fool—an ass—a gibbering idiot."

"Admitting that—what then?"

"I trusted a woman—imbecile that I am; and now—now—I'm what you see me."

"Has—has Miss Brewster anything to do with it?" asked Kenyon, suspiciously.

"She has everything to do with it."

"Has she—rejected you, George?"

"What! that girl? Oh, you're the idiot now. Do you think I would ask her?"

"I cannot be blamed for jumping at conclusions. You must remember 'that girl,' as you call her, has had most of your company during this voyage; and most of your good words when you were not with her. What is the matter? What has she to do with your trouble?"

Wentworth paced up and down the narrow limits of the state-room as if he were caged. He smote his hand against his thigh, while Kenyon looked at him in wonder.

"I don't know how I can tell you, John," he said. "I must, of course; but I don't know how I can."

"Come on deck with me."

"Never."

"Come out, I say, into the fresh air. It is stuffy here, and, besides, there is more danger of being overheard in the

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stateroom than on deck. Come along, old fellow." He caught his companion by the arm, and partly dragged him out of the room, closing the door behind him.

"Pull yourself together," he said. "A little fresh air will do you good."

They made their way to the deck, and linking arms walked up and down. For a long time Wentworth said nothing, and Kenyon had the tact to hold his peace. Suddenly Wentworth noticed that they were pacing back and forth in front of Miss Brewster, so he continued his walk around to the other side of the ship. After a few turns up and down, he said: "You remember Rivers, of course?"

"Certainly."

"He was employed on that vile sheet, the New York Argus."

"I suppose it is a vile sheet. I don't remember ever seeing it. Yes, I know he was connected with that paper. What then? What has Miss Brewster to do with Rivers?"

"She is one of the Argus staff, too."

"George Wentworth, you don't mean to tell me that!"

"I do."

"And is she here to find out about the mine?"

"Exactly. She was put on the job after Rivers had failed."

"George!" said Kenyon, suddenly dropping his companion's arm, and facing him. "What have you told her?"

"There is the misery of it. I have told her everything."

"My dear fellow, how could you be—"

"Oh, I know—I know. I know everything you would say. Everything you can say I have said to myself, and ten times more and ten times worse. There is nothing you can say of me more bitter than what I think about myself."

"Did you tell her anything about my report?"

"I told her everything, everything! Do you understand? She is going to telegraph from Queenstown the full essence of our reports—of both our reports."

"Heavens! This is fearful. Is there no way you would try to prevent her sending it?"

"If you think you can prevent her I wish you would try it."

"How did you find it out? Did she tell you?"

"Oh, it doesn't matter how I found it out. I did find it out. A man told me who she was; then I asked her, and she was perfectly frank about it. She read me the report even."

"Read it to you?"

"Yes, read it to me, and punctuated it in my presence—put in some words that I suggested as being better than those she had used. Oh, it was the coolest piece of work you ever saw."

"But there must be some way of preventing her getting that account to New York in time. You see, all we have to do is to wire your people to hand in our report to the directors, and then her report is forestalled. She has to telegraph from a British office, and it seems to me that we could stop her in some way."

"As for instance, how?"

"Oh, I don't know just how at the moment, but we ought to be able to do it. If it was a man we could have him arrested as a dynamiter or something; but a woman, of course, is more difficult to deal with. George, I would appeal to her better nature if I were you."

Wentworth laughed sneeringly. "Better nature?" he said. "She hasn't any; and that is not the worst of it. She has 'calculated,' as she calls it, all the possibilities in the affair; she 'calculates' that we will reach Queenstown about Saturday night. If we do, she will get her report through in time to be published on Sunday in the New York Argus. If that is the case, then see where our telegram will be. We telegraph our people to send in the report. It reaches the office Saturday night, and is not read. The office closes at two o'clock; but even if they got it, and understood the urgency of the matter, they could not place the papers before the directors until Monday morning, and by Monday morning it will be in the London financial sheets."

"George, that woman is a fiend."

"No, she isn't, John. She is merely a clever American journalist, who thinks she has done a very clever good piece of work indeed, and who, through the stupidity of one man, has succeeded, that's all."

"Have you made any appeal to her at all?"

"Oh, haven't I? Of course I have. What good did it do? She merely laughed at me. Don't you understand? That is what she is here for. Her whole voyage is for that one purpose; and it's not likely the woman is going to forego her triumph after having succeeded—more especially as somebody else in the same office has failed. That's what gives additional zest to what she has done. The fact that Rivers has failed and she has succeeded, seems to be the great feather in her cap."

"Then," said Kenyon, "I am going to appeal to Miss Brewster myself."

"Very well. I wish you joy of your job. Do what you can, John, there's a good fellow. Meanwhile I want to be alone somewhere."

Wentworth went down the stairway that led to the steerage department, and for a few moments sat among the steerage passengers. Then he climbed up another ladder, and got to the very front of the ship. Here he sat down on a coil of rope and thought over the situation. Thinking, however, did him very little good. He realized that even if he got hold of the paper Miss Brewster had, she could easily write out another. She had the facts in her head, and all she needed to do was to get to a telegraph office, and there write out her message.

Meanwhile Kenyon took a few turns up and down the deck thinking deeply on the same subject. He passed over to the side where Miss Brewster sat, but on coming opposite her had not the courage to take his place beside her. She was calmly reading her book. Three times he came opposite her, paused for a moment, and then continued his hopeless march. He saw that his courage was not going to be sufficient for the task, and yet felt the task must be accomplished. He didn't know how to begin. He didn't know what inducement to offer the young woman for foregoing the fruits of her ingenuity. He felt that this was the weak point in his armor. The third time he paused in front of Miss Brewster, she looked up and motioned him to the chair beside her, saying:

"I don't know you very well, Mr. Kenyon, but I know who you are. Won't you sit down beside me for a few moments?" The bewildered man sat down on the chair she indicated.

"Now, Mr. Kenyon, I know just what is troubling you. You have passed three or four times wishing to sit down beside me and yet afraid to venture. Is that not true?"

"Quite true."

"I knew it was. Now I know also what you have come for. Mr. Wentworth has told you what the trouble is. He has told you that he has given me all the particulars about the mines, hasn't he?"

"He has."

"And he has gone off to his state room to think over the matter, and has left the affair in your hands, and you imagine you can come here to me, and, perhaps, talk me out of sending that dispatch to the Argus. Isn't that your motive?"

"That is about what I hope to be able to do," said Kenyon, mopping his brow.

"Well, I thought I might just as well put you out of your misery at once. You take things very seriously, Mr. Kenyon, I can see that. Now, don't you?"

"I'm afraid I do."

"Why, of course you do. The publication of this, as I told Mr. Wentworth, will really not matter at all. It will not be any reflection on either of you, because your freinds will be sure that if you had known to whom you were talking, you would never have said anything about the mines."

Kenyon smiled grimly at this piece of comfort.

"Now, I have been thinking about something since Mr. Wentworth went away. I am really very sorry for him. I am more sorry than I can tell."

"Then," said John, "won't you—"

"No, I won't, so we needn't recur to that phase of the subject. That is what I am here for, and, no matter what you say, the dispatch is going to be sent. Now, it is better to understand that at first, and then it will create no trouble afterwards. Don't you think that is the best?"

"Probably," answered the wretched man.

"Well, then, let us start there. I will say in the cablegram that the information comes from neither Mr. Kenyon nor Mr. Wentworth."

"Yes, but that wouldn't be true."

"Why, of course it wouldn't be true, but that doesn't matter, does it?"

"Well, on our side of the water," said Kenyon, "we think that the truth does matter."

Miss Brewster laughed heartily. "Dear me," she said, "what little tact you have. How does it concern you whether it is true or not? If there is any falsehood it is not you who tells it, so you are free from all blame. Indeed you are free from all blame, anyhow, in this affair; it is all your friend Wentworth's fault; but still, if it hadn't been Wentworth, it would have been you."

Kenyon looked up at her incredulously.

"Oh yes, it would," she said, nodding confidently at him. "You must not flatter yourself because Mr. Wentworth told me everything about it, that you wouldn't have done just the same, if I had to find it out from you. All men are pretty much alike where women are concerned."

"Can I say nothing to you, Miss Brewster, which will keep you from sending the message to America?"

"No, you cannot. I thought we had settled that at the beginning. I see there is no use talking to you. I will return to my book, which is very interesting. Good morning, Mr. Kenyon."

Kenyon felt the hopelessness of his project quite as much as Wentworth had done, and, thrusting his hands deep into his pockets, he wandered disconsolately up and down the deck.

As he went to the other side of the deck he met Miss Longworth walking alone. She smiled a cordial welcome to him, so he turned and changed his step to suit her.

"May I walk with you a few minutes?" he said.

"Certainly," was the reply. "What is the matter? You are looking very unhappy."

"My comrade and myself are in great trouble, and I thought I would like to talk with you about it."

"I am sure if there is anything I can do to help you I shall be most glad to do it."

"Perhaps you may suggest something. You see two men dealing with one woman are perfectly helpless."

"Ah, who is the one woman—not I, is it?"

"No, not you, Miss Longworth. I wish it were, then we would have no trouble."

"Oh, thank you."

"You see it is like this: When we were in Quebec—I think I told you about that—the New York Argus sent a man to find out what we had reported, or were going to report, to the London syndicate."

"Yes, you told me that."

"Rivers was his name. Well, this same paper, finding that Rivers had failed, after having stolen the documents, has tried a much more subtle scheme, which promises to be much more successful. They have put on board this ship a young woman, who has gained a reputation for learning secrets not intended for the public. This young woman is Miss Brewster, who sits next to Wentworth at the table. Fate seems to have played right into her hand and placed her beside him. They became acquainted, and, unfortunately, my friend has told her a great deal about the mines, which she seemed to have an interest in. Or, rather, she pretended to have an interest in him, and so he spoke, being, of course, off his guard. There is no more careful fellow in the world than George Wentworth, but a man does not expect that a private conversation with a lady will ever appear in a newspaper."

"Naturally not."

"Very well, that is the state of things. In some manner Wentworth came to know that this young woman was the special correspondent of the New York Argus. He spoke to her about it, and she is perfectly frank in saying she is here solely for the purpose of finding out what the reports will be, and that the moment she gets to Queenstown she will cable what she has discovered to New York.

"Dear me, that is very perplexing. What have you done?"

"We have done nothing, so far; or, rather, I should say, we have done everything we could think of, and have accomplished nothing. Wentworth has appealed to her, and I made a clumsy attempt at an appeal also but it was of no use. I feel my own helplessness in this matter, and Wentworth is completely broken down over it."

They walked up and down the deck in silence for two or three turns. Then Miss Longwood looked up at Kenyon and said:

"Will you place this matter in my hands?"

"Certainly; if you will be so kind as to take any interest in it."

"I take a great deal of interest. Of course, you know my father is deeply concerned in it, also, so I am acting in a measure for him."

"Have you any plan?"

"Yes; my plan is simply this: The young woman is working for money; now, if we can offer her more than her paper gives, she will very quickly accept, or I am much mistaken in the kind of woman she is."

"Ah, yes," said Kenyon, "but we haven't the money, you see."

"Never mind; the money will be quickly forthcoming. Don't trouble any more about it. I am sure that can be arranged."

Kenyon thanked her, looking his gratitude rather than speaking it, for he

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was an unsteady man, and she bade him good-by until she could think over her plan.

That evening there was a tap at the stateroom door of Miss Jennie Brewster.

"Come in!" cried the young woman.

Miss Longworth entered, and the occupant of the room looked up with a frown from her writing.

"May I have a few moments' conversation with you?" asked Miss Longworth.

CHAPTER VII.

Miss Jennie Brewster was very much annoyed at being interrupted, and she took no pains to conceal her feelings. She was writing an article entitled "How People Kill Time on Shipboard," and she did not wish to be disturbed; besides, as she often said of herself, she was not a "woman's woman," and neither liked nor was liked by her own sex.

"I desire a few moments' conversation with you, if I have your permission," said Edith Longworth, as she closed the door behind her.

"Certainly," answered Jennie Brewster. "Will you sit down?"

"Thank you," replied the other, as she took a seat on the sofa. "I do not know just how to begin what I wish to say. Perhaps it will be better to commence by telling you that I know why you are on board this steamer."

"Yes; and why am I on board the steamer, may I ask?"

"You are here, I understand, to get certain information from Mr. Wentworth. You have obtained it, and it is in reference to this that I have come to see you."

"Indeed! And are you so friendly with Mr. Wentworth that you—"

"I scarcely know Mr. Wentworth at all."

"Then why do you come on a mission from him?"

"It is not on a mission from him. It is not a mission from anyone. I was speaking to Mr. Kenyon, or rather, Mr. Kenyon was speaking to me about a subject which troubled him greatly. It is a subject in which my father is interested. My father is a member of the London syndicate, and he naturally would not desire to have your intended cable message sent to New York."

"Really; are you quite sure that you are not speaking less for your father than for your friend Kenyon?"

Anger burned in Miss Longworth's face, and flashed from her eyes as she answered:

"You must not speak to me in that way."

"Excuse me, I shall speak to you in just the way I please. I did not ask for this conference; you did, and as you have taken it upon yourself to come into this room uninvited, you will have to put up with what you hear. Those who interfere with other people's business, as a general thing, do not have a nice time."

"I quite appreciated all the possible disagreeableness of coming here when I came."

"I am glad of that, because if you hear anything you do not like, you will not be disappointed, and will have only yourself to thank for it."

"I would like to talk about this matter in a spirit of friendliness, if I can. I think no good can be attained by speaking in any other way."

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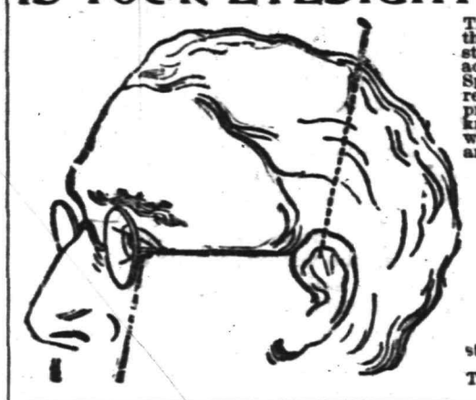

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8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 03 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

5 15 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 16 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Owners Liable to Criminal Proceedings---Reports of Two Spanish Victories---Ohio Guardsmen Enlisting To Aid Cuba To Secure Her Freedom.

Havana, Nov. 27.—Captain-General Weyler has issued a decree notifying all growers of corn in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Matanzas to gather together all of the corn still in their possession and transport it to the nearest towns and settlements by the 20th of next December. After that date all corn found in the possession of farmers will be regarded as contraband of war and its owners will be liable to criminal proceedings on a charge of disloyalty. An official dispatch has been received here announcing that a body of troops under Gen. Figueroa attacked and defeated a band of rebels at San Jose in the province of Matanzas. Nine of the rebels were killed. Official advices have also been received of the defeat of a force of insurgents at El Cano, in the province of Havana, by a body of troops commanded by Col. Durango, ten of the former being killed. The losses of the Spaniards in both engagements, according to the official dispatches, were only six men wounded.

To Buy Cuba's Independence.

New York, Nov. 27.—Senor T. Estrada Palma, the Cuban delegate to the United States, when seen to-day, practically confirmed the story published by Senor Jose de Armas-Cardenas to the effect that he had, on behalf of the Cuban patriots, made a proposition to Premier Canovas for the purchase of Cuba from the Spanish government. Senor Armas says he had two interviews with Canovas and that the proposition was seriously considered, but there was a hitch when it came to the matter of giving a guarantee that Spain should carry out her promise. When asked if it was proposed to pay Spain $100,000,000 for Cuba's independence, as reported, Senor Palma replied: "I don't care to talk about money or definite sums. It is no matter about that now, anyhow. I will say this, that the Cubans are still ready to pay any reasonable indemnification to Spain. They must be guaranteed absolute independence, however."

Coloma Executed.

Havana, Nov. 27.—A number of planters consulted Gen. Weyler yesterday in order to obtain permission to grind sugarcane at their own risk. Their request was refused, on the ground that the order stopping the grinding was of a general character and would be enforced without exception being made. Lopez Coloma, who it was announced would be shot yesterday morning for the crime of rebellion, was kept in the chapel for the condemned for twenty-four hours. He was executed last evening. No reason is given for the unusual delay.

Canadians Arrested in Cuba.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Hon. R. W. Scott, secretary of state, received a telegram last night from Havana, stating that two Canadians had been arrested there for being in some way connected with the Cuban rebellion. Mr. Scott at once communicated with Sir Donald Smith, Canadian high commissioner at London, advising him to lay the matter before the colonial secretary. A reply has been received stating that he had done so.

Ohio Guardsmen To Fight for Cuba.

Findlay, O., Nov. 27.—It is said that Lieuts. Fillman and Lafferty and Timothy Shafer of Company A, Second regiment, O. N. G., who have gone to Cuba to aid the cause of the patriots, are only the advance guard of those who are to go from this state to strike a blow for Cuba's freedom. A few men, it is said, will go from each regiment in the state under orders to report at Tampa, Fla.

More Troops for Cuba.

Barcelona, Nov. 27.—The steamers Alicante and Buneos Ayres has sailed hence for Cuba, having on board 3,000 troops and a quantity of arms and ammunition.

An American Fights a Harmless Duel.

London, Nov. 27.—A dispatch from Paris says that the Marquis de Montmort and an American named J. A. Hutchinson became involved in a violent dispute a short time ago, which resulted in a challenge to fight a duel being sent and accepted. The duellists met yesterday at Maisons Laffitte, a short distance from Paris, and exchanged six shots from pistols at twenty-five paces. Neither of the men were injured.

Says Capital Must Be Fought.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 27.—Rev. William P. Elsdon, a former pastor of the First Baptist church, in a somewhat sensational sermon at the Union Thanksgiving services yesterday in the First Methodist church, declared that if no legislation against the combination of capital is accomplish during the next four years, Bryanism will triumph in 1900.

Football Captains Chosen.

Philadelphia, Nov. 27.—The University of Pennsylvania football team has elected John M. Minds, the fullback, captain for the next season, and Cornell elected William McKeever, who played left half-back on the team this year, to pilot their team in '97.

Terrific Storm at Trieste.

Trieste, Nov. 27.—A terrific storm is prevailing here, preventing vessels from entering or leaving the harbor. Many houses have been unroofed or otherwise damaged.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 6:59 a.m.
Sun Sets: 4:36 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:36 p. m.

PUNTS AND PASSES.

The Batten High School eleven, of Elizabeth, easily defeated the Hunter team at Elizabeth yesterday morning by a score of 30 to 0. The touchdowns were made by Noe, 4, and McAdams, 1. McAdams kicked the 5 goals.

Before a large crowd the Spartans defeated the Hupter team on the Martine gridiron yesterday afternoon by a score of 4 to 0. The game was a very close one, and the Spartans did not score until the middle of the second half.

The Crescent Unions of this city defeated the second Bound Brook team in a hotly contested game at Bound Brook yesterday morning. The score was 2 to 0. Bound Brook made a touchdown, but the referee wouldn't allow it.

A very exciting game was played at Somerville yesterday morning between the team from that place and Dunellen. The result was a tie, 0 to 0.

The Scotch Plains team defeated the second team from Dunellen yesterday afternoon by the score of 10 to 0. The game was played at Scotch Plains and was a hotly contested one.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	3	1
Elizabeth A. C.	3	3
Westfield	2	2
Roselle Casino	2	2
Cranford Country Club	2	2
New Jersey A. C.	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	1	3

Charles E. Vail, of Orchard place, won the bowling contest for the turkey at the J. O. U. A. M. fair on Wednesday evening. His score was 236. There was a great deal of rivalry among the boys, but Charley is an old dimer and he put up a good game.

Express Struck the Bicycles.

Last evening when the 8.20 Philadelphia train arrived in this city, it ran into two bicycles and completely wrecked them. The owners were standing with their wheels near the track and their condition made them unconscious that the train was coming. One of the men sustained an injury to his hand in trying to save his wheel. Both men were strangers and were on their way home from this city.

Terrapin Hunting.

G. W. Bowne and Martin Johnson, of Cranford, with D. F. Godown, of Somerset street, yesterday were hunting terrapin of the fresh water variety in Washington Valley and captured sixty-five very fine ones. They will be kept in a tank of fresh water for a few weeks and then served to their friends. These parties last year gathered in over one hundred of the same species.

Ran a Needle in Her Finger.

Miss May Squires, of Harmony street, met with a painful accident on Wednesday. She was using a sewing machine and the needle penetrated her finger. Before she could remove the piece of steel, it broke off, leaving a portion of it in the finger. She was taken to Dr. Mathewson's office where the doctor gave proper treatment.

An Able Discourse.

One of the city pastors remarked that Dr. Lowry's sermon at the First M. E. church yesterday was the most able discourse he had ever listened to.

Lester Baldwin, of Willow avenue, has returned from the New York Military Academy for over Thanksgiving.

James M. Middledith, of Lehigh University, is spending the Thanksgiving vacation at his home on Park avenue.

A complete surprise party was given Miss Elizabeth Dunn, at her home on West Fourth street, last evening, by a few intimate friends. Miss Benner arranged the event and there were about forty young people present.

—Special Thanksgiving Day services were held in the Mt. Olive Baptist church yesterday, at which Rev. Mr. Groves officiated.

—Prof. Blate, of New York, gave a pleasing entertainment at Grace M. E. church last evening. His sleight-of-hand performances were creditable and the large audience enjoyed the whole affair.

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A Thrilling Tale of Arizona Alfred, His Bonny Bride, a Punctured Tire and a Horde of Real Dime Novel Indians. After a Handful of Years.

CHAPTER I.

The rising sun was circulating its golden shafts, while the dew gemmed lilies lifted their silver chalices to the persuasive zephyr that drifted about in quest of the cocktail mixed by the rosy fingers of the dawn.

"Ah, there!" The Prairie Peach looked up from the buckskin knickerbockers upon whose supplementary seat she was embroidering quaint conceits and saw her lord, her owndest own, returning from the chase upon his wheel, the faithful rubber tired steed that never flagged, flinched or fumbled.

Having embraced the Prairie Peach in salutation without disarranging her back hair, the nervy Nimrod proceeded to clip a few veal cutlets and mutton chops from the deer which he had slain in the fastnesses of the forest hard by.

CHAPTER II.

As suddenly as a matrimonial proposal came the extemporaneous oxlophone solo of an army of old fashioned, ordinary iron tired bicycles with the big, high wheels in front, mounted by Indians.

Zip! Zip!

And a shower of bullets hurtled through the malarious air with the sharp, familiar rat-tat-tat of the dry goods clerk swiftly tearing off a yard of Irish linen.

The redskins swept on with the fury of a prairie afire in a high wind, unprotected by insurance.

"To the bikes! To the bikes!" shouted Arizona Alfred, for he well knew they could not hold the cabin against Setting Hen and his howling horde of hand painted aborigines, yelling like so many Yale students.

"All is well!" shouted Arizona Alfred in a superfine frenzy to his fair young bride. "The mortgage interest is paid and the insurance policies are in the hands of the mortgagee, who is secured against loss."

"Thank heavens," she exclaimed as they mounted their wheels and went skimming gracefully along like two women with 27 cents apiece heading for a bargain counter.

CHAPTER III.

Madly athwart the rim of the horizon came Setting Hen et al., in such redhot pursuit of Arizona Alfred that their war paint ran all over them and made them look like a flock of posters tangled up in a cyclone.

Zip! Bang!

Bang! Zip!

Before Arizona Alfred had time even to frame his last words an arrow went whizzing through his tire, and he came down off his perch like the incarnadined shanghai in the ambrosial a. m. Before he could regain his feet he was seized by a stalwart brave, whose ecru and yellow omelet face fairly dripped with mellifluous joy.

Then, with nimble fingers and faces overflowing with rippling paint, they tied him to the stake in a hard knot and lighted their pipes.

CHAPTER IV.

Her heart surcharged with woe and a lamentation on her lips, the beautiful Prairie Peach, now more beautiful than ever in her fright, ceased to be the fashion plate of the domestic circle.

"I will save him!" she cried bravely, with gnashing knuckles and clinched teeth.

And putting all her strength into the effort she scorched along and never cared a continental whether her hat was on straight or not.

"The nearest settlement is not far," she wailed, "and I will go to the nearest one to save time. I will also save Arizona Alfred, the erstwhile croquet champion of Jerolemon street, Brooklyn. 'Tis a consummation devoutly to be annexed, the more so because upon his sweet, young life there is not a cent of fire insurance."

CHAPTER V.

In less time than is consumed in procuring one's change in a large department store Arizona Alfred's wife soon came bowling along at the head of the excited cowboys, each of whom was mounted upon a certain bicycle whose name we will not mention because it does not advertise in these columns.

Soon they came howling upon the scene, whereat Arizona Alfred was still lashed to the stake with leathern thongs. Just as Setting Hen held up his last parlor match to look at it before drawing it along his leg to kindle the fagots the head villager pulled his trigger, and the bullet lighted the match. With a cry of baffled rage Setting Hen turned, and in doing so caught the next bullet on the fly in such a way that it drove his collar button down his throat.

"Bang, bang, bang, zippety, bang, bang! Bang, bang, bang, zippety, bang, bang!" went the pistols of the excited cowboys, and the Indians—what was left of them—fled in dismay and confusion, while the Prairie Peach leaped to the center of the stage, cut the cruel thongs and set her lover free.

CHAPTER VI.

"Saved!" shouted Arizona Alfred, in an ecstasy of gratitude, as the Prairie Peach fell into his arms and upon his belladonna plaster at an angle of 45 degrees in the shade.

The villagers circled in the background, shed tears of delight, and the curtain fell with a dull, sickening thud.

CHAPTER VII.

After a handful of years had flown Arizona Alfred was a handful of years older. But he was happy, sitting upon his piazza, thrumming the mandolin, and the Prairie Peach of the garden of his heart sat beside him in the gloaming. On the floor lay a beautiful rug—an American rug—the skin of Setting Hen, spread out like a tiger rug, his feathers sticking out of his skull and his glass eyes gleaming in the dancing sunshine.

Arizona Alfred's little boys were trying to shoot marbles into a hole in the rug—the hole made in the blooming savage by the bullet of the Prairie Peach—the dearest souvenir of the thrilling rescue.

When they were not projecting marbles at the fatal aperture, they were gliding to and fro on a couple of the small toy tricycles captured from the tooting but untutored savage. The white dove of peace sang in the doughnut tree at the portal, and all went merry as a factory bell, which is the signal to stop work for the day.—New York Sunday Journal.

Called Him.

"So you want to be my son-in-law, do you?" asked the old man with as much fierceness as he could assume.

"Well," said the young man, standing first on one foot and then on the other, "I suppose I'll have to be if I marry Mamie."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Current Affairs.

"Does your wife take any interest in current politics?" asked the earnest woman.

"Naw," replied Mr. Sodfarm, "she dun't. But if it's currant jell er currant pie, why, I allow she could tell you more things about 'em 'n ever you dremp of."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

What Impressed Her.

"He says that he loves me more than his life and that he can't live without me."

"Oh, all young men say that."

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Dated October 8th, 1896.
JAMES LESLIE,
WILLIAM R. CODINGTON.
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VAPOR BATHS!
Physician's help in curing all chronic diseases, equalizes the circulation, cleanes and purifies the blood, cures colds, influenza, rheumatism, nervous and general debility, palsy, salt rheum, all skin diseases, massage and electricity. MISS M. V. STICKLE.
11-19-1m 147 East Fifth street.

Y. M. C. A. STAR COURSE.
Thanksgiving Night
8 O'CLOCK.
"Judge" W. B. GREEN, of Brooklyn, Reciter and Story Teller.
Miss Kathryn Krymer, of Brooklyn, Contralto Soloist.
Single Admission, - - - - - 25c.
Gourse Tickets, - - - - - - $1.
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The Special Gospel Services
Will be continued by
Mr. Joseph Pellatt, Evangelist.
at the room 314 West Second street,
Wednesday Evening
at 8 o'clock. All are invited. 11 23 3t

Thanksgiving Dinner
Will not be complete unless you have your Turkey well cooked. Sheet Iron Drip Pans, Granite Drip Pans. Double Roasters, Carving Knives and Forks at Bottom Prices.
The J. P. Laire Hardware Co.
105 West Front street.
Telephone Call, 49 I. 9 3 1y

SEWER NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for Drainage and Sewerage in Cities of this State," approved April 7th, 1890, the following statement is made:

No new contracts have been entered into during the last twelve months, and all the work then under contract, upon the sewers and disposal beds have been finished, and the sewerage system, consisting of 23.65 miles of sewers, together with the disposal area, is now in operation.

The whole cost of the sewers and disposal beds, as per declaration to the commissioners, of assessments, was $160,627.79, not including house connectiones; $70,500 of sewer notes have been issued during the last twelve months, making a total issue to date, of $156,500 on account of the cost. The commissioners of assessment have not yet made their report to the common council.

Plainfield, November 23, 1896.
JOHN JOHNSON,
Collector.

Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

TUESDAY,

The First Day of December

next at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City Officers at large: Mayor, City Collector, City Treasurer, three Commissioners of Appeal, one member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

First election district, at 234 North Avenue; second election district, at 521 East Second St

SECOND WARD.

First election district, at 347 Watchung Avenue; second election district, at 698 South Ave.

THIRD WARD.

At 114 West Sixth street.

FOURTH WARD.

First election district, at 114 West Second Street; second election district, at 648 South Second Street.

Polls open at six a. m., and close at seven p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled "An Act to regulate elections," approved April 18, 1876, with amendments and supplements, including the Ballot Reform Law, and other general election acts in force July 4, 1896.

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 11, 1896.
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STILLMAN MUSIC HALL!
GEORGE E. ROGERS.....Lessee. | GEORGE H. WILLEY.....Manager

Dainty Charming KITTIE RHOADES
and her company of clever artists will open a week's engagement commencing
MONDAY, NOV. 30th,
In Repertoire no higher. People's Popular Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Change of bill nightly. Grand Family Matinee Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Box office now open.

50c on the $1.
That's Just What it is.
And you can depend on it too.
We have just purchased and put on sale a "Closing Out" lot of
Extra Fine Kid Gloves,
from a factory in Gloversville at 50 cents on the dollar, and will sell them as long as they last in the same way, that is, at 49c the pair. You will be in luck if you get a pair of them. Don't wait too long. They will go quick.

WRAPPERS.
Ladies' Fancy Eiderdown Wrappers in pretty blues, pink, green and brown, made with watteau back and loose front, large bishop sleeves and sailor colar, trimmed with insertion and ribbon. Our New Method Price, $3.40. Ladies' Red Flannelette Wrappers, with loose front and watteau back and large full sleeves. Our New Method Price, 1.69. Ladies' Black and White Flannelette Wrappers, made with watteau back and loose front, large sleeves. Our New Method Price, $1.83. Ladies' Working Wrappers in dark percales and calicos, nicely made, 79. We have a nice assortment of Ladies' Coats, but want of space forbids mention here. Come in and see them. We sell them cheaper than any other house.

Boys' Watches Free.
Boys, we certainly have a great "Snap" for you in our enlarged Boys' Department, where you will find the newest, nobbiest and cheapest Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, etc., and a Genuine Fine Watch Free with a purchase of $5 or over in the department, including Clothing and Underwear and Furnishings. Our new "CORNING" Watch, a reliable timepiece, stem winder, patent lever movement, dust proof, nickel case, 18 line-watch. Beats anything ever placed on the market. Retail price is $1.75. Boys, you want to be wide-awake and get one of these fine watches. They are not a clock. We sell Knee Pants from 21c and up. Full Suits from 79c and up.

In the Housefurnishing, China and Crockery Department.
We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

The Big Sale is Still On
and the way we have sold Laces the last week, the people must think "they are all right." You are especially invited to come in and see our Elegant New Goods of all kinds. Don't fail to visit our Big Basement. It's just brimfull of new and pretty things; awfully cheap too You know we are selling Fine New attractive goods cheaper than any other house, and it will pay you well to trade at
=EDSALL'S!=

Ladies' Calf Skin Heavey Sole WALKING BOOTS, $3
Per Pair. Button and lace; Goodyear welts; dressy and serviceable. Just the shoe for Ladies' who dislike Rubbers.
DOANE & EDSALL.

WOOL SWEATERS, with Sailor Collar, $1 to $3.50.
BUCK GLOVES, 50c. per Pair to $2.
HEAVY UNDERWEAR, 25c. to $2.
HATS and CAPS of every description.
CRANE & CLARK,
Hatters and Furnishers, 120 West Front street.

=BOEHM'S!=
"THE EVER BUSY STORE."
113 WEST FRONT STREET.

A Great Sale of Hosiery.
Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.
Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale
IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.
38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 38c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 50c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our
Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50. Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.50, at $1.
Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our
Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—2½c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.
Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.
I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

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GOSPEL OF THE KORAN

ALEXANDER RUSSELL WEBB LECTURES ON A PAGAN RELIGION.

Explained Various Ways in Which People of the Orient Worship—May Have Four Wives, But One is Usually Enough.

A fair sized audience gathered at Salvation Army hall last evening to hear Alexander Russell Webb, the convert to the Mohammadam religion. This was Mr. Webb's second visit to this city. His first appearance was at Reform Hall a few years ago.

His object is to present the religion he represents in an intelligent manner so that his hearers may know and understand what true Mohammedism is. He mentioned several peculiarities about his people such as regarding their manner of prayer. They pray five times each day and their last petition is offered just before retiring. In their method of washing they bathe three times in succession and in such a way that the water is not used again. They also bathe the mouth three times so that their words may be clean. When the call to prayer is given every morning before sun rise there is a death-like stillness. It is given in the Arabic language. Mr. Webb imitated the prayer and style of position. The prayer is lengthy and has a sameness about it. The other four prayers slightly differ.

In the Koran language there are ninety-nine different names given to God and anyone who can repeat them them 100 times is highly commended. Friday is observed as Sunday by the Mohammedans and a different prayer is used on that day.

Mr. Webb was dressed in the gown of a merchant. He said that there were seventy-three divisions among his people and the dress of each division represents the religion. The speaker then retired and appeared later attired as a Turk. In speaking of the Koran, which is considered a sacred book, he said that every child was obliged to learn it, after which the commentaries and language are taught. Each person usually has a library and one lawyer which Mr. Webb spoke of has a library containing 3,000 volumes of the Koran bound in silk and ivory.

The people use no knives or forks and yet they get along exceedingly well. The custom is that a guest at the table is supposed to eat something of everything on the table.

It is a rare thing, the speaker said, that you find a man with more than one wife. The law of the people is that he shall not have more than four. Boys and girls are not allowed to associate with each other hence there is no courting. When a man wants a wife he asks his mother to get him one. The son then calls on the girl's father and if all is well a contract is drawn up and signed. A sumptuous feast follows, then the marriage.

Mr. Webb said that it was considered a disgrace for a woman to play a piano or guitar, but occasionally among the higher classes women do play these instruments.

The speaker thought there were many things about the Mohammedan religion that were beautiful, and then on the other hand there are things which are not advantageous.

LOST THE TRI-STATE TROPHY.

Charles Smith Defeated by William Wolstencroft by a Score of 77 to 74.

The tri-State silver trophy for expert trap shooters was lost yesterday afternoon by Charles Smith, of this city, to William Wolstencroft, of Frankfort, Pa., in a contest at 100 birds, the score being 77 to 74 in favor of Wolstencroft. The match was shot on the grounds of the Climax Gun Club at Fanwood. Expert rules prevailed. Immediately after his defeat, Mr. Smith challenged the winner for a match to be shot in December, the trophy being a challengeable one each month. No date was set, but the contest will take place on the grounds of the Keystone Shooting League, of which Wolstencroft is a member.

The cup is valued at $50 and was won for the first time by Mr. Smith at Americus, Ga., last month, when he defeated eight other contestants. The championship includes the States of New Jersey, New York and Pennsylvania.

A Family Reunion.

A delightful family reunion was held Thursday afternoon and evening at the home of J. L. Darby, Alton. There were about twenty-five relatives present and joined heartily in the festivities of the memorable occasion. Music for dancing was furnished by Lambert.

The Junior Fair.

The J. O. U. A. M. fair was largely attended last evening and the receipts were gratifying. Charles E. Vail now holds the high score for the silk umbrella, which is 198. The fair will close this evening, when the contest for the umbrella will be decided.

GRACEFUL DANCERS GAY

FIRST OF THE PARK CLUB JUNIORS' WINTER EVENTS.

The Ball Room Lively With Young People Who Flitted Hither and Thither in the Tripping Throng to Their Enjoyment.

It is not necessary to ask if the junior dance at the Park Club, last evening, was successful; the very name of the Park Club implies that. It was the first of the season of those charming junior affairs that form such a delightful feature in the social life of the young people of the club and their friends.

The club house was bright with its many lights while the evermoving throng of dancers in the charming little ball room made the scene a lively one. The dance was by far the most successful junior affairs the club has held. The music, which was furnished by LaVere, was excellent, and altogether the first Junior dance of the season was most successful and greatly enjoyed by all present.

The patronesses were Mrs. St. John McCutchen and Mrs. F. Sergeant Grant. The Junior Committee of the Park Club which arranged for this delightful affair consists of Charles S. Cook and Fred P. Taylor.

Among those that were present during the evening were: Ex-Councilman and Mrs. J. H. Howell, Mrs. E. P. Williams, Mrs. J. C. Peck, Mrs. George T. Rogers, Mrs. Chas. A. Reed, Mrs. William Barlow, the Misses Marjorie C. Sterling, Anna Miller, Maud Middledith, Florence R. Beale, Bessie Taylor, M. O. Henschell, Marion Henderson, Daisy Elsburg, Ethel C. Green, Alice Rushmore, Grace E. Overton, Florence Williams, Eleanor Williams, Halla Van Deventer, Eleanor T. Van Deventer, Edith L. Burt, Adelaide Ball, Edith Clapp, Grace Barlow, Alice Barlow, Genevieve Daniel, Sarah Long, Laura Long, Elizabeth Hull, May Hull, Nancy Lawson, Sallye Swayze, Helen Phillips, Ida Smock; and the Messrs. Percy Long, George W. Sterling, Guernsey Nevius, James M. Middledith, John W. Kirkner, Percy Ingalls, Henry A. Patten, Herbert Moore, Alfred E. Holmes, David B. Rushmore, Fred G. Smith, Fred A. Edgerton, Robert Suffren, Chas. O. Beardsley, Charles E. Faber, Frank Thompson, Charles D. Stillman, Henry C. Wells, Charles Terrill, C. LeRoy Lyons, Benjamin O. Bowers, Jr., C. Edward Gielle, A. Willis West, Allen Wilson, Carroll Runyon, John Biers, Edward Waring, Clarence Peck, Everett Peck, Allan Laing, Arthur A. Freeman, Meredith Dryden, Ernest Swayzee, Carl Brown, Charles Dupee, Edmund Rushmore, Charles Barlow, Fred Ball, William N. Runyon, Elston M. French and P. W. Swayzee.

Chicken Coop Destroyed.

An alarm of fire, sent in from box 152, called out the borough fire department at 2:30 this morning. The fire was discovered by Night Watchman Frank Hull. When the department arrived, which was about four minutes after the alarm, the firemen discovered that a chicken coop and an outhouse located on property occupied by Samuel Hull, corner of Grove street and Greenbrook road. Chief Marshal Wilson was the first person to arrive at the fire and it was through his efforts that the adjoining barns were saved. The firemen soon had water on the fire and extinguished the same quickly. Mr. Hull is inclined to think that the buildings were set on fire, but he has no knowledge as to who did it. The chickens in the coop were all saved.

Enjoyed a Good Time.

A surprise party was tendered to George Smith, the thirteen-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Front and Somerset streets, last evening, the occasion being his thirteenth birthday. It was arranged by Miss Lucy Casper, and it was at her home on East Front street where the young people met. They went to the house in a body and spent a most enjoyable evening. Among those present were the Misses Lucy Casper, Nellie Rafferty, Carrie Beiter, Josie Feller, Annie Feller, Carrie Sutterlein, Tillie Moraller, and Masters Chas. Beiter, Harry Blimm, Alaire Blatz, Geo. Feller and Harry Beiter.

An Unexpected Visitation.

Mrs. Campbell, of 452 West Second street, was tendered a complete surprise last evening by a few of her friends. Her son Wm. Campbell and wife arranged the surprise and there were about thirty guests present who spent the evening in a social manner and in playing games. Refreshments in abundance was served at a late hour and when the guests departed for home they all agreed that they had an evening of pleasure.

—Harper's Weekly publishes a picture this week of the Yale football team. Wesley Abbott, of this city, is among them.

WOMEN WANT TO VOTE.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STATE WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

Mrs. Florence Howe Hall Re-elected President—A Colorado Woman Tells of Woman's Suffrage in Her State.

The sixth annual meeting of the New Jersey State Woman's Suffrage Association was held in Union Hall, Orange, yesterday afternoon, and a large number of members were present. Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of this city, presided.

The reports from the different counties in the State showed an encouraging growth in the sentiment in the favor of woman suffrage. It was stated that the association was working in the direction of bringing the schools in some parts of the State into proper working legal conditions.

The election resulted in the choice of the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Plainfield; vice-president, Mrs. Harriet Lincoln Coolidge, of East Orange; recording secretary, Mrs. Alice C. Angell, of Passaic; corresponding secretary, Dr. Mary D. Hussey, of East Orange; treasurer Mrs. Stephen R. Krom, of Plainfield; auditor, Mrs. J. M. Pullen, of Camden.

Mrs. Howard S. Stansbury, of Denver, was introduced, and in reply to questions gave some interesting facts in relation to woman suffrage in Colorado. It has been a most unqualified success, she said. While there was about twice as many men as women in the State, yet at the last election the women cast 52 per cent of the vote. Of the men, only 75 per cent registered and 60 per cent voted, while of the women 94 per cent registered and 84 per cent vote. Mrs. Stansbury stated that the more ignorant women did not vote. The bill that had recently passed the Legislature raising the age of consent to eighteen years had been introduced by a woman member of the Legislature and pushed through largely by the influence of women.

PASSED A TIME OF PLEASURE.

Epworth Leaguers Know How to Entertain Pleasantly.

The social and entertainment given in Grace M. E. church last evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League, proved to be a pleasant affair. The programme opened with a reading by Miss Emma Stevens, which was followed by a number of charades entitled "Not by a Jug Full," "United We Stand, Divided We Fall," "Cauliflower," "Baltimore" and "Bicycle." This part of the programme was very laughable. A dialogue, "Deaf as a Post," was presented by Miss Grace Carroll, Miss Alice Carroll, Miss Margaret Schuck and Dyckman Winckler. The balance of the evening was devoted to the playing of game and the eating of ginger snaps and apples.

The literary committee of the league, consisting of Miss Margaret Schuck, the Misses Carroll, Mrs E. E. Winckler, Mtss Lizzie Stafford, Miss Alice Loomis, Mrs. H. J. Johnston and John Steiner, arranged the programme, while the social committee, consisting of Mrs. Most, Miss Clara Steiner, the Misses Carrie and Agnes Tingley, Miss Cora VanArsdale and Miss Georgia VanArsdale, served refreshments.

An Interesting Series.

A series of illustrated lectures will be given in the First Presbyterian church this winter. The first one will be given on December 15, when the pastor of the church, Rev. C. E. Herring, will talk on his own experience during his recent wheeling trip through Europe. His subject will be "A Trip Up the Rhine." The second of the series will be delivered on January 12, by Rev. A. Woodruff Halsey, of New York. His topic will be "Recent Discoveries in Bible Lands." The last lecture will be given by Mr. Herring on the subject, "Under the Blue Italian Skies."

Newcomers.

Through the real estate agency of E. C. Mulford & Son, C. H. Russell, of New York, has leased the house at 529 West Front street and took possession yesterday. Rev. E. E. Jones, of Hunterdon county, has leased the house at 15 Groye street and will move in next Wednesday. Isaac Harris and family, of Philadelphia, have taken the house at 414 East Sixth street and they moved in this week.

International Order of Machinists.

Watchung Lodge, No. 167, will give a ball in the Jersey Cycle Academy on New Year's Eve, and not the Twilight Social Club, as announced The members of Watchung Lodge are popular young fellows and have a host of friends who will attend the event.

Frank Lock, of West Front street, went to Baltimore Thursday for a short stay.

ANENT CITY ELECTION.

TAXPAYERS EXPRESS VIEWS ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

One Man Believes That "Unjust Taxation" Should be the Issue—Another Says That Mr. Martine is Best Fitted for Mayor.

To the Editor of the Daily Press:—The political issue of the approaching city election should be "unjust taxation." Your article in Wednesday's papers of the meeting of the Commissioners of Appeal is the key note of the campaign. All honor to public spirited citizens like Talmage, Anthony, VanBuren and others who voice, I am sure, public opinion! One seldom see men like these willing to stand up for the rights of poor and rich alike. It has for a long time been suspected that certain taxpayers have had favors shown them in the assessment valuation of their property. The publication today of Plainfield's assessment rolls, I think would make sensation reading to the majority of our taxpayers.

Our canditates for Mayor, Mr. Fisk and Mr. Martine, should announce their position on this most important question. Equal rights for rich or poor; no discrimination or favoritism in taxation—and may the best man win. Taxpayer.

To the Editor of The Daily Press—It would be a matter of sincere rejoicing if in municipal affairs, politics might be abjured and fitness for office made the qualification, but, as has been seen and shown in the primaries lately held the reward of office is still party feality and the amount of work done for his party by the candidate.

An even though nominations have been made on these lines there is still opportunity for citizens to use some independent judgment if they wish. Much has been said and written in ridicule of the candidacy of Mr. Martine but looking at the matter impartially I am quite convinced he is the better candidate of the two for Mayor. He has more property interests at stake and on this ground alone would be apt to scrutinize more closely all civic appropriations, as every dollar expended must be raised by taxes and the man owing the most taxable property must per se bear the heaviest expense in the shape of taxes. Add to this his absolute uprightness and honesty and beyond doubt he would make the best Mayor. As in the late elections party trammels were cast off and perfect independence declared, so let it be in this coming election and every voter conscientiously cast his ballot for the man he believes will best subserve the interests of the city. Just Necome.

A Clever Reciter.

Minnie Marshall-Smith, who is to recite at the concert given by the Benevolent Band of King's Daughters for the support of the city nurse, on December 4th, has appeared for the last six or seven seasons with the Lotus Glee Club in their concerts both here and in England. A special feature of her work is the selections with musical accompaniment of which she has a large repertoire, especially written and arranged by Frank J. Smith, for the past eight years conductor of the Lotus Glee Club. The entertainment will be in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on December 4, at eight o'clock. Admission 50 cents. Children under twelve, 25 cents.

Canteens for Cops.

A supply of canteens has been purchased for the police department, and as soon as cold weather appears each member of the department on duty at night will carry one. A strap is attached so that it can be thrown over the shoulder. The men will receive their supply of coffee at midnight as heretofore. These canteens are furnished so that the men will not be obliged to stop while partaking of their midnight lunch.

A Surprise Party.

A surprise party arranged by Miss Jennie Addis, of Orange street, was given Miss Lillian Frey, at her home corner of Richmond street and La Grande avenue, last evening. The playing of the latest games furnished the chief amusement, after which refreshments were served. There were about fifteen young people present.

In Court.

Justice Newcorn has issued summons in the contract cases of Frey against Burke and Schloss et als against Giles, returnable December 4th. The case of Sternberg against Dunham was tried yesterday and judgment was given the plaintiff. The case of Huff against Clark was adjourned one week.

Mrs. Angleman, of Bayonne, is the guest of Plainfield relatives for a few days.

Eugenia and Veronica Sands, of Brooklyn, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Laine, of East Second street.

THE CORPS INSPECTED.

WINFIELD SCOTT POST RELIEF CORPS VISITED.

The Working Order of the Auxiliary Found to be in Excellent Condition—A Social Time Enjoyed After Business.

The annual inspection of Winfield Scott Post Relief Corps, No. 10, took place last evening, and it was a memorable occasion. Inspecting Officer Mrs. Hill, of Trenton, assisted by several Department Officers, were present, and they were exceedingly well pleased with the workings of the corps. It was announced by the visiting officers that the Bayard Corps, of Trenton, was the largest in the department, but the corps in this city was by far the best working corps.

After the inspection the meeting was thrown open, and members of Post 73, G. A. R., and the Sons of Veterans were invited to join in the social features of the affair. Mrs. Brokaw, the president of the corps, occupied the chair, with Commander McVoy, of Post 73, on her left and First Lieutenant Charles F. Stephens, of the Sons of Veterans, on her right. Remarks were then made by a number of those present, including the Department Officers, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. McVoy, Mrs. Westphal, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. Dobbins, Commander McVoy and Past Commander Dobbins. Recitations were given by Comrade W. R. Mattox and H. S. Thatcher. Charles F. Stephens also made a few remarks. A vocal duet, "Put me off at Buffalo," was then effectively rendered by Mrs. Clarence Leland and Miss Nash.

At this point Department President Mrs. Mose gave a brief outline of the workings and growth of the department and stated that the present membership of the Department of New Jersey was 140,000. The department, she further said, was organized June 3d, 1883, and since that time over one million dollars had been raised, and during the last year $3,821.34 had been given to the G. A. R., of this State, and that $668.26 had been contributed for Memorial Day work.

At the conclusion of the speeches, songs, etc., the women served all with excellent refreshments.

COULDN'T SURVIVE THE BURNS.

Mrs. Phillip Radin Died at the Hospital This Morning.

Mrs. Phillip Radin, who was so terribly burned about two weeks ago, died at the hospital early this morning. Ever since the accident occurred Mrs. Radin suffered intensely, though she did not give those in attendance that impression. She never lost consciousness and her eccentricities remained to the last. She had no desire whatever to see her friends.

A. M. Runyon & Son, undertakers, have taken charge of the remains and the officials at the hospital have notified Mrs. Radin's lawyer, William Clopton, 41 Wall street, New York, concerning her death. No disposition will be made of the body until word is received from Mr. Clopton.

Business College Booming.

The beautiful rooms of the Plainfield Business College, in the Babcock building, are rapidly filling up. New students are entering every week. Plainfield, North Plainfield, Scotch Plains, Netherwood, Westfield, Mt. Pleasant, Oak Tree, Dunellen, Bound Brook and Raritan are now represented. The number of students has so increased of late that Prof. Phelps has been compelled to buy some more nice desks and chairs to accommodate them. "And yet there is room." Just seven months of this school year now remain. Those wishing to take a thorough course should enter at once.

"Caste" Next Thursday.

The coach from New York, Mr. Young, said, as he left the Casino last night after a rehearsal of "Caste," that his services were no longer necessary. He thinks the play an assured success and one of the best on the stage, and he speaks in most complimentary terms of the cast. The seats not yet sold are $1.25 each and as the space in the hall is limited many good positions can still be had. Tickets may be obtained by anybody in Plainfield, whether members of the Country Club or not, at Armstrong's drug store.

—Joseph Pellatt will preach at 314 West Second street, tomorrow at 3 p. m.

The physical condition of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D, is steadily improving, much to the joy of all Plainfield.

Charles Lewis, who sings at the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow at 4:15 p. m., is a member of the celebrated Lotus Glee Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Baglin, of Fairview avenue, who have been spending a week with Mr. Baglin's parents in Newark, returned home last evening.

A HORRIBLE EXPERIENCE

LOCKED UP IN A FREIGHT CAR FOR SEVEN DAYS WITHOUT FOOD.

A Tramp Sealed in a Car at Ottawa, Canada, Nov. 21th, With Just Room Enough to Stand, Only Got Out Today

The heavy door of the freight car was pushed back, and J. D. Loizeaux, of the firm of Rushmore & Co., the Watchung avenue lumber dealers, prepared to examine the contents of the car which had just arrived from Ottawa, Canada. But he was not prepared for what followed. There was a stir inside of the car and a man appeared at the entrance. His tattered clothing hung loosely on the gaunt form. His eyes were sunken deep in his head, while his face was as pale as a ghost under the stubby beard that covered most of it. He staggered to the door and once more breathed the fresh air after being locked in a space, scarcely more than a foot wide, for seven long days without food or drink. It was a singular example of the wonderful endurance of the "knight of the road," for such was the unexpected visitor that so startled Mr. Loizeaux when he broke the metallic seal and opened the freight car early this morning.

The car came from Ottawa, Canada, and the bill of lading shows that it was sealed on Nov. 21st, just a week ago. The car, which was loaded with lumber, had no ventilating holes, and the only fresh air that reached the prisoner was that which entered the cracks in the side of the car. It was dark, very dark in there, and the only empty space was between the piles of lumber, and that was hardly over a foot in width. Here the traveler had to stand, always facing the same direction, and if he lay down he could not turn around but had to lie on his side. The space was so small that Mr. Loizeaux, who is rather a slim man himself, could not squeeze in.

He presented a terrible appearance as he staggered out, and the marks of hunger were plainly written on his face. Mr. Loizeax assisted him from the car, and then the stranger sat down and, in a feeble voice, told his story.

His home was in Brooklyn, he said, and he wanted to return from Canada. He got into the car when it started and took a little something to eat with him. It wasn't much, he explained, and his drawn face and fleshless form bore evidence to that remark. He didn't give his name but finally staggered to his feet and slowly made his way out of the lumber shed and went down the street. The last that Mr. Loizeaux saw of his unexpected visitor was when he walked with uneven steps along East Fourth street in the direction of Park avenue.

The case is a remarkable one, and the only wonder is that the man did not starve to death. His position, cramped up in that small space, must have been terrible. There were no signs of any food or drink in the car after the stranger departed.

A Modern Miracle.

Wizard Edison, who seems to grow in the belief that nothing is impossible, now expresses the hope that by the aid of a Roentgen stencil plate the blind may be made to see. Even if this miracle should develop, it is far better to avoid all possibility of blindness, and the first step in that direction is an examination of the eyes; this if free to all at Collier's.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. James Atwood, of Trenton, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Plainfield friends.

Miss Katy Savard and brother, John Savard, of Division street, are spending a few weeks with relatives at Amherst, Mass.

Miss Florence Taylor and Miss Josephine Varnatta, of East Third street, is spending this week with friends at Newark.

Past Commander William C. Smith, of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., went to Jersey City last evening to inspect the post at that place.

Miss Martha Tracy, of Bryn Mawr College, is spending the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her father, J. Evarts Tracy, of West Eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chandler, of New York, are spending Thanksgiving week at the home of Mrs. Chandler's father, F. W. Miles, of Somerset street.

Miss Elsie Suffern, a student at Vassar College, has returned for the Thanksgiving vacation to the home of her father, E. L. Suffern, of Linden avenue.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of Waynewood place, is home from the New York Homœpathic College for several days. He has been entertaining one of his class mates, Frank Orines, of New York.

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EXTENSION OF PURCHASING POWER

Holders of Idle Money Hunting Borrowers---Enormous Gains in Bank Deposits---Another Advance in Wheat. The Boot and Shoe Industry.

New York, Nov. 28.—Dun's weekly review of the state of trade for the week just closing will to-day say: Business is on the whole enlarging, and the employment of many more hands will extend purchasing power. The settlement of the window glass controversy, starting many thousand hands, and the collapse of some important iron combinations with the same effect, give promise of more business. Broadly speaking, the gain has been greater than anybody expected, and it is not surprising if a small part of it is in excess of the present consuming demand. Reports from all parts of the country show clearly the enlargement of trade, not at all points in the same branches, but everywher helped by a more confident feeling. Extremes of weather have made the week not altogether good for retail trade, but in that line also there is improvement on the whole. Monetary difficulties have vanished as if by magic, and banks with an uncomfortably large supply of idle money are hunting borrowers, as the borrowers were recently hunting lenders. The buyers of sterling exchange here, who are supposed to hold $10,000,000 or more with the expectation that it must be stronger after the beginning of the new year, are in fact speculating against themselves, because their temporary loans are helping American exports and American manufacturers. Enormous gains in bank deposits, $37,000,000 in two weeks, indicate something of the amount of funds recently hoarded.

Wheat and Cotton.

Wheat has risen over six cents for the week, without material change in foreign advices, which have been on the whole less stimulating. Western receipts are falling behind last year's, while the Atlantic exports, flour included, are not large enough to create excitement. But thirteen cargoes have left Tacoma in November, and thirty have left San Francisco, with twelve more loading and forty engaged. The milling demand in the Atlantic states is also large, and at four western cities the output of flour in five weeks has been 2,655,415 barrels against 3,613,300 in the same weeks last year. Corn has sympathized with wheat only a little and is coming forward freely. The most important factor in the wheat market is that the visible supplies do not gain as much as has been expected. Cotton has gained only a sixteenth, after its considerable decline, and the remarkably heavy movement puts the speculaters for an advance in constant difficulties, and yet there is all the time to be remembered the fact that the crop was nearly one month earlier than usual, and the present excess over last year s movement may be materially reduced hereafter.

Boots and Shoes and Metals.

The boot and shoe industry is still hindered by the general refutal of dealers to pay the advanced prices demanded by manufacturers, except for the limited quantities which are immediately required, and while most manufacturers are working on orders taken weeks ago at lower prices, which will keep them busy for some weeks to come, very little new business is coming. The shipments on old orders, however, are greater than in any year except 1894, having been in four weeks 250,992 cases, against 235,013 last year and 291,912 in 1894. No further advance of importance has been made in leather, and the market for hides has sharply reacted, so that the average of prices is slightly lower than November 1s. The collapse of the nail combination, and probably of the beam combination, and considerable reduction in quotations for nails and beams, give reason to look for a larger demand for products of iron and steel, but at present the sales against speculative purchases made some time ago are depressing prices, and Bessemer pig has sold at $12.25, and according to some reports a little lower at Pittsburg. The demand for such products as are not controlled by the combinations is somewhat increasing, but by no means as rapidly as expected. In minor metals tin is scarcely as strong as it was a week ago, but copper and lead are stronger.

CHAIRMAN BYNUM'S VIEWS.

Believes the Republicans Have a Glorious Opportunity Before Them.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Ex-representative W. D. Bynum of Indian, chairman of the national democratic committee in the recent campaign, is in Washington. To a reporter he said today: "I think the republicans are willing to admit that the sound money democrats held the balance of power in the election and that their votes carried the day for McKinley. In my opinion there were not less than one million sound money democratic votes east for the McKinley ticket and the number may have been a million and a half. The votes cast for Palmer and Buckner would not by any means represent the strength of the sound money movement among the democrats. The republicans," he said, "have a glorious opportunity before them. By conservative action they can retain within their party a great portion of this sound money vote. If they will prepare a wise solution of the currency question, obviate by adequate legislation the ever-present possibilities of a financial panic growing out of our financial system and act conservatively upon the tariff, they will hold them. I am a believer in tariff, not only for revenue, but with incidental protection. For instance, I would not raise my revenue from tea, coffee and sugar, but from articles that competed with American labor. I do not, however, believe in protection merely for protection's sake. I think the republicans will be likely to act conservatively in this regard."

NOT IN THE COURT'S PROVINCE.

Yturbide's Suit for Reinstatement into Membership in Metropolitan Club Fails.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The jury in the case of Prince Yturbide, the adopted heir of the late Emperor Maximilian of Mexico, against the Metropolitan club of this city returned a verdict in favor of the club. Yturbide was expelled from the club upon the charge of having made certain accusations against the daughter of a fellow-member, and he brought suit for a writ of mandamus to compel the club to reinstate him, alleging that he had not been fairly tried by the board of governors, being denied an opportunity to explain his action in the matter. Judge Bradley, presiding, said that it was out of the province of the court to say whether or not the governors acted wisely in applying the extreme penalty for the offense charged. The only question at issue, the judge said, was whether when Yturbide was before the governors was he fairly and fully apprised of the charge against him, and did he there and then admit the charge? The jury by its verdict answered the question affirmatively. Yturbide says he will appeal the case.

Hulfeldt-Bonaparte Wedding.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The explanation is publicly made here that the reason why invitations for the marriage of Miss Bonaparte, daughter of the late Jerome Bonaparte, and Count de Moltke Huilfeldt, which is to be celebrated in this city, have not yet been sent out is because of the serious condition of health in which the father of the groom-elect continues to remain, which precludes the possibility of the latter's leaving Paris at present.

Wilmarth's Dismissal Recommended.

Glorersville, N. Y., Nov. 28.—The committee which was appointed by Mayor Cummings to investigate the charge made against City Clerk Wilmarth of appropriating public funds held a meeting last night and heard a portion of the defense showing discrepancies of $4,700 in Wilmarth's favor. The committee unanimously decided to recommend that the common council dismiss Wilmarth.

Death from Hair Dye.

Buffalo, Nov. 28.—The coroner has come to the conclusion that May Mack, who died in the hospital here yesterday under suspicious circumstances, came to her death from natural causes. It appears that she dyed her hair a few days ago and was attacked with severe headaches, which continued until she lost consciousness.

For Killing His Wife and Children.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 28.—The jury in the Burt murder trial rendered a verdict of guilty yesterday, assessing his punishment as death. He murdered his wife and two children last July and threw the bodies into a cistern. He feigned insanity, but failed.

To Christen the Vicksburg.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The navy department is informed that Miss Addie Trowbridge, daughter of the mayor of Vicksburg, Miss., has been chosen to christen the gunboat named for that city, to be launched at Bath, Me., with her sister ship, the Newport, on December 5.

New Jesuit Project.

Indianapolis, Nov. 28.—The Jesuit society of the Catholic church has determined to establish a university here. Two members of the society have been in the city for several days, guests of Bishop Chatard, and have viewed several tracts of land near here.

The Demand for Gold Certificates.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The treasury department has taken no action in the matter of issuing gold certificates, and it is not believed anything will be done for several days. Meanwhile applications from the big banks for such certificates are accumulating.

To Increase Working Hours.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 28.—The car working department of the Boston & Maine railroad will on Monday go on ten hours' time instead of nine, as at present.

Francis Joseph To Visit the Czar.

London, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company says the emperor of Austria will visit the czar in St. Petersburg in January.

AT PRINCETON, N. J.

Where Cleveland Will Establish His Residence After March 4.

TO BE HIS PERMANENT HOME

The President Purchases the Slidell Residence, Property Beautifully Located, and Overlooking a Picturesque Stretch of Farming Country.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 28.—Prof. Andrew West of the university has returned from Washington, where he has been laying the claims of Princeton as a place for a residence before President Cleveland. Prof. West, when seen, authorized the following statement for publication: "President Cleveland has purchased the residence of Mrs. Slidell, on Bayard avenue, in Princeton, and will make Princeton his permanent home soon after the expiration of his term as president. Negotiations looking to this end have been in progress for about three weeks and were consummated yesterday by the purchase of the property. A number of reasons have attracted the president and Mrs. Cleveland to Princeton. The president's father was educated for the Presbyterian ministry here. The quiet and independent home life of the place, its healthfulness, its convenience to New York, the attraction of a university society as well as other reasons have been influential in his decision." The actual purchase price of the property could not be learned, but it is generally understood that the president paid between $45,000 and $60,000 for it. The property is beautifully located in the western part of the village and overlooks a picturesque stretch of farming country three or four miles in extent. Directly across the avenue is the residence of Prof. William Mulligan Sloan, and the location is by far the most desirable one in the town.

Investigating Arbuckle's Death.

New York, Nov. 28.—Prof. R. A. Witthaus has made a report to Coroner Tuthill upon the progress of his work in the analysis of the contents of the stomach of Frank P. Arbuckle, the Denver mine owner and millionaire, who was found unconscious a week ago near High bridge and who died a few minutes later. The conditions found at the inquest indicated that death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart, but as Mr. Arbuckle's overcoat, watch and money had been stolen from him it was thought that he may possibly have received knock-out drops, which hastened the fatal attack of heart disease. For a complete analysis of other possible poisons there will be required still more time.

"The Seats of the Mighty" Presented.

Washington, Nov. 28.—H. Beerbohm Tree and the company from Her Majesty's theatre, London, at the Lafayette Square theatre last night, produced for the first time on any stage Gilbert Parker's dramatization of his novel "The Seats of the Mighty," under the personal supervision of the author. The play is a melodrama in which the scenic accessories are a prominent feature. The performance was attended by a distinguished audience, President and Mrs. Cleveland occupying a box, and surrounding them were representatives from the cabinet and diplomatic corps. It was a distinct artistic success.

Mrs. Irwin's Trial to Begin Wednesday.

Laplata, Md., Nov. 28.—Mrs. Emma Irwin, the paramour of George Matthews, who was convicted of the murder of James J. Irwin, the woman's husband, was arraigned yesterday, charged with being an accessory to the crime. She pleaded not guilty and chose a trial by jury. The trial will begin next Wednesday. Matthews' confession at the conclusion of his trial, in which he accuses the woman of urging the crime, continues to be the absorbing topic of conversation.

Burglars Active in Connecticut.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 28.—The local police are of the opinion that a widely scattered gang of professional burglars are operating through the state. Aside from the robberies in Hanford and Norwich, already reported, a dozen others have been discovered

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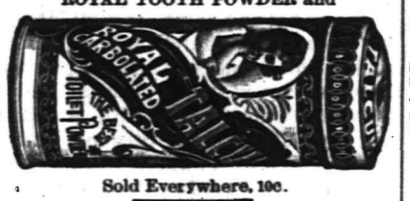

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Five beautiful dolls, lithographed on cardboard, eight inches high. Can be cut out and put together by the children—no pasting. Each doll has two complete suits. American, French, Spanish, Russian, Chinese, Japanese, German, Swiss, Turkish and Indian costumes. All parts being interchangeable, many combinations can be made, affording endless amusement and instruction. A high-class series of dolls, patented and manufactured for us exclusively and not to be compared with the numerous cheap paper dolls on the market.

How To Get Them.

Cut from five outside wrappers of None Such Mince Meat the head of the girl holding pie. Send these with ten cents in silver—wrapped in paper—and your full name and address, and we will send the dolls postpaid. Or we will send them free for twenty heads of the girl. Send only the heads to avoid extra postage.

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EVERYBODY LOOKS AT YOUR HAT!
See that it is correct. Correct styles are at
HALLOCK'S !
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Every one that's wearing our $3.00 Bull Dog Shoes.
DON'T FORGET
We are the only ones in town that sells the FAMOUS HANAN SHOE.
A. WILLETT AND SON,
NO. 107 PARKAVE.

CUT THIS OUT.

Save this and wait until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock a. m. Bring this with you to

214 West Front Street, Plainfield. N. J.

Received the entire remaining fall and winter stock of a leading New York wholesale clothing house consigned to us to be sold at once without regard to cost which means an opportunity of buying Suits, Trousers, boys suits and men's suits and men's overcoats and ulsters at about one-third of the actual value in order to prove what tremendous sacrifices will be made. We mention a few of the extraordinary bargains, and we advise you to cut this out and bring it with you, so that there will be no mistake that you get exactly the goods mentioned here: 100 fine men's overcoats, that sold for $11.00, now $3.75; 100 extra fine men's overcoats in latest style silk or satin lined at $5.95; men's fine all wool cassmere suits, $10.00, at $4.00; men's fancy worsted suits, worth $15.00, at $6.90; men's all wool English clay diagonial frock suits, worth $18, at $7.50; men's fine ulsters, worth $10.00, at $3.50; 450 men's pants, worth $3.00, at $1.25; 225 pair striped cassmere pants, worth $4.00, at $1.50. Hundred of other styles of goods, space will not allow to mention. All we say is come and judge for yourself. Boys suits, $1.65, worth $4.50; boy's winter overcoats, at $1.65, worth $3.50. Now don't delay, for these bargains are not like the sun to last for evermore, but come at once to the

New York Clothing Company,
214 WEST FRONT STREET.
M. WEINBERGER.
Near Music Hall, Plainfield, N. J.

TO PREVENT BILIOUSNESS.

Americans Should Eat More Green Vegetables and Salads.

Authorities on diet believe that it would be well for most of us who are in health to eat more green vegetables with our meat and starchy foods than we do at present, says the New York Post. Indeed, some go so far as to believe that the absence from our menus of plenty of green vegetables and salads accounts for the biliousness of the American people. The best known of such plants are lettuce, beet-tops, dandelion, kale and spinach, but Mr. Colville, botanist of the United States department of agriculture, finds that there are many other palatable and healthful plants that, though rarely used, might add a pleasant variety to our list of available vegetables. One of these, "winter cress," or Barbarea praecox, which is cultivated from this city southward and is sold in large quantities in the Washington markets, is planted in late summer or early fall and needs very little cultivation. Another plant that belongs to the spinach and beet family, though it is a common weed in fields and gardens in nearly every part of the United States, is "lamb's quarters," or Chenopodium album. It is in many places commonly known either as pigweed or goosefoot, but it is not the true pigweed. The plant has a pale-bluish green color, and is used when six or eight inches high is tender, juicy and pleasant to the taste. The teasing weed, the common garden "pusley," or "purslane," when boiled is also recommended as a most palatable green vegetable and can easily be had. In India, where it originated, the plant has been used for hundreds of years. In Europe it is used both as a pot herb and for salads.

Immigration Restriction in the Transvaal.

Pretoria, Nov. 28.—The volksraad has formally passed the immigration restriction bill, requiring immigrants to produce passports showing that they possess the means of support or that they can obtain work. The measure goes into force on Jan. 1, 1897.

No Need of Haste.

Weary Reporter—Any assignment for me to-day?

City Editor (briskly)—Yes. Go to Delaware and get a job in a powder mill, and when an explosion occurs write it up.

Reporter—Write it up?

City Editor—Well, you can wait till you come down.—Harlem Life.

—Idiot once meant simply boy. It is used by Shakespeare in this sense.

SHE LEARNS ITS VALUE.

Young Girl's Method of Discovering Her Engagement Ring's Price.

Two young girls dressed in stylish tailor-made gowns entered a State street jeweler's shop. They asked to see diamond rings and for a few moments pretended to be very much interested in the gold circlets and their brilliants. All at once one of them fished in her pocketbook and produced a ring set with a most beautiful emerald.

"Could you duplicate a ring like this?" she asked.

"Yes," said the jeweler.

"For how much?" The girl hesitated just the least bit asking that question. The jeweler glanced at a friend, winked and smiled. He told her the price and then the girl asked:

"This is a rather valuable ring, isn't it?"

"Yes, quite valuable."

"Well, I shall see mamma first, and if I decide to have the ring duplicated I will let you know."

"She'll not be back," said the jeweler, after the door had closed. "Happy creature! She really never intended duplicating the ring, but she was mortally anxious to find out how much her fiance had paid for it. For that was her engagement ring, and you know she had to know how much the trinket was really worth. His depth of affection is largely measured by the value of his engagement ring. Now she's happy. Did you notice the beatific expression when I told her my price? Happy youth! They are pretty much all alike."

Appointed U. S. District Judge.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The president has appointed John Henry Rodgers to be United States district judge for the eastern district of Arkansas, vice judge Isaac Parker, deceased. Judge Rodgers is an ex-representative in congress from the Fourth Arkansas district. He was born in 1845, served in the confederate army, and is a graduate of the University of Mississippi.

To Contest Allen's Election.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Executive councilor John H. Sullivan has decided to take the matter of the election of Isaac B. Allen, the colored republican candidate for the council, to the supreme court. The question is upon the validity of ballots cast with the crosses marked in the wrong place, it being believed that the court will consider the intent as against the act of the voter.

LEE DENIES A RUMOR.

His Return to Havana Not Delayed on Account of Opposition by Spain.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Consul General Lee says the rumor that he may not go back to Havana because Spain objects to him, has no foundation in fact. He certainly would have heard of it if there were any truth in the story. His relations with Gen. Weyler have been cordial and when they parted several weeks ago they exchanged photographs bearing autographic expressions of friendship. There can certainly be nothing personal against him and officially as consul general of the United States in the present situation Spain could hardly take an exception to his performance of duty. Gen. Lee says he is in this country solely for a vacation after five months hard work in Havana during the hottest time of the year and that he had considerable private business that demanded his attention after his hasty departure from the United States last spring. He is going to Richmond on Monday and will visit several other places in Virginia. After a trip to West Point to see his son, a cadet there, his leave will end and he will report to Secretary Olney his readiness to return. Whether he will take his wife to Cuba with him will depend entirely on the state of the country at the time of his return. There is a rumor in Washington that soon after congress reassembles the president intends to send in a message for the recognition of the insurgents as belligerents, and that Consul Lee is being detained here until it is learned what move Spain will make after the Cubans are recognized. Some persons here believe that a declaration of war against the United States would follow belligerent rights.

Fourteen Arrests in Havana.

Havana, Nov. 28.—The police here have atrested fourteen persons on the charge of being rebel sympathizers. Among the prisoners are two delegates of the Cuban junta in New York. All the men will be deported to-day to Fernando Po and the Chafarinas.

THE FLOODS IN GREECE.

Forty Bodies Already Recovered at The Piraeus---A Cemetery Washed Out.

Athens, Nov. 28.—The loss of life by the floods is much greater than was at first reported. Forty bodies have been recovered at The Piraeus, and boats are out searching for persons who are missing and who are supposed to have perished. The cemetery at The Piraeus was inundated. The water swept across the burial place with such violence that a number of bodies and skeletons were washed out of their resting places and carried for a considerable distance. No reliable estimate of the total damage to property can yet be made, but it is known that the loss will amount to a large sum.

Dixon Meets His Match.

New York, Nov. 28.—Frank Erne of Buffalo out-pointed George Dixon, the colored champion, in a 20-ronnd encounter at the Broadway Athletic club last night. The Buffalo boy stopped the colored cyclone with straight left jabs in the face and pretty soon Dixon's left eye was badly cut and almost closed, while before the finish his other optic was also swollen. There is no doubt that in Earne, Dixon has found his match.

A Victory for Missionaries.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The department of state has received official advices that through the efforts of Minister Terrell at Constantinople the Vali of Aleppo has been instructed by the sublime porte to permit boys in that villayet to attend the school of the St. Paul institute at Tarsus, conducted by American missionaries.

More Troops for Philippine Islands.

Barcelona, Nov. 28.—A steamer sailing hence for Manila carried two battalions of troops to reinforce the Spanish columns operating against the insurgents in the Philippine islands. She also carried a quantity of war material.

The New Internal Revenue Commissioner.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Hon. Wm. S. Forman of Illinois, who took the oath of office yesterday as commissioner of internal revenue, is at his desk to-day transacting the duties of his department like an old hand at the business.

To Work Night and Day with Extra Help.

Findlay, O., Nov. 28.—Two hundred additional workmen will be employed next week at the local plant of the Wire Nail Mill company of Salem, O., on orders to work night and day.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Prices held higher, checking trade. Dec., 90¼c.; May, 89⅝c.

Corn—Spot is firm, but quiet. Dec., 29⅝c.; May, 33⅜c.

Oats—Prices strong; trade inactive. Dec., 24¼c.; May, 26⅜c.

Pork—Prices firm; moderate trade. Extra prime, nominal, short clear, $9.00@10.50; mess, $8.25@8.75; family, $9.75@10.50.

Lard—Market stronger, but inactive. Prime western $4.30@4.32½.

Eggs—The market is about steady. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@26c.; ice house, 16@18c.; western, fresh, 22@24c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 21@23.

Butter—Perfect quality very scarce. Creamery western extras, 22½c.; state and Pennsylvania, extras, 20½@21c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fall made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 9@10½c.

Cheese—Quiet and firm. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—Slow and barely steady. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, $1.00@1.12.

WEYLER'S CAMPAIGN

Return of the Captain-General to His Troops in the Field.

NOT MUCH FIGHTING EXPECTED

The Only Important Engagement Believed To Be Possible Would Occur in the Event of the Spanish Troops Falling into a Rebel Trap.

Havana, Nov. 28.—Gen. Weyler arrived safely at Artemisa, by way of Mariel, last night, and started at once for the field. No engagement of any importance is expected until after the holidays. In fact, not many here believe there will be any direct encounter between Weyler's main column and Maceo's troops unless the insurgent leader succeeds in drawing the Spaniards into a trap. There are numerous dangerous mountain passes in Pinar del Rio province with which the rebels are well acquainted. The official statistics show that there are now 17,340 soldiers sick in the various military hospitals. Of this number 1,458 are suffering with yellow fever. The mortality is said to be 163 per 1,000. One hundred and fifty persons who have been condemned for various political crimes and sentenced to exile will be sent to the penal settlements at Fernand Po and the Chafarinas to-day. The case of Julio Sanguily, the American citizen who is charged with conspiracy against the government, was called in the supreme court yesterday. The judge stated that the trial would take place on December 21, and the witnesses have been summoned to be present on that date. Sanguily was arrested in 1895, and was convicted by a court-martial, which sentenced him to a life imprisonment. He succeeded, however, in having a civil trial granted to him. A train which arrived here yesterday from Artemisa, province of Pinar del Rio, brought seventeen officers and 483 privates, who are so sick that it was necessary to bring them here for hospital treatment. The steamer Bolivar brought seven officers and 240 privates, all sick, from the same province.

SPANIARDS CRUSHING DEFEAT.

Story of Weyler's Disastrous Move Against Maceo in the Rubi Hills.

New York, Nov. 28.—According to Col. Reyes, an aid-de-camp to Gen. Maceo, now in Florida on his way to New York with messages to the Cuban junta in this city, Weyler's recent campaign in the Rubi hills met with most disastrous defeat and the Spaniards were completely routed. Reyes took part in the engagements and was himself wounded, and one of his objects in coming to the United states, he says, is to secure proper medical attention. According to Col. Reye's story, related at Jacksonville, Fla., when Gen. Weyler took the field he dispatched his 35,000 men in three columns, taking 15,000 under his own command, and putting the other two of 10,000 each under Gens. Echague and Munore respectively. To meet this force Maceo had only 8,000. He knew long before of Weyler's plans, as he knows everything that is going on in Havana, and made plans to meet the enemy.

700 Killed; 1,600 Wounded.

The Cuban leader intrenched himself strongly in a crescent shaped range of hills and prepared to give the Spaniards a surprise. There was in the Cuban army an electrician, John Linn, formerly a New Yorker. There was among the munitions of war a large quantity of dynamite. Linn laid mines at the foot of the hills and Maceo and his men rested behind the hill peaks and waited for the Spaniards. Weyler's plan was that Gen. Munore should rout Maceo from his position, that Gen. Echague should cut off the Cuban's retreat by a flank movement, and that he himself should come up in time to make the annihilation complete. Munore started to carry out his part of it. His column advanced to the attack, but faltered under a tremendous fire that rained down the hill slope. The troops advanced bravely, however, and might have gained the top of the hill for hand-to-hand combat, had not John Linn and his dynamite been in the way. Suddenly a great explosion shook the mountain and the air was filled with the bodies of dead and dying Spaniards and horses. Several hundred Spaniards were killed outright and many more wounded, and the others fled. The Spaniards were rallied again with great difficulty and tried another charge. They were in a conditlon of panic, however, and Maceo's bullets mowed them down, so they retreated a second time, with 700 men killed and 1,600 wounded.

The Slaughter Was Terrible.

Maceo learned that the Spaniards would again try to storm his position with an augmented force and withdrew to the entrenchments a little further west. Gen. Echague brought 10,000 men against him two days later and made charge after charge to no avail. The slaughter among the Spaniards was terrible. A dynamite gun was used by Maceo with great effect. It was in this battle that Gen. Echague was wounded. A dynamite bomb tore his leg off. His troops retreated in great disorder for the second time. Col. Reyes says that during all this hard fighting, while the Spaniards were being cut to pieces, Weyler was in the rear with 15,000 of his troops and never made a move. Then he received a courier message from Havana and hastened back to that city, leaving Maceo still unannihilated. The Cuban losses were comparatively insignificant. They had, says Reyes, less than 300 killed and less than 400 wounded.

20,000 Americans To Aid Cuba.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Cuba's agent here says that when Cuba is recognized 20,000 armed Americans will go to aid her.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.

Rain Tonight; On Sunday, Clearing Weather; Decidedly Colder With Cold Wave; Temperature Will Fall to the Freezing Point Sunday.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 68 Degrees.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	George O. Stevens
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com's of Appeal—	For Com's of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

Mayor, Charles Burns. City Collector, Arthur Scott; City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell; Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto, Wm. C. VanNorden; Councilmen, Third Ward, Claus R. Wallander; Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr.

The municipal campaign is not as one-sided as was the National canvass in this city.

Another effort will be made at Trenton in January to have the State regulate the hours for barbering on Sunday. About one-half of the tonsorial artists want all shops closed at noon; others prefer to have the day entirely to themselves, while others, still, would willingly work all day. If a law is passed fixing the hours there can be no injurious opposition, and each barber shop will have an equal show for the Sunday patronage.—New York Press.

Last Tuesday Rev. Dwight L. Moody, who is conducting a series of revival meeting in New York, made a fervent appeal for a collection to be used in buying Thanksgiving dinners for the poor of New York. The collection amounted to $316.15. A few weeks ago Rev. A. H. Simpson, who addressed a meeting in this city last Tuesday, made an appeal to a New York audience for contributions to the heathen in South America, Africa and Turkey. He was rewarded by a collection of $120,000. The difference in favor of the foreign heathen is in the ratio of 1,000 to 1.

THEATRICAL.

Read what the Gallipolis (Ohio) Daily Tribune has to say of Miss Kittie Rhoades and her splendid acting company:

The performance of Miss Kittie Rhoades at Ariel Opera House last night was greeted with a large house and gave universal satisfaction and delight to all. Miss Rhoades is all that has been claimed for her. She is handsome, acts with utmost grace and dresses magnificently. Her company furnishes good support and upon the whole gave our people the best entertainment they have had since the opening of the Opera House. Tonight she plays the part of the Irish hero, in which she takes the part of an Irish boy, in which she is exceptionally fine.

At Music Hall next week.

An Action on Contract.

The case on contract of Pearson & Gayle against George T. Cutillo and Joseph Piciono was tried before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon. Action was brought against the defendants for plans furnished them by the plaintiffs for a house on North avenue and which were valued at $15, and Lawyer J. P. D. Kirch represented the plaintiff and Lawyer H. C. Runyon the defendants. As soon as the amount of demand was stated the defendants settled for the full amount and cost.

A Converted Esquimaux.

The Rev. S. Gibbons, a Priest of the Dominion of Canada, will address the church people of Plainfield in Grace P. E. church on Sunday evening, Nov. 29th. Mr. Gibbons is a native Esquimaux, converted to Christianity by missionaries of the English church, and now, in his turn, is doing hard missionary work in the wilds of Nova Scotia. He comes here to raise money for his work; and it is hoped that his appeal will prove successful. The service will begin at 7:45 o'clock.

No Sling Shots.

The police have been having quite a little trouble with the small boy and his sling shot. The officers have repeatedly confiscated the dangerous little weapons but it has done no good, and four were arrested. Yesterday they appeared before City Judge DeMeza for trial and were found guilty. The Judge suspended sentence with a warning.

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

A. J. Grollschmidt, of East Front street, is very ill at his home.

Miss Edith DuBois, of Park avenue, is visiting friends in South Amboy.

Miss Miller, of New York, is the guest of Miss Lou Snedicker, of Grove street.

Isaac Titsworth, of Dunellen, is home from Rutgers College for over Sunday.

Miss Grace E. Overton, of Rockview avenue, has been visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Mrs. James Radin, of North avenue, is entertaining relatives from New Brunswick.

Miss Bryan, of East Orange, is the guest of Miss Bertha Jenkins, of East Front street.

Miss Maude VanDyke, of East Front street, is visiting relatives at New Market.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of Willow avenue, is spending a few days with friends in Brooklyn.

John C. Whiting, of New York, spent Thanksgiving Day at his home on East Sixth street.

Percy MacKenzie, of Elizabeth, will spend Sunday with Clifford McGee, of Rockview terrace.

Harry B. Williams, of Piscataway-town, spent Thanksgiving Day at his home on East Front street.

John Layton and family, formerly of White House, have taken up their residence at 139 Grove street.

The Misses Bryan, of East Orange, are guests at the home of Dr. O. L. Jenkins, of East Front street.

Miss Tiny Rudd, of Brooklyn, spent Thanksgiving with her cousin, Miss Sophie Rudd, of Clinton avenue.

Miss Lizzie Long, of Somerville, is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Clara Long, of Park avenue.

Miss Estelle Davis, of New York, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Emmons, of White House, are visiting at the home of S. S. Swackhamer, of Summit avenue.

Irving Young and family and Louis Young, of Newark, spent Thursday in town with relatives on East Front street.

Miss Grace Oakley, of Somerville, is spending a week with her friend, Miss Mabel Schenck, of East Second street.

Miss Elizabeth Ray, of Philadelphia, was the guest, Thanksgiving, of Mrs. E. Alberti Whiting, of East Sixth street.

Miss May Woodruff, of New York, is spending a few days as the guest of Miss Nora Williams, of Somerset street.

William M. McCutchen, of Rockview terrace, has returned to Yale after spending Thanksgiving Day at home.

Miss Mabelle Phillips, of Madison avenue, returned to Wellesley College yesterday after spending Thursday in Plainfield.

Miss Gertrude Rushmore, of West Seventh street, returned from Wellesley College to spend Thanksgiving at her home.

Miss Adelaide Hillhouse, of New York, is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street.

R. D. Schoonmaker, of Princeton University, is spending his Thanksgiving vacation at his home on West Eighth street.

Miss Nora Rockwell, of East Front street, has returned from boarding-school, at Sing Sing, for the Thanksgiving holidays.

William Bannard, of Princeton University, has been visiting at the home of George R. Cornwell, of Waynewood place.

Edwin Howell, of Chester, Pa., spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of his aunt, Mrs. E. Alberti Whiting, of East Sixth street.

Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Goodrich, of West Seventh street, have been spending several days in Monclair with Mrs. Goodrich's parents.

Bert Rockwell, of East Front street, is home from boarding-school, at Sing Sing, for the Thanksgiving holidays. He will return to school on Monday.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, and Harry Woltmann, of West Seventh street, returned yesterday afternoon after a visit with friends in Morris county.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, entertained his college chum, E. W. Miller, from Lehigh University, over Thanksgiving. Mr. Miller is a member of the Lehigh lacrosse team, intercollegiate champions.

Harry L. McGee, of Willow avenue, was home from Stevens Institute, for Thanksgiving, and was accompanied by his college friend, Ross S. Scott. Mr. Scott is the captain of the Stevens Institute lacrosse team.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

A WEEK OF PRAYER.

Local Christian Endeavorers Arrange for Special Services.

The Plainfield Local Union of the Christian Endeavor Society have arranged for a week of prayer to commence December 6th. The topic for each day is as follows:

Sunday—Our Field—Inform ourselves as to the needs and opportunities; Monday—The work of the Spirit; Tuesday—The Bible Idea of Service, Personal Work, etc.; Wednesday—The Gospel Plan of Salvation. Study carefully, Sin, Pardon, Faith, Repentance; Thursday—Answering objections of unbelievers; Friday—God's present call, and qualifying for service. Personal responsibility; Saturday—Power—A quiet hour, waiting upon God for the Power. Acts I, 1-14, is suggested for special study.

The evangelistic committee make the following recommendations:

"If not possible to hold meetings every day, let every member devote at least a half an hour to prayer and study of the topics. Follow up the work of prayer and preparation by house to house visitation—invitation to non-church-goers to attend church services. A good example is a strong sermon on this topic that any Endeavorer can preach. Be regular attendants at all the services of your own church, particularly the church prayer-meeting and Sunday evening services. Don't go alone if you can help it, take some one to each service with you."

WONDERFUL QUILTING BEE.

Material Used That is Associated With Historical Fact.

About fifty years ago the friends of Mrs. Sarah Lines, daughter of the late Ephraim Vail, of Greenbrook, presented her with blocks for an old-fashioned album quilt. When Mrs. Lines left the old homestead at Greenbrook about a year ago she gave the blocks to her niece, Mrs. Mercy R. Vail, of Orchard place, this city, and yesterday some of the friends of Mrs. Vail met at her home for an old-fashioned quilting. The blocks are a curiosity, many of them being made of material that is over 100 years old, and among the names inscribed upon them are those of representative members of the Society of Friends of the early part of the century. One bears the name of Edward Fitz Randolph, born in 1700. He was the father of the man who piloted Gen. Washington to the rock which still bears his name. One of the blocks bears the following inscription:

May heaven defend my much-loved friend,
May virtue's voice direct her,
May angels fair, with guardian care,
From every ill protect her.

Among the guests were the following: Sarah S. Lines, Maria S. Harned, Phebe H. Vail, Sidna R. Vail, Belle R. Vail, Kate F. Randolph, Mrs. Alfred R. Vail, Mrs. James Harned, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Olssen and Margaret and Sarah Vail, of this city; Mrs. Henry C. Vail and Mrs. Frederick Wilcox, of Dunellen. An elaborate dinner was served at noon.

Judge Moore Tied a Nuptial Knot.

From the records of vital statistics at Elizabeth, it is learned that the marriage of Mrs. Mary E. Leveridge, of Newark, to Chas. E. Young, of Westfield, was performed by Judge Charles K. Moore on Nov. 23d.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Katheryn Krymer, of Brooklyn, is a guest of Miss Mary Robinson, of East Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pond, of Grove street, left town today to spend the winter in California.

Miss Helen Moore, of Wildwood Lake, New Jersey, is visiting Miss Adelaide Baxter, of Putnam avenue.

Albert Runyon, of East Front street, has returned from military school and is spending his holidays in Plainfield.

J. T. Armstrong and family, of Brooklyn, have returned home after spending a few days with relatives on East Fourth street.

Reporter M. F. Elderton, of the News, has returned from Auburn, N. Y., where he has been staying with a relative who was very ill.

Mrs. Burdick, of New Market, who has been seriously ill, is much improved, which fact her friends in Plainfield will be glad to learn.

Thomas D. Blair, of East Second street, returned to his duties at Princeton University this morning after spending Thanksgiving at home.

Mrs. Gilbert Lytel and Miss Mabel Rockfellow, of Newark, have returned home after a few days visit with Mrs. George Vroom, of Somerset street.

S. P. T. Wilbur and family, of East Third street, enjoyed a very pleasant Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Wilbur's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Campbell, of Avon Park.

A. D. Thompson and Wm. Kelley have gone to Florida to look after their lumber interests. They will also size up the orange groves, of which they are large owners.

Eugene S. Willard, son of Banker Willard, of New York, who is one of the owners of the yacht Vigilant, will spend Sunday with his friend, Laurens H. VanBuren, of Central avenue.

STARVING A HORSE TO DEATH.

An Officer of the S. P. C. A. Kills an Animal Owned by J. K. VanNest.

Complaint was made to William M. Pangborn, an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to animals, this morning, that a horse owned by "Count" J. K. VanNest, who now lies in a precarious condition as the result of a fight with a neighbor, was being starved to death. Mr. Pangborn went to VanNest's home this morning and found the horse laying in a field in a horribly emaciated condition, too weak to stand on his feet. The horse was immediately killed. No legal proceedings have yet been started against VanNest.

Special Church Music.

There will be special music by the choir of the First Baptist church tomorrow evening. The service will be appropriate to the Thanksgiving season, and will include solos by Miss Harris and Mrs. Ward, and suitable anthems by the chorus.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

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St. Joseph's (R. C.) Church—Rev. William H. Miller, pastor. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; evening devotions, 8.

St. Mary's (R. C.) Church—Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor. Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; evening devotions at 8. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Harry M. Simpson, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., will preach. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. H. J. Johnston, pastor—Preaching service, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "Christ's Prayer for Peter." Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m., subject, "The Benediction of Testimony and Thanksgiving."

Y. M. C. A. Bible training class and the Bible class for members of the physical department will be conducted at 9:15 a. m.

Y. M. C. A., 4:15 p. m.—F. H. Andrews will speak and Charles L. Lewis will sing.

Grace Church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector—Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; litany, Holy Communion and sermon 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3 p. m.; evening service at 7:45. Rev. Thos. A. Conover will preach at morning service. At the evening service, after Curate Appleton's sermon, Rev. Mr. Gibbons, missionary to the Esquimaux of Nova Scotia, will make a brief statement in regard to his work.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer, 4:30. The free stages have been discontinued, as the trolley cars run past the church every twelve minutes.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Chapel, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 3 p. m. Epworth League meeting at 7:15 p. m. The pastor's morning subject will be, "Pioneers of Christianity;" evening, "Something Not to Be Thankful For—the Saloon."

All Souls' Church, Park avenue, (Unitarian)—Dr. James M. Whiton, of The Outlook, will preach at 10:45 a. m. Sunday-school at 11:45 a. m.

Reform Hall—4:15 meeting will be led by L. H. Pangborn.

W. C. T. U. Rooms—Dr. A. E. Main, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, will conduct the 4 o'clock p. m. meeting, to which all are invited.

Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. C. R. Barnes, D. D., pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Conquering Element in Christianity;" evening, "How to Listen to God." Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Morning theme, "The Wonderful Visitor;" evening, "Saved Gratuitously." Ordinance of baptism at close of sermon

Corporation Notice!

The undersigned commissioners heretofore appointed by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield to make an estimate and assessment of damages that any owner or owners of land will sustain by the widening and laying out of Madison avenue from the Southeasterly side line of West Front street to the Northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey pursuant to the ordinance entitled "An ordinance to widen Madison avenue from the Southeasterly side line of West Front street to the Northwesterly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey," approved June 5th 1890, and also to ascertain the amount of damages that shall be assessed as aforesaid and of all necessary expenses incident to such widening and laying out, and to make a just and equitable assessment thereof among the owners, and occupants of the lands, tenements and real estate benefited thereby in proportion to the benefits each shall be deemed to acquire, said assessment to be made pursuant to the valid laws now in force in the State of New Jersey governing such assessments, any unconstitutional provisions of the City Charter to the contrary, notwithstanding the assessment heretofore made by said commissioners having been recommitted to them by resolution of the Common Council for further consideration in respect to the assessment for benefits and damages, hereby give notice that they have this day filed their report and assessment as amended in the office of the City Clerk, and that the same is open to inspection of the public and will be presented to the Common Council at the meeting of that body to be held at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the seventh day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-six at eight o'clock p. m. The streets or avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assessments are as follows: Madison avenue from West Front street to West Seventh street; both sides of West Front street; West Second street; West Third street; West Fourth street; West Fifth street; and West Sixth street; and the Northwesterly side of West Seventh street extending from Madison avenue Northeasterly and Southwesterly, respectively, to points not exceeding three hundred and seventy-three feet distant measured along said several streets from the centre line of Madison avenue.

The lands taken and the lands assessed are designated on the map accompanying said report and assessments as amended, and filed in the office of the City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., November 20, 1890.

EDWARD C. MULFORD,
WM. M. SANDFORD,
J. FRED MacDONALD,
Commissioners.

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Do you want Kid Gloves?
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and her company of clever artists will open a week's engagement commencing
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Advertised Letters.

Plainfield November 23d, 1896.

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Bird Miss Geneive	Kinney Miss E L
Carpenter Miss Maria	Long Geo
Clark Miss Mamie	McCarthy Margaret
Cole Miss Emma S.	Martin Miss E M
Davis Gertrude	Noonan J M
Dittler Albert	Peterson T M
Hayes Mrs Sarah J	Phelan N J
Haviland Henrietta	Richardson Geo E
How Hale J	Tonner Miss Annie
Thompson Miss Mary	

Trustee's Sale.

Public notice is hereby given that the subscriber will expose for sale on Friday, November 27, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the premises, 146 North avenue, Plainfield N. J., lately occupied by William J. Stephenson, caterer, all the goods and chatteis contained in said premises, consisting of a large amount of table cutlery, silver ware, china ware, table cloths, napkins, etc., tables, chairs, hat racks, show cases, ice cream forms, cake pans, machinery, 1 six horse steam engine, 1 ten horse boiler, belts, pulleys, 1 bay horse, 2 wagons harness, lot of tin ware, copper ware etc.

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100 Cards from plate, - - - - 1.00

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Of the Initiatory team of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M. In the Ulrich building, E. 2nd Street, near Park Avenue.
TONIGHT!
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Office 209 North avenue. All orders will receive prompt attention. Yard—At Mt. Pleasant, Lehigh Valley Railroad.
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—ready-to-wear—popular shades in whipcord, from $16 up.
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Our Custom Dept. has all fabrics suited to conventional livery service. Faultless fit guaranteed. Suits or Overcoats $35 up.
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NEWMAN'S STAGE LINE TIME TABLE
Between Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

Leave Plainfield..... { 7.00; 9.30; 12.45 a. m. / 4.00; 6.00; 9.00 p. m.
Sunday—9.00; 12.30 a. m., 3.00 6.00 p. m.

Leave Scotch Plains. { 6.20; 8.15; 10.30 a. m. / 2.00; 5.00; 7.00; 9.30 p. m.
Sunday—9.45 a. m., 2 00; 4.00, 7.00 p. m.

DEPOT—FRONT STREET AND PARK AVE.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Miss Grace Smith, of Somerville, is visiting Mrs. E. E. Brown.

E. H. TenEyck has returned home from a business trip through the west.

Mrs. John Peters and daughter have been spending a day or so with friends in Cranford.

Mrs. J. P. Benner and children have returned home from a visit with Mrs. E. E. Brown.

Miss Annie Doyle, of Cranford, has been spending a day or two with friends at the Park Hotel.

Rev. Mr. Glascock will preach at both the morning and evening service in the M. E. church tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gaskill, of Front street, are rejoicing. Its a girl and it was a Thanksgiving gift.

John Peters, A. Herlich and J. Kinney participated in the recent parade of the Uniform Rank, K. of P., at Brooklyn.

Fred Wilcox's football team defeated William Giles' team on the "big grounds" near the station Thursday by a score of 12 to 10.

Station Agent Charles English started a special train from here to Jersey City and return Thursday, bringing out a large number of passengers.

"Joe" Maier purchased a twenty pound turtle yesterday that was captured at Port Reading. The quadruped was be-headed and the carcas converted into soup today.

The members of the Washington Avenue Card Club met at the home of Miss Churchill, on Prospect avenue, last evening, and enjoyed an hour or two of unalloyed pleasure.

Rev. A. I. Martine will preach before the members of William G. Holton Council, in the Presbyterian church, tomorrow morning. All members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. are cordially invited to attend.

One bird, which eluded the eye of the many shooters at the shoot on Thanksgiving Day, got away and soared over the postoffice building for an hour or so. The bird, however, was finally shot by an outside shooter and captured.

Some of the Commissioners say there is absolutely no great hurry for the completion of the new hall. The Commissioners, it is said, are under contract, or at least have entered into an agreement to occupy their present quarters until April 1st next, but this will not interfere materially with the occupancy of the building as soon as it is ready.

In a secluded spot in a big elm tree near W. H. Cole's office, yesterday, several boys while playing in that vicinity espied a squirrels nest, and they soon came back with shot guns, flobart rifles and clubs. There was a fusillade for a few minutes until one of the little fellows climbed the tree and found that the squirrels had left for "pastures new."

Three misses said to be from Plainfield rode through here at a good speed yesterday afternoon and one of them struck the curve of the street railway just east of here and was thrown from her wheel. Fortunately, however, she was not injured, but those who witnessed the occurrence say that it was a very narrow escape from serious injury. They were racing.

Even if the winter is coming on and the weather is getting bad, the citizens cannot be stopped from going to Plainfield to do their shopping so long as the street cars run. According to a conservative estimate there were one hundred and twenty five people that went to Plainfield Thursday evening, and of this number probably one half attended the Music Hall performance.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.
We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financialy able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggist. Testimonials free.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

Fred Hope, of Somerville is spending a few days with friends here.

Miss Nellie Connolly, of Elizabeth, was a gust in town over Thanksgiving Day.

Drill engine 75 was brought into requisition Thursday afternoon to draw the Blue Line Flyer from here at 2:15 to New Pork. The engine on the Blue Line broke down here and another one had to be substituted.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Billy Lee and Bob Walpole were found hunting on leased grounds of the Plainfield Game Propogating Association near South Plainfield, yesterday, when President John Goff came upon the scene and stopped them. The association has gone to the time and expense of distributing game on this reserve, and the lessees are bound to see that the game laws are enforced.

George Lyons and a party of fishermen are planning a trip to the Passaic in search of bass, tomorrow.

WASHINGTONVILLE.

A number of relatives and friends spent Thanksgiving most enjoyably at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amada Wolfe, Washingtonville. Among the guests were J. Tillman, wife and family, A. Tillman, wife and family, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. Dickens, of New Brunswick; Mr. and Mrs. Medick and daughter, of Salem, N.Y.; A. B. Wolfe and Miss E. L. Wolfe, of Plainfield.

A. M. Runyon, of Madison avenue, is improving nicely from his severe illness. He is able to go about the house and take frequent rides.

TAKING NO CHANCES.

The Old Gentleman Had Been There Before and Was Foxy.

The old gentleman had been rather gruff when the young man entered and his manner had not been particularly inviting while the young man was shifting from one foot to another and preparing to state his business. He simply said, "Well?" in an inquiring tone when the young man announced that he had come to see him on a matter of vast importance, but there was a great change when the young man said, "Your daughter"—

"My what?" interrupted the old gentleman with sudden animation.

"Your daughter," repeated the young man, and then he added, as a horrible suspicion crossed his mind, "She is yours, isn't she?"

"Of course she's mine," retorted the old gentleman. "She hasn't fallen off her bicycle and hurt herself, has she?"

"Oh, no. She"—

"And she hasn't run over any children or eloped with the coachman, or —or"—

"Nothing of that sort at all," answered the young man, becoming a trifle more courageous. "You see, she sent me here to ask you"—

"She sent you!"

"Yes, she—well, of course it was my suggestion first—but she said to ask you"—

The old gentleman seemed to be fully alive to the situation now. He stopped the young man by a gesture, and then he got up and shut and locked the door.

"What's the matter?" asked the young man with some agitation. "Was any one listening?"

"Not that I know of, but I am taking no chances."

"Ah, from past experiences you are inclined to suspect"—

"Well, yes, I am, to be real frank with you," returned the old gentleman. "Now, go ahead."

"But I should think you could end it all by laying a trap," suggested the young man, ignoring the request of the elder to proceed.

"That's what I've done," was the reply. "Now, go on."

"Ah, servants are such"—

"Servants! Who said anything about servants?" roared the old gentleman. "The last fellow who came in here to ask me for Mary weakened before he got half through and bolted, and I don't propose to take any chances this time. Now, go ahead."

Of course, under the circumstances, there was little difficulty in reaching a conclusion that was satisfactory—temporarily, at least.—Chicago Post.

He Knew What He Was About.

Among the stories told to the deserved credit of such lawyers as have no scruples against distorting and concealing the truth in order to shield persons whom they know or have every reason to believe to be guilty the following is entitled to a good place:

An attorney had occasion to defend a man who was justly accused of counterfeiting paper money, and he manipulated the case with such skill that he secured the acquittal of the prisoner. When the lawyer and his client were alone together again, the counterfeiter overwhelmed the lawyer with thanks.

"And now"— said he, putting his hand in his pocket.

"And now," the lawyer took up the sentence, "I will have my fee, and I will take it in hard currency, not in bills, if you please."—Youth's Companion.

ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal.

—The Parks will bowl the Roselle team in this city next Monday evening.

—Councilman Moore is making some great improvements in his West End Park property.

—Leggett, the druggist, is making a specialty of malt extract, which is needed as a tonic at this time of the year.

—Mr. Maguire, a returned missionary, will speak at the meeting of the Christian Alliance next Thursday evening.

—Several amendments were made to the by-laws at the meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe, No. 118, I.O. R. M., held last evening.

—The management of "Caste" desires The Daily Press to say that there are a number of choice seats left for the production.

—Thanksgiving Eve Mrs. Otto Gunther, of Short Hills, gave a party to twenty-five of her friends. Games were played and cake and cream served.

—An amateur photographer named Roseubaum, who has spent several years in Liberia, is coming to Plainfield early in December to exhibit the set of views taken there. This stereopticon entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Camera Club. He has about 100 views.

—A reunion of those who attended the Boys' Summer Camp, which S. F. Dudley made so successful, was held at Montclair last evening. A number of young men from this city attended, among whom was Assistant Secretary Bristol, of the Y. M. C. A. The reunion will be continued tonight and tomorrow night.

—Rev. Mr. Kionka, pastor of St. Peter's German Lutheran church, who has been preaching in Westfield during the past four years in connection with his pastoral work in this city, will organize a German Lutheran church at the latter place next spring. There is already enough people of the above faith to establish a strong church, and Mr. Kionka's work is certainly to be commended.

His Fatal Venture.

One of them had a real football head of hair and wore a sweater, while the other wore a carnation in his buttonhole and could with difficulty see over his own collar. And the girl who sat immediately back of them on the grip heard what they were saying:

"You didn't seem to get on very well with that college girl at the dinner last night," said the youth in the sweater. "Did she want somebody else to take her in?"

"She seemed well enough pleased at first," said he of the collar gloomily.

"Then how did you happen to fall down?"

"Well, she said she despised people who pretend to be what they are not."

"And you agreed with her?"

"Well, I saw no reason to disagree with a girl whose father is worth $2,000,000 and who is good looking enough for a girl without a cent to her name."

"Good, old boy. What did she say then?"

"Said she was glad to meet one person who was willing to pass for what he really was and not affect to know more than he did. After that we got on like a house afire."

"That must have been before I caught sight of you."

"Perhaps it was. Then we got to talking about a book we had both read, and I made use of a French phrase which seemed to describe it better than anything else."

"And wasn't she pleased with that?"

"I guess so, but that was the end of it."

"Pshaw, you're off your base. How could that end it?"

"She said: 'Oh, you speak French, don't you? How nice!' and began to rattle it off like a steam engine."

"Well, but you"—

"I had said the only French phrase I knew."—Chicago Tribune.

The length of life may be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Ranbolph, 143 West Front street.

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Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front street.

AGAINST A STRONG TEAM

Y. M. C. A. BASKET BALL TEAM DEFEATED IN THEIR FIRST GAME.

But Considering All Things the Showing That They Made Against the Crack New York Men Was Very Creditable.

As far as the score went, the opening of the basket ball season for the team from the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. was rather discouraging, but when it is considered who their opponents were, the outlook is not bad. The team from the local Y. M. C. A. played their first match game of basket ball last evening with the second team of the Twenty-third Street Branch of the New York Y. M. C. A., and were defeated 54 to 6. Three members of the first team, which is one of the best in the country, played on the second team which accounts for the tremendous score.

At the start, the excellent team play of the New York boys did not show and the local team held its own for a few minutes, but the superior skill was soon evident and the score of the New Yorkers began to roll up rapidly. The local players found that all sorts of new tricks and tactics were being worked on them and several of the team lost their heads in the excitement. The first half ended with the score 30 to 6 in New York's favor.

The Plainfield boys took a brace in the second half and played with renewed energy. The full halves of twenty minutes were played and the Plainfield players were not used to the strain. They began to tire as the second half drew to a close and the New Yorkers had everything their own way. E. Moraller had to retire, on account of a cramp in his leg, and as there was no substitute ready, the captain of the other team generously put off one of his men. The visitors played a clean game and their team work and skill in throwing the goals was remarkable.

The teams lined up as follows:

Twenty-third St.		Plainfield.
Shields, capt.	right forward	Long
Wheeler	left forward	E. Moraller
Ettinger	centre	Egan, capt
Lung	right guard	Jessup
Deitrich	left guard	M. Moraller

Score—Twenty-third St., 54; Plainfield, 6. Goals from the field—first half, Shields, 11, Wheeler, 2, Ettinger, 1, Lung, 1, Egan, 2, Long, 1; second half, Shields, 5, Wheeler, 5, Lung, 2. Goals on fouls—0. Fouls—E. Moraller, 1, M. Moraller, 1. Referee—Charles B. Morse, of Plainfield. Umpires—S. Frank and W. H. Reed, Jr., of New York. Timekeeper—George P. Smith, of Plainfield.

Soothing, and not irritating, strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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59 Somerset st., Plainfield, N. J.
Calls promptly attended to day or night. White and black hearses. Coaches latest style.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOST—The gentleman in smoking car of midnight train, Friday, who by mistake took package off seat, will kindly leave same at the Daily Press office and receive reward. 11 28 3

ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA—Ninth edition, 25 volumes, complete, new; will sell for a very low price. L. S. G., care Press.

FOR RENT—First class flat, also offices, central and convenient. Apply 612 Park avenue.

WANTED—A good salesman to sell our lub'g oils and greases from samples. A local or traveling man. Liberal commissions. Address The Howard Oil & Grease Co., Cleveland Ohio.

FOR SALE—Printing press, also type; little used. Address Press, care Press. 11 29 tf

FURNISHED room to rent, heated, without board; West Fifth street, near Park avenue, private family. Address A. B., care Press. 11 27 2

FOR EXCHANGE—Centrally located residence on large lot in Westfield, value $4500, no encumbrances; want small Plainfield house of about equal value. Address Mr. L. H., care Press. 11 24 5

FOR SALE—Small farm of 20 acres, about one mile from city limits, new, well built and attractive house, good fruit, etc Price low, terms easy. As part payment, might take small house in Plainfield. Address Alton, care Press. 11 24 5

TO LET—Elegant 6 room apartments, Jackson building, steam heat, janitor service, halls carpeted, heated and lighted. Rent reasonable, particulars at Packer's furniture store. 11 23-tf

ROOMS—With board at 217 West Second street. 11-10-1m

FIRST CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 23 Somerset place. 11-10-1y

LOANS negotiated. E. C. Mulford, Broker 7 2 tf

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" " 2	98c	1.50
" " 3	$1.10	1.50
" " 4	1.19	1.75
" " 5	1.29	2.00
" " 6	1.39	2.25
" " 7	1.49	2.25

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not concern you?"

"Miss Brewster, it does concern me—it concerns my father, and that concerns me. I am, in a measure, my father's private secretary, and am intimately acquainted with all the business he has in hand. This particular business is his affair, and therefore mine. That is the reason I am here."

"Are you sure?"

"Am I sure of what?"

"Are you sure that what you say is true?"

"I am not in the habit of speaking anything but the truth."

"Perhaps you flatter yourself in that case, but it does not deceive me. You merely come here because Mr. Kenyon is in a muddle about what I am going to do. Isn't that the reason?"

Miss Longworth saw that her task was going to be even harder than she had expected.

"Suppose we let all question of motive rest? I have come here—I have asked your permission to speak on this subject, and you have given me the permission. Having done so, it seems to me you should hear me out. You say that I should not be offended—"

"I didn't say so. I do not care a rap whether you are offended or not."

"You at least said I might hear something that would not be pleasant. What I wanted to say is this: I have taken the risk of that, and, as you remark, whether I am offended or not does not matter. Now we will come to the point—"

"Just before you come to the point, please let me know if Mr. Kenyon told you he had spoken to me on this subject already?"

"Yes, he told me so."

"Did he tell you that his friend Wentworth had also had a conversation with me about it?"

"Yes, he told me that also."

"Very well, then, if those two men can do nothing to change my purpose, how do you expect to do it?"

"That is what I am about to tell you. This is a commercial world, and I am a commercial man's daughter. I recognize the fact that you are going to cable this information for the money it brings. Is not that the case?"

"It is partly the case."

"For what other consideration do you work, then?"

"For the consideration of being known as one of the best newspaper women in the city of New York. That is the other consideration."

"I understood you were already known as the most noted newspaper woman in New York."

This remark was much more diplomatic than Miss Longworth herself suspected.

Jennie Brewster looked rather pleased, then she said:

"Oh, I don't know about that, but I intend it shall be so before a year is past."

"Very well, you have plenty of time to accomplish your object without using the information you have obtained on board this ship. Now, as I was saying, the New York Argus pays you a certain amount for doing this work. If you will promise not to send the report over to that paper, I will give you a check for double the sum the Argus will pay you, besides refunding all your expenses twice over."

"In other words, you ask me to be bribed and refuse to perform my duty to the paper?"

"It isn't bribery. I merely pay you, or will pay you, double what you will receive from that paper. I presume your connection with the paper is purely commercial. You work for it because you receive a certain amount of money; if the editor found some one who would do the same work cheaper, he would at once employ that person, and your services would be no longer required. Is that not true?"

"Yes, it is true."

"Very well, then, the question of duty hardly enters into such a compact. They have sent you on what would be to most people a very difficult mission. You have succeeded. You have, therefore, in your possession something to sell. The New York paper will pay you a certain sum in cash for it. I offer you, for the same article, double the price the New York Argus will pay you. Is that not a fair offer?"

Jennie Brewster had arisen. She clasped and unclasped her hands nervously. For a small space of time nothing was said, and Edith Longworth imagined she had gained her point. The woman standing looked down at the woman sitting.

"Do you know all the particulars about the attempt to get this information?" asked Miss Brewster.

"I know some of them. What particulars do you mean?"

"Do you know that a man from the Argus tried to get this information from Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Wentworth in Canada?"

"Yes; I know about that."

"Do you know that he stole the reports, and that they were taken from him before he could use them?"

"Yes."

"Do you know he offered Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Wentwort' double the price the London syndicate would have paid them, on condition they gave him a synopsis of the reports?"

"Yes, I know that also."

"Very well, then. Now you ask me to do very much more than Rivers asked them; because you ask me to keep my paper completely in the dark about the information I have got. Isn't that so?"

"Yes, you can keep them in the dark until after the report has been given to the directors; then, of course, you can do what you please with the information."

"Ah, by that time it will be of no value. By that time it will be published in the London financial papers. At that time everybody can get it. Isn't that the case?"

"I suppose so."

"Now, I want to ask you one other question, Miss—Miss—I don't think you told me your name."

"My name is Edith Longworth."

"Very well, Miss Longworth. I want to ask you one more question. What do you think of the conduct of Mr. Kenyon and Mr. Wentworth in refusing to take double what they had been promised for making the report?"

"What do I think of them?" repeated the girl.

"Yes, what do you think of them? You hesitate. You realize that you are in a corner. You think Mr. Wentworth and Mr. Kenyon did very nobly in refusing Rivers' offer?"

"Certainly I do."

"So do I. I think they acted rightly, and did as any honorable men should do. Now, when you think that, Miss Longworth, how dare you come and offer me double, or three times, or four times, the amount my paper gives to me for getting this information? Do you think that I am any less honorable than Kenyon and Wentworth? Your offer is an insult to me—nobody but a woman, and a woman of your class, would have made it. You come here to bribe me. You come here to do exactly the same thing that J. K. Rivers tried to do for the Argus in Canada. You think money will purchase anything, that is the thought of your class. Now, I want you to understand that I am a woman of the people. I was born and brought up in poverty in New York. You were born and brought up, amid luxury, in London. I have suffered privations and hardships that you know nothing of, and, even if you read about them, you wouldn't understand. You, with the impudence of your class, think you can come to me and bribe me to betray my employer. I am here to do a certain thing, and I am going to do that certain thing in spite of all the money that all the Longworths ever possessed, or ever will possess. Do I make myself sufficiently plain?"

"Certainly, Miss Brewster. I don't think anyone could misunderstand you."

"Well, I am glad of that, because one can never tell how thickheaded some people may be."

"Do you think there is any parallel between your case and Mr. Wentworth's?"

"Of course I do. We are each sent to do a certain piece of work. We have both been offered a bribe to cheat our employers of the fruits of our labor; only in my case it is very much worse than in Wentworth's, because his employers would not have suffered, while mine will."

"This is all very plausible, Miss Brewster, but now allow me to tell you that what you have done is a most dishonorable thing, and that you are a disgrace to our common womanhood. You have managed, during a very short acquaintance, to win the confidence of a man—there is a class of woman who know how to do that—I thank Heaven I am not of that class; I prefer to belong to the class you have just now been reviling. Some men have an inherent respect for all women; Mr. Wentworth is apparently one of those, and, while he was on his guard with a man, he was not on his guard with a woman. You took advantage of that, and you managed to secure certain information which you knew he would never have given you if he had thought it was to be published. You stole that information just as disreputably as that man stole the documents from Mr. Kenyon's pocket. You talk of your honor and your truth when you did such a contemptible thing! You prate of unbribeableness, when the only method possible is adopted of making you do what is right and just and honest! Your conduct makes me ashamed of being a woman. A thoroughly bad woman I can understand, but not a woman like you, who trade on the fact that you are a woman, and that you are pretty, and that you have a pleasing manner. You use those qualities as a thief or a counterfeiter would use the peculiar talents God had given him. How dare you pretend for a moment that your case is similar to Mr. Wentworth's? Mr. Wentworth is an honorable man, engaged in an honorable business; as for you and your business, I have no words to express my contempt for both. Picking pockets is reputable compared with such work."

Edith Longworth was now standing up, her face flushed and her hands clenched. She spoke with a vehemence which she very much regretted when she thought of the circumstance afterwards; but the chagrin and disappointment at failure, where she had a moment before been sure of success, overcame her. Her opponent stood before her, angry and pale. At first Edith Longworth thought she was going to strike her, but if any such idea passed through the brain of the newspaper woman she thought better of it. For a few moments neither spoke, then Jennie Brewster said, in a voice of unnatural calmness:

"You are quite welcome to your opinion of me, Miss Longworth, and I presume I am entitled to my opinion of Kenyon and Wentworth. They are two fools, and you are a third in thinking you can control the actions of a woman where two young men have failed. Do you think for a moment I would grant to you, a woman of a class I hate, what I would not grant to a young man like Wentworth? They say there is no fool like an old fool, but it should be said that there is no fool like a young woman who has had everything her own way in this world. You are—"

"I will not stay and listen to your abuse. I wish to have nothing more to do with you."

"Oh, yes, you will stay!" cried the other, placing her back against the door. "You came here at your own pleasure; you will leave at mine. I will tell you more truth in five minutes than you ever heard in your life before. I will tell you, in the first place, that my business is quite as honorable as Kenyon's or Wentworth's. What does Kenyon do but try to get information about mines which other people are vitally interested in keeping from him? What does Wentworth do but ferret about among accountants like a detective, trying to find out what other people are endeavoring to conceal? What is the whole mining business but one vast swindle, whose worst enemy is the press? No wonder anyone connected with mining fears publicity. If your father has made a million out of mines he has made it simply by swindling unfortunate victims. I do my business my way, and your two friends do theirs in their way. Of the two, I consider my vocation much the more honorable. Now that you have heard what I have to say, you may go, and let me tell you that I never wish to see you or speak with you again."

"Thank you for your permission to go. I am sure that I cordially echo your wish that we may never meet again. I may say, however, that I am sorry I spoke to you in the way I did. It is, of course, impossible for you to look upon the matter from my point of view, just as it is impossible for me to look upon it from yours. Nevertheless, I wish you would forget what I said, and think over the matter a little more, and if you see your way to accepting my offer it will always be open to you. If you will forego the sending of that cablegram I will willingly pay you three times what the New York Argus will give you for it. I do not offer that as a bribe; I merely offer it so that you will not suffer from doing what I believe to be a just action. It seems to me a great pity that two young men should have to endure a serious check to their business advancement because one of them was foolish enough to confide in a woman in whom he believed."

Edith Longworth was young, and, of course, could not be expected to be a mistress of diplomacy, but she might have known the last sentence she uttered spoiled the effect of all that had gone before.

"Really, Miss Longworth, I had some little admiration for you when you blazed out at me in the way you did; but now, when you coolly repeat your offer of a bribe, adding one-third to it, all my respect for you vanishes. You may go and tell those who sent you that nothing under Heaven can prevent that cablegram being sent."

In saying this, however, Miss Brewster somewhat exceeded her knowledge. Few of us can foretell what may not happen under Heaven.

CHAPTER VIII.

Edith Longworth went to her stateroom and there had what women call a good cry over her failure. Jennie Brewster continued her writing, every now and then pausing as she thought, with regret, of some sharp thing she might have said, which did not occur to her at the time of the interview. Kenyon spent his time in pacing up and down the deck, hoping for the reappearance of Miss Longworth, an expectation which, for a time, at least, was the hope deferred which maketh the heart sick. Fleming, the New York politician, kept the smoking-room merry listening to the stories he told. He varied the proceedings by frequently asking everybody to drink with him, an invitation that met with no general refusal. Old Mr. Longworth dozed most of his time in his steamer chair. Wentworth, who still bitterly accused himself of having been a fool, talked with no one, not even his friend Kenyon. All the time the great steamer kept forging along through the reasonably calm water just as if nothing had happened or was going to happen. There had been one day of rain and one night and part of a day of storm. Saturday morning broke, and it was expected that some time in the night Queenstown would be reached. Early on Saturday morning the clouds looked lowering, as they have a right to look near Ireland.

Wentworth, the cause of all the worry, gave Kenyon very little assistance in the matter that troubled his mind. He was in the habit, when the subject was referred to, of thrusting his hands into his hair, or plunging them down into his pockets, and breaking out into language which was as deplorable as it was expressive. The more Kenyon advised him to be calm, the less Wentworth followed his advice. As a general thing, he spent most of his time alone in a very gloomy state of mind. On one occasion when the genial Fleming slapped him on the shoulder, Wentworth, to his great astonishment, turned fiercely round and cried:

"If you do that again, sir, I'll knock you down."

Fleming said afterwards that he was "completely flabbergasted" by this, whatever that may mean, and he added that the English in general were a queer race.

It is true that he gathered himself together at the time, and, having laughed a little over the remark, said to Wentworth:

"And had what women call a good cry."

"Come and have a drink; then you'll feel better."

This invitation Wentworth did not even take the trouble to decline, but thrust his hands in his pockets once more, and turned his back on the popular New York politician.

Wentworth summed up the whole matter to John Kenyon when he said: "There is no use in our talking or thinking any more about it. We can simply do nothing. I shall take the whole blame on my shoulders. I am resolved that you shall not suffer from my indiscretion. Now, don't talk to me any more about it. I want to forget the wretched business, if possible." So, thus it came about quite naturally that John Kenyon, who was a good deal troubled about the matter, took as his confidante Edith Longworth, who also betrayed the greatest interest in the problem. Miss Longworth was left all the more alone because her cousin had taken permanently to the smoking-room. Some one had introduced him to the fascinating game of poker, and in the practice of this peculiar amusement Mr. William Longworth was now spending a good deal of his surplus cash as well as his time.

Jennie Brewster was seldom seen on deck. She applied herself assiduously to the writing of that brilliant series of articles which have since appeared in the Sunday edition of the New York Argus under the general title of "Life at Sea," and which were recently issued in book form.

As everybody is already aware, her sketches of the genial New York politician and also of the taciturn Englishman are considered the finest things in the little volume. They have been largely copied as typical examples of American humor. When Jennie Brewster did appear on deck, she walked alone up and down the promenade with a sort of half-defiant look in her eye as she passed Kenyon or Miss Longworth, and she generally passed them together.

On this particularly eventful Saturday morning Kenyon and Miss Longworth had the deck to themselves. The conversation naturally turned to the subject which had occupied the minds of both for the few last days.

"Do you know," said Miss Longworth, "I have been thinking all along that she would come to me at the last for the money."

"I am not at all sure about that," answered Kenyon.

"I thought she would probably keep us on the tenter-hooks just as long as possible, and then at the last moment come and say she would accept the offer."

"If she does," said Kenyon, "I would not trust her. I would give her to understand that a check would be handed to her when we were certain the article had not been used."

"Do you think that would be the safe way to act if she came and said she would take the money for not sending the cablegram? Don't you think it would be better to pay her and trust to her honor?"

Kenyon laughed somewhat sarcastically. "I do not think I would trust much to her honor."

"Now, do you know, I have a different opinion of her. I feel sure that if she said she would do a thing, she would do it."

"I have no such faith," answered Kenyon. "I think, on the contrary, that she is quite capable of such an action as asking you for the money and still sending her telegram."

"Well, I doubt if she would do so. I think the girl really believes she is acting rightly, and imagines she has done a very creditable action in a very clever way. If she were not what she calls 'honest,' she would not have shown as much temper as she did—not but that I gave a deplorable exhibition of temper myself for which there was really no excuse."

"I am sure," said Kenyon, warmly, "you did nothing of the kind. At all events, I am certain everything you did was perfectly right; and I know you were completely justified in anything you said."

"I wish I could think so."

"I want to ask you one question," said Kenyon. But what that question was will never be known. It was never asked; and when Edith Longworth inquired about it, some time later, the question had entirely gone from Kenyon's mind. The steamship, which was plowing along through the waters, suddenly gave a shiver, as if it were shaken by an earthquake; there were three tremendous bumps, such as a sled might make by going suddenly over logs concealed in the snow. Both Kenyon and Miss Longworth sprang to their feet. There was a low roar of steam, and they saw a cloud rise up amidships, apparently pouring out of every aperture through which it could escape.

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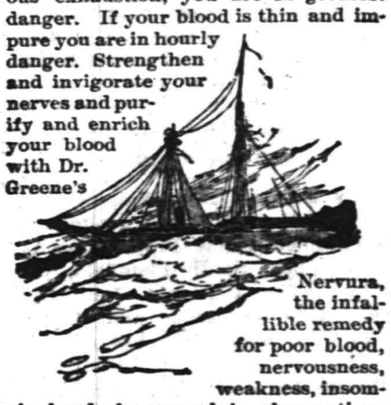

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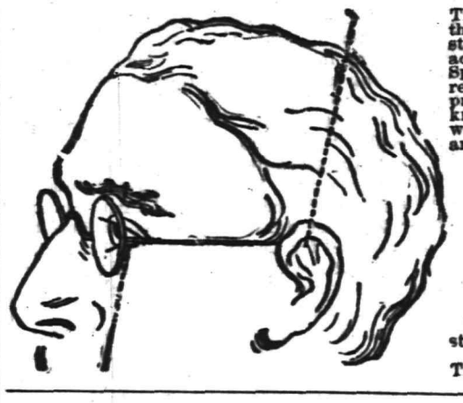

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 08, 3 43, 5 14, 6 36, 10 35, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 12, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 21, 4 35, 5 29, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 05, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 51, 8 10, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m., 12 46, 3 11, 4 35, 5 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m Sunday at 5 45, 9 38, a m; 2 08, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 23, 4 04, 7 00, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 52 a m; 6 30, 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 03, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 18 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.,

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 35 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin, (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

9 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 20 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 25 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield at 3 27, 8 13, 10 27, a. m. 1 15, 3 53, 5 32, 5 54, p. m. Sunday, (except Ocean Grove) 9 53 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 27, 5 32, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 3 53, 5 32, 5 54, 7 03, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 27 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 27, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 3, 5 32 p. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 3 17, 3 32* 5 34*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night, Sundays—5 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 3 32, 4 55, 5 34* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m. 12 46, 3 17, 3 32*, 5 34*, 6 32*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 3 25, 4 55, 5 14*, p. m. 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 8 44, 10 44 a. m., 3 17, 5 34*, p. m., 1 17. Sundays, 10 44 a. m., 5 14*, p. m., 1 17 night.

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The Fourth Tuesday in November,

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SWEPT BY BLIZZARD

The Northwest Still in the Throes of a Fierce Storm.

TRAINS LATE; BUSINESS SUSPENDED

The Mercury Below Zero at Points in Minnesota and the Dakotas---Snow Fifteen Feet Deep---A Train Load of Cattle Frozen To Death.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 28.—The storm which has been raging throughout the northwest for the past 60 hours is the greatest that has visited this section since the blizzard of Jan. 12, 1888, in which 107 lives were lost. No lives are reported lost in this storm, but there is a complete blockade of traffic in northern Minnesota, North Dakota and portions of South Dakota. It is four degrees below zero here, with a terrific north wind blowing. At Moorehead, Minn., the blizzard has been on for 48 hours and there is no prospect of abatement. Traffic in the streets and all business is suspended. Nearly all passenger and freight trains are snowed in. Northbound passenger train on the Great Northern railroad reached Moorehead an hour late. It was stalled in the big drift right at the depot and had to be dug out. It took four powerful engines to take the four passenger coaches across the river to Fargo. The snow in some places is five feet deep. Grafton, N. D., reports the worst storm that has ever visited that section, and it is driving the blinding snow at a terrific rate across the prairies. A train-load of cattle is reported stuck in a drift near Church's ferry and frozen to death. Argyle, Minn., reports drifts in the streets there as high as the buildings alongside. Mail and freight trains are tied up. The storm shows no signs of abating. The mercury at Fergus Falls, Minn., is at zero, and business is suspended.

Cold Weather in Oregon.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 28.—The weather throughout Oregon is very cold, the thermometer registering 10 degrees above zero, which is colder than it has been in Portland at this season for twenty-four years. At Komola, in the Blue mountains, the thermometer registers 15 below zero.

Blizzard in Texas.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 28.—The first blizzard of the season swept down on north Texas yesterday. The mercury fell close to the freezing point and sleet fell early. The weather at this time is clear.

HAMBURG DOCK STRIKE.

New Men Being Secured and a Scene of Activity Is Presented To-day.

Hamburg, Nov. 28.—The docks and harbor presents a more active appearance to-day, owing to the fact that more work is being performed than has been done since the strike began. There have been many arrivals of men from different places to fill the vacancies caused by strikers deserting their employment, and seekers after work continue to arrive. A meeting of the Dock Trades' union was held at Altona last night. It was decided to protest to the senate of Hamburg against the expulsion of Tom Mann, the English labor agitator, who was arrested as he was seeking to enter Hamburg territory and placed on board a steamer bound for England.

MAY BE A GENERAL STRIKE.

English Dock Laborers Considering the Question of Aiding Hamburg Men.

London, Nov. 28.—Mr. Cathery, secretary of the Dock Laborers' union, stated in an interview that the organization of the dock laborers in Europe was progressing satisfactorily. A vote was being taken on the question of a general strike. Ballot papers from the various unions of England and the continent were coming in. If it was found that three-quarters of the ballots were in favor of a general strike one would be ordered. He said that probably a large majority of the dock laborers favored a strike, but they were going slow. The union had every confidence in Mr. McHugh. The officials of the union here believed that the dock laborers in New York were sufficiently organized to prevent the discharge of vessels from Europe which had been loaded by blacklegs.

Dock Laborers Beat off Non-Unionists.

London, Nov. 28.—The party of laborers who had pledged themselves to go to Hamburg and take the places of the strikers were assailed by a large crowd of union men at the Albert docks yesterday afternoon, where they went to take the steamer for Hamburg. A serious fight ensued, billets of wood being the weapons, and the non-unionists, who were greatly outnumbered, were finally compelled to retreat. They took a train for Tilbury, from which place they will sail this afternoon for Hamburg.

New York Longshoremen Not Interested.

New York, Nov. 28.—Delegate McHugh of the International Riverside and Dock Laborers' union of London said to-day that he had nothing to do with the dock strike in Hamburg, and that the longshoremen here would not be called upon to aid those strikers in any manner. He himself was opposed to strikes.

Bremen Company Offers To Compromise.

Bremen, Nov. 28.—The Warehouse company has offered to compromise with its striking employes.

Prince of Savoy Sails for Halifax.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The Italian cruiser Cristoforo Colombo left her anchorage here last evening for Halifax, N. S. Prince Luigi of Savoy returned from Philadelphia and joined the vessel before she sailed. From Halifax the Colombo proceeds to the Azores.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 7:02 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:35 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:35 p. m.

PUNTS AND PASSES.

The Alis second team had their pictures taken yesterday.

The Hunter football team will meet the Bound Brook team this afternoon on the gridiron.

William Bannard, the famous halfback of the Princeton 'varsity eleven, is visiting in town.

The Junior Norwood Athletic Club defeated a North Plainfield team at football yesterday morning by a score of 4 to 0.

CYCLING COMMENT.

Miss Emma Schoonmaker, of Madison avenue, gave a bicycle picnic yesterday. The party consisted of eight and went for an all day's jaunt.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	3	1
Elizabeth A. C.	3	3
Westfield	2	2
Roselle Casino	2	2
Cranford Country Club	2	2
New Jersey A. C.	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	1	3

Hurt Playing Football.

Roy T. Phillips, of Madison avenue, badly sprained his knee while practicing foot-ball yesterday afternoon on the Summit avenue grounds. He expected to play halfback on the Hunter team in a match with a team from Elizabeth but the latter did not show up. Phillips was captain and full back on the famous Alis team and acted as substitute and on the Y. M. C. A. eleven. He was carried to the residence of Dr. Hedges and then taken home. He will be confined to the house for several weeks.

Hackmen in Court.

The runaway and hackmen's squabble that has been before the city court for some time was settled this morning. Max Newman was found not guilty and John Kennedy was fined $8. The charge was for being drunk and disorderly and leaving their horses' heads.

Henry Pugh, formerly of Plainfield, but now of New York, spent yesterday in town.

John Leggett, of East Hampton, L. I., father of Druggist Leggett, was a visitor in Plainfield today.

Mrs. Rushton, of La Grande avenue, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is still in a precarious condition.

—Steel rod umbrellas are very popular this season. Crane & Clark have a fine gloria silk, with up to date handles, at 85c.

—Some unusually pretty Christmas novelties are already being displayed at Edsall's, which is only the forerunner of a more elaborate exhibition in a few days.

—When no doubt of where to buy your wall paper go to Edward Love's, the New Jersey wall paper jobber. He is offering as a special for next week ingrains at 10 cents.

—It was John Kennedy who found the pocketbook of Mrs. Rafferty, of Willow avenue, in his hack and returned it to the owner and was rewarded for his honesty.

The story of "Jack and the Beanstalk," a new extravaganza at the Casino, in New York, has been snatched from various nursery tales and verses. King Cole is saved from the Forty Thieves by Jack Hubbard, a son of Old Mother Hubbard, who wants to marry Cole's daughter, Mary. The King refuses and Jack, accompanied by Sinbad, climbs the magic Beanstalk and seeks his fortune. He eventually finds it and incidentally a family tree, and marries the King's daughter and all ends happily. It has been a very long time since New York theatre goers have seen such a piece put on the stage so gorgeously. One fine example of scenic art succeeds another all through the evening. It is lively and ingenious, occasionally humorous, almost constantly admirable as a spectacle, and commendably free from even the suspicion of real impropriety. Every joke, scenic, mechanical, musical or verbal is in the right place.

Notice of Assignment.

Notice is hereby given that John V. Berkaw of the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, carrying on business of shoe dealer, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors, and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath of affirmation to the subscriber at his office No. 125 West Front street, Plainfield N. J., on or before the 24th day of February, being three months from this date, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the estate; and the said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against the said John V. Berkaw will be filed with the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of the said three months when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

Dated Nov. 24, 1890.

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The tired, worn out sufferer who is not advancing towards health, is falling back. There is no standstill in bad health. One can endure a headache or a backache once; one can endure it twice, but the repeated sick headache and the constant pain in the back and in the region of the heart must be got rid of. For the permanent and positive cure of these unhealthy states of the body as evinced by repeated attacks of rheumatism, neuralgia, sleeplessness, or kidney trouble, there is nothing to be compared for a moment with the great discovery of Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., L L. D., of Dartsmouth medical school—Paine's celery compound.

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"Before commencing the use of Paine's celery compound I was treated by many doctors, and tried many remedies, but did not get any better. I seemed to be all broken down. I was tired all the time, and my constitution seemed to be giving out. I weighed only 115 pounds last fall when I commenced using Paine's celery compound. In less than two months I weighed 124 pounds, an unusual weight for me. I have had better health ever since, and have felt better this summer than I have for years.

"My little daughter was away from home on a visit, and came home looking as if she had had a hard sickness, I went right away and got her a bottle of Paine's celery compound, and she has had better health since than she ever had in her life, eats hearty and is growing fast."

There is no woman, who, in justice to herself, can fail to take Paine's celery compound under similar circumstances.

Another Cyclomaniac.

"I am not a stickler for any ridiculous dignity on the part of a physician," said the solemn looking man, "and I think he has as much right to ride a wheel as any one else. But when he gets the mania so bad that he takes to calling his instrument case his 'repair kit,' as mine did, I think it is time to hunt up a more conservative man."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Criticism.

"Was the joint debate interesting?"

"Well," replied the man with the red necktie and diamond pin, "it promised to be at one time. But it was de same old story. Dey jes' took turns standin off an darin one another, an neither one o' dem had de nerve ter start in fer a clinch an mix things up fer sure."—Washington Star.

Not Hereditary.

Wayworn Watson—Wot was your daddy's trade?

Perry Patettic—He was a seafarin man—skipper of a schooner.

Wayworn Watson—I take notice it don't run in the family. Nobody never seen you skip a schooner, did they?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

His Inheritance.

Jaspar—Trebullets has inherited a wonderful collection of art works and bric-a-brac.

Jumpuppe—From an ancestor who was a connoisseur, I presume.

Jaspar—Not exactly. From an uncle who was a pawnbroker.—Truth.

He Knew Her.

She was thinking of motto buttons, but she didn't so specify.

"I wish you would bring me home some buttons," was all she said.

"What's the use?" he replied. "You wouldn't sew them on."—Chicago Post.

Misdirected Energy.

"Hopkins, what feature of this campaign has impressed you most?"

"The fact that so many men stand on the street corners talking politics when they ought to be at home taking a bath."—Chicago Record.

Physiognomical.

"They say that large ears are a sign of generosity."

"I guess it's so," admitted Mr. Coinsqueeze. "They would seem to indicate some sort of asininity."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Made In Germany.

"Yes," continued the manager of the wild west show modestly, "that is quite a warwhoop. Our solo Indians were all educated in Germany, you know?"—Detroit Tribune.

Not So Bad After All.

Agent—Hurt yourself much?

Scorcher—Oh, no, got off pretty easy. Eye discolored, wrist fractured, kneecap dislocated, ribs jumbled up a bit and wonderfully clean cut on the scalp.

Agent—Humph! Lucky dog!—Pick Me Up.

Its Final Phase.

"You seem sad and distrait," said the bride.

"Do I?" asked the groom, averting his gaze.

"You don't love me any less?" she hazarded caressingly.

"No, indeed," he asserted positively. "A thousand times no."

"Then, what is it?" she asked.

There was a long pause. Finally, with a deep sigh, he registered the eleven thousand three hundred and forty-seventh kiss and spoke:

"When we started on this bridal trip," he said, "I had in my pocket just $365. Today I have been over our financial accounts and find that we have expended $364.75."

The bride wrinkled her brow and began making mental calculations with her fingers.

"Which means," he went on sadly, "that our honeymoon"—

She stopped the digital reckoning to give him her full attention.

"—is on its last quarter."—New York Evening Journal.

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131 Hillside avenue.

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Four houses, one on the corner of Liberty and West Second streets and the three adjoining on West Second street, can be sold separately but would prefer to sell in bulk; one third can remain on bond and mortgage; an offer desired. Inquire of Mrs. S. A. DIETRICH. 58 Grove street, North Plainfield N. J. 11 17 1m

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Physician's help in curing all chronic diseases, equalizes the circulation, cleanes and purifies the blood, cures colds, influenza, rheumatism, nervous and general debility, palsy, salt rheum, all skin diseases, massage and electricity. MISS M. V. STICKLE.
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The Beginning of a Revival!

This will be the suhject of a lecture by Mr.

Joseph Pellatt,

THE EVANGELIST.

at the Room 314 W. Second street, at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon. Gospel Revival Services at 8 o'clock in the evening. All cordially invited.

CASINO!

Robertson's Celebrated Comedy of

Thursday Evening, Dec. 3d. Caste.

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ALL SEATS RESERVED.

Tickets will be on sale at Armstrong's (Reynold's) Drug store, Monday, Nov. 23d, 8 a. m.
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Will not be complete unless you have your Turkey well cooked. Sheet Iron Drip Pans, Granite Drip Pans. Double Roasters, Carving Knives and Forks at Bottom Prices.

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SEWER NOTICE

In compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act to provide for Drainage and Sewerage in Cities of this State," approved April 7th, 1890, the following statement is made:

No new contracts have been entered into during the last twelve months, and all the work then under contract, upon the sewers and disposal beds have been finished, and the sewerage system, consisting of 23.65 miles of sewers, together with the disposal area, is now in operation.

The whole cost of the sewers and disposal beds, as per declaration to the commissioners, of assessments, was $160,627.79, not including house connectiones; $70,500 of sewer notes have been issued during the last twelve months, making a total issue to date, of $156,500 on account of the cost. The commissioners of assessment have not yet made their report to the common council.

Plainfield, November 28, 1890.

JOHN JOHNSON, Collector.

HOME BUILDING AND LOAN Association.

ORGANIZED APRIL, 1888.

Meets at Republican Headquarters, room No. 12, East Front street, on the third Monday of each month for payment of dues and interest. New series opened in April and October of each year.

Monthly dues are $1 per share. Shares $200 each. Entrance fee 25 cents per share.

Members are entitled to borrow the face value of their shares on approved real estate security.

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BIG SPECIAL SALE AT THE NEW 5 AND 10 CENT STORE, 224 W. FRONT ST. NEAR POST OFFICE. FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY.

50c on the $1.

That's Just What it is.

And you can depend on it too.

We have just purchased and put on sale a "Closing Out" lot of

Extra Fine Kid Gloves

from a factory in Gloversville at 50 cents on the dollar, and will sell them as long as they last in the same way, that is, at **49c** the pair. You will be in luck if you get a pair of them. Don't wait too long. They will go quick.

WRAPPERS.

Ladies' Fancy Eiderdown Wrappers in pretty blues, pink, green and brown, made with watteau back and loose front, large bishop sleeves and sailor colar, trimmed with insertion and ribbon. Our New Method Price, **$3.40.** Ladies' Red Flannelette Wrappers, with loose front and watteau back and large full sleeves. Our New Method Price, **1.69.** Ladies' Black and White Flannelette Wrappers, made with watteau back and loose front, large sleeves. Our New Method Price, **$1.83.** Ladies' Working Wrappers in dark percales and calicos, nicely made, **79.** We have a nice assortment of Ladies' Coats, but want of space forbids mention here. Come in and see them. We sell them cheaper than any other house.

Boys' Watches Free.

Boys, we certainly have a great "Snap" for you in our enlarged Boys' Department, where you will find the newest, nobbiest and cheapest Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, etc., and a Genuine Fine Watch Free with a purchase of $5 or over in the department, including Clothing and Underwear and Furnishings. Our new "CORNING" Watch, a reliable timepiece, stem winder, patent lever movement, dust proof, nickel case, 18 line-watch. Beats anything ever placed on the market. Retail price is $1.75. Boys, you want to be wide-awake and get one of these fine watches. They are not a clock. We sell Knee Pants from 21c and up. Full Suits from 79c and up.

In the Housefurnishing, China and Crockery Department.

We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

The Big Sale is Still On

and the way we have sold Laces the last week, the people must think "they are all right." You are especially invited to come in and see our Elegant New Goods of all kinds. Don't fail to visit our Big Basement. It's just brimfull of new and pretty things; awfully cheap too You know we are selling Fine New attractive goods cheaper than any other house, and it will pay you well to trade at

-EDSALL'S!-

Ladies' Calf Skin Heavey Sole WALKING BOOTS, $3

Per Pair. Button and lace; Goodyear welts; dressy and serviceable. Just the shoe for Ladies' who dislike Rubbers.

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WOOL SWEATERS, with Sailor Collar, $1 to $3.50.
BUCK GLOVES, 50c. per Pair to $2.
HEAVY UNDERWEAR, 25c. to $2.
HATS and CAPS of every description.

CRANE & CLARK,
Hatters and Furnishers, 120 West Front street.

-BOEHM'S!-

"THE EVER BUSY STORE."
113 WEST FRONT STREET.

A Great Sale of Hosiery.

Men's wool seamless socks in natural and camel's hair mixed, value 25c., at 15c.
Children's fast-black, extra heavy cotton school hose at 15c.
Ladies' regular made fast-black cotton hose, full length at 10c, worth 15c.
Infant's wool hose at 10c.
Men's Cassimere Socks in black and assorted colors, spliced heels, at 25c. Value 35c.
Children's fine ribbed black cassimere hose, extra length, worth from 39c. to 50c., at 25c. a pair.

A week's Mammoth Sale

IN BLACK DRESS GOODS.

38-inch Serge and Cassimere at 25c. Value 39c.
Fine all-wool silk warp Henriettas, 38-in wide, jet black and silk finish at 50c.
38-inch black tufted Crepons, silk and wool, the newest and neatest in the lot at 89c.
Black Astrachan for cloaking, 52-in wide and heavy curl at $1.49 a yard.
A few of the Bargains that are being offered in our

Men's Furnishing Department—Men's Shirts and Drawers, grey or white, all sizes, 25c.; Men's Outing Flannel Shirts, dark fast colors, during the sale at 25c. Cardigan Jackets, good quality wool, full size, well made, in black only, at $1.25 and $1.50; Men's Sweaters, all-wool, heavy knitted, worth $1.00, at $1.

Blankets and Comfortables—White heavy fleeced Blankets, 10-4 in size with colored borders at 49c. White Blankets, very heavy fleeced, sold usually at $1.49. At this sale 98c. California Blankets, strictly all-wool, from $3 up. Some of the big values we are offering in our

Housefurnishing Department—Full strength Ammonia 5c. bottle; 8-ounce bottle Witch Hazel 10c.; Talcum Powder 10c.; 6-piece Toilet sets reduced to $1.89; Cups, Saucers—special—2½c. each; good serviceable Brooms 10c.; Tinted Glass Pitchers, a novelty in glassware, regular price 25c. Reduced to 19c.

Children's Gloria School Umbrellas, 22-in. at 50c. Feather Boas at 25 cents.

I. H. BOEHM, 113 West Front street.

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SOCIETY BUD BLOSSOMS

BRILLIANT COMING OUT OF MISS FLORENCE WARING.

The Home of Her Parents Presented a Handsome Scene With its Wealth of Stylish Gowns Becoming the Fair Guests.

Brilliant and charming was the debut of Miss Florence Waring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville T. Waring, which occured at their home, 900 Park avenue, Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 7 o'clock.

The palatial home was the scene of wealth, beauty and culture, and the affair was a social triumph in every particular. The decorations were confined chiefly to the parlor, where the art of the florist was displayed to the best advantage.

There was arranged in a massive bank the choicest roses and chrysanthenums, while the southern smilax was given a prominent place. The accomplished debutant, exquisitely gowned in white satin and chiffon, was introduced by her mother, who was richly gowned in black jet over satin. Those who assisted were Miss Elizabeth Lefferts, of New York, in a gown of blue silk trimmed with white lace; Miss Lillian Weller, of Newburg-on-the-Hudson, gowned in white silk and yellow chiffon; Miss Darlington, of Pittsburg, in a gown of yellow taffeta; Miss Clephane, of Englewood, gowned in white satin and tulle; Miss Gertrude Alexandre, of Philadelphia, in a gown of white taffeta and lace; Miss Katherine Reinhart, of Netherwood, in a gown of yellow satin; Miss Helen Mawle, of Philadelphia, in blue broadcloth; Miss Gertrude Andrews, of Plainfield, in pink and white silk; Miss Emma Schoonmaker, of Plainfield, in blue and white silk; Miss Waring, sister of the debutant, in white tulle with pink trimmings; Miss May Evans, of Plainfield, in yellow satin; and Miss Nancy Lawson, of Plainfield, in white organdie.

Those pouring tea were Mrs. L. G. Timpson, Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., Mrs. Evarts Tracy and Miss Elaine Massett. The debutant received many costly floral gifts from her friends and she carried a most exquisite bouquet of violets.

In the evening a few young people were present and music for dancing was furnished by Elliott, of New York.

Among the guests present were:

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Waring, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reinhart, the Misses Reinhart, A. D. Shepard and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doul Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Case, Dr. and Mrs. Rodman, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Serrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Andrews, the Misses Andrews, Frank Cokefair, Mr. and Mrs. Groendyke, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cruikshank, Mr. and Mrs. VanBoskerck, the Misses VanBoskerck, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stelle, Laurens H. VanBuren, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. VanBuren, Mr. and Mrs. Corlies, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Adams Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Atterbury, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Timpson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Evarts Tracy, the Misses Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baker, Miss Gertrude Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bull, Orville Waring, Louis Waring, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Cooley, Miss Grace Cooley, Gifford Cooley, Mrs. Wilson, Edward Wilson, Rev. and Mrs. D. J. Yerkes, the Misses Yerkes, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yerkes, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ahrens, Mr and Mrs. Harry Voorhees Borden, Drs. E. W. and B. VanD. Hedges, Mr. and Mrs. Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Titsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Huntington, Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Holly, the Misses Holly, Miss Anna Murphy, Miss Stella Place. Mrs Green, Miss Green, Mr. and Mrs. Middledith, Miss Maude Middledith, James Middledith, Col. and Mrs. W. H. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. A. E Bushnell, Miss Bushnell, Mr. and Mrs Alexander Gilbert, Dr. F. C. Ard, W. F. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs Stewart. Miss Stewart, Howard Corlies, Mrs. C P. West, Irving West, Harry West, Mr. and Mrs. John Gray Foster. Howard Opdyke, Robt. Arthur Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Finch, Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers. Mr. and Mrs. C. Hyde, Miss Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Talmage, Mr. and Mrs. Cokefair, Mr. and Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, Mrs. D. T. Van Buren, Councilman and Mrs. E. T. Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming, Misses Betts, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Raymond, Walter Place, Miss Shepard, Mrs. Lawrence Myers, Miss Mary Webster Johnson, Mrs. Augustus Baldwin, Miss Gardiner, Mr and Mrs. E. E. Dorman, Mrs. Edward White, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henry McGee, Clifford McGee, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McClure, the Misses McClure, W. T. Baker, W. F. Baker, H. Reeve Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. H. Streuli, Miss Pierson, Messrs. Case, Howard Beebe, Rev. Floyd Appleton, of Plainfield; P. D. Stillman, James Kellogg, Morris Kellogg, Percy Mac Kenzi, of Elizsbeth; Richard Hagermyer, of Orange; James Laing, of Pittsburg; Lawrence Perin, of Baltimore; Ray Lefferts, Heath Barton, Edward Flaag, George Mann, Joseph Cotton, George Foster, Archie Foster, of New York.

RAIDED A POKER JOINT

THE BLUE COATS CAPTURE THE PLAYERS AND JACK POT.

Game Being Played in the Home of Thomas Malcomb on Lee Place—One Man Jumped Through a Window.

All was quiet on Lee place early Sunday morning save at the house of Thomas Malcomb. A single light burned faintly and the sound of muttered words could be heard above the moaning of the wind. Silently four men made their way through the pattering rain drops along the street. The door of Malcomb's house was opened and the owner and another man could be seen at the door. The stranger raised his voice in protestation and the silent witnesses heard him constantly refer to his $5.

Before the men in the doorway realized it, the four men were upon them and the blue helmets and brass buttons told only too plainly that a force of Plainfield's "finest" had raided the place. The policemen pushed the owner aside and entered the back room. There were six men seated about the room and cards, chips and other modus operandi suggested very strongly that the police were not mistaken and draw poker was in full blast. It is difficult to say which predominated on the faces of the players, surprise or fear. They sprang to their feet at the entrance of the unbidden visitors, and the man nearest the window made one flying leap. There was a crash of broken glass and he disappeared out into the darkness beyond carrying the window sash with him.

Before his companions could follow suit the mighty grasp of the law was upon them and Sergeant Kiely and Patrolmen Totten, Fraleigh and Post, the raiders, were in possession. Their prisoners were Malcomb and his guests, Cornelius Loughlin, James Carthy, Robert Parker, Henry Snyder, Adam Smith and John Simpson. The man at the door was Michcal McNamara and he claimed that he had lost $5 in the house. Simpson was merely a looker on.

The proprietor and frequenters of the joint were locked up and later in the morning brought before City Judge DeMeza. They all declared that they had not been gambling, but the Judge began to cross-question Malcomb and at last he broke down and confessed all.

This morning they were brought up for trial and decided to plead guilty. Malcomb was fined $15; Smith, who has been arrested on a similar raid, was fined $10, and the rest $3 each. Simpson and McNamara were both released.

The "joint" was discovered by Patrolman Totten, who guided the raiding party to the place. It has been suspected for some time that there was such a place in that neighborhood.

The Season of Surprises.

Miss Clara Ward, of West Front street, was tendered a surprise at her home on Saturday evening. Her sister, Mrs. Thomas S. Randolph arranged the surprise which was complete in every detail, as the surprised had no knowledge, whatever, of the affair. The evening was devoted chiefly to playing games, while some of the guests rendered vocal and instrumental music. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Leggett, Mrs. D. W. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Miss Ernestine Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. VanDyke, Mrs. T. S. Randolph and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Randolph, Miss Nettie Randall and Frank Randolph.

A Complete Surprise.

A very pleasant surprise was arranged and given in honor of Miss Helen Cuming at her home on Putnam avenue, Friday evening. The young lady was completely surprised. The evening was spent pleasantly by playing games, singing and dancing. At midnight a collation was served and the party broke up in the wee small hours.

A Family Reunion.

There will be a family re union this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jonh M. Whiton, 821 Central avenue. when Mr. Whiton and his eight brothers will meet together for the first time in thirty years. The affair will be a quiet family gathering, and only the members of the family will be present.

Died at the Hospital.

The death of Miss Minnie Hackett, aged seventeen years, occurred at Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday, after a short illness. She was employed as a servant at the home of Mr. Mellick on LaGrande avenue The funeral will be held from her late home, and will be private.

—Justice Mosher has issued a summons in the landlord and tenant case of Nash against Martin returnable December 5th.

MR. MARTINE'S POSITION

HE DECLARES IN FAVOR OF RETRENCHMENT IN CITY EXPENSES.

He is Utterly Opposed to That Which Might be Termed "Splendid Government."—Stands for More Economy

To the Citizens of Plainfield:—

By one of the political parties of this city I have been nominated as a candidate for the office of Mayor. Without thought or inclination to say one word against the methods in the past of our city government, or against my opponent, I do feel that rotation in office is not only wise in policy, but best in results. I am utterably and unalterably opposed to that which may be termed a "splendid government." We are blessed with conditions that make our needs but few—that community is governed best that is governed the least. Curtailment of expenses and rigid economy I feel are demanded in our city government, particularly at a time of general business prostration. I have no pledge to make, other than that my efforts, if elected, shall be for an honest and economical administration of our city affairs. On this platform I stand and appeal for the suffrages of my fellow citizens.

Very Respectfully,

J. E. Martine.

NOT A NEW MORTGAGE.

GRACE P. E. CHURCH TRANSFERS ITS SECURITY ON EASIER TERMS.

Prudential Insurance Company Willing to Accept Church Property as Security—Relieves Vestrymen of a Personal Bond.

A special parish meeting was held Saturday evening in Grace Episcopal church, at which the vestry was authorized to place a mortgage on its property, fronting on East Seventh street, for $13,500 with the Prudential Insurance Company, of Newark.

The Press is informed by an officer of the church that this is not a new mortgage, but is made to replace one for $15,000 (since reduced to $13,500) now held by the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of New York. When asked the reason for the change, it was stated that when the new church was built in 1891 it was necessary to raise $15,000 to complete the building, and although the value of the property was largely in excess of the sum borrowed, yet a personal bond was required in addition to the bond and mortgage of the church. This personal bond was given by the gentlemen who at the time formed the church vestry, and upon their retiring from office at the last Easter election they requested the present vestry to relieve them of such personal liability. This has been accomplished in the way above stated, the Prudential Company being fully satisfied that the church property is ample security for the loan.

Anent Sewer Assessments.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—The comments in two of your issues of last week in reference to the dissatisfaction of property owners about unequal assessments. The truth of the mater is, there were no poor taxpayers that complained of unequal taxation at all. There were those who wanted their assessments reduced, as there always are, and as to the three cases cited, Mr. Talmadge, Mr. Anthony and Mr. VanBuren, these complaints were given due consideration. There is no necessity of prejudicing the poor against the rich just before a charter election, as we had enough of that during the last campaign.

E. C. Mulford,
One of the Commissioners of Appeal.

A Notable Christening.

Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 in St. Mary's church was witnessed the somewhat unusual sight of christening of twins—boy and girl—children of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feiring of West Third street. Rev. Rather Smyth, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony of baptism, the girl's name being given as Ethel Anna and the boy's, John Russell. The sponsors for the boy were Mrs. J. M. Boyle and J. E. Burns, of Philadelphia, and for the girl, Mrs. E. C. Searing and Jas. Daly, of this city. A grand supper was partaken of in the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Feiring, the many invited guests present showering congratulations on them and wishing health and long life to the little ones.

Disturbers of Paradise Alley.

Two well-known disturbers of Paradise Alley were up in the city court this morning. They were Mrs. Maggie Bunworth and Mrs. Betsy Errico. Roundsman Mattox was on hand to look after them. They were charged with quarreling and fighting and will furnish excitement next Saturday morning.

700 Sewer Permits.

Street Commissioner Meeker has granted 700 permits for sewer connections up to date.

PLEA TO VOTE FOR FISK

A WRITER WHO THINKS HE WOULD MAKE A MODEL MAYOR.

His Personal Record, it is Argued, is Such as to Render His Nomination and Election Best for the City's Welfare.

To the Citizens of Plainfield:—

One who serves five years on the most important committees of the Common Council makes a record. Chas. J. Fisk has made such a record in the last five years, and it is that record which rendered his nomination the one most fit to be made. The office sought the man with such vigor and persistency that the protests of his family and business associates, and his own previous emphatic declinations were swept aside by the force of united public opinion. Mr. Fisk has brought to bear upon the business of city legislation and administration, business principles and business methods that have saved the city many thousand dollars. I speak whereof I know when I say that in the matter of supplies for the fire department and street department, Mr. Fisk, by ignoring the middleman, and giving his personal services, repeatedly, bought the supplies for this city for hundreds of dollars less than such supplies cost the cities of Newark and Jersey City. The records prove it Nor have his efforts for economy been confined to the procuring of supplies at lowest prices. The minutes of the Council show time and again how his timely objections to proposed expenditures have resulted in inducing the Council to retrench and keep within its income. Liberal to a fault with his own money, in employing labor and patronizing home dealers, and in contributing to every charity or public enterprise; on the other hand, when it came to spending the money of the city, no member of the Council has ever been a greater stickler for the most rigid economy. His motto has been in such matters to go slow and pay as you go.

His knowledge of the conditions of the city's affairs in every department has been gained by service on all the important committees and by the devotion of more time to their personal investigation and study than has been given to such matters by perhaps any other member. With a natural aptitude for the transaction of public business, an exceptional training and experience therein during the five most important years of Plainfield's history, a reputation already gained and zealously guarded for getting for the city the best and the most for the least money, and never permitting any expense without first having the money with which to meet it; with a character above reproach, himself the head of a typical American home, whence emanate influences the most powerful for everything that makes for public welfare, Mr. Fisk is an ideal candidate in every sense, and if Plainfield is indeed a city in which public opinion is swayed by intelligence and desire for the good of the people, his majority ought to be overwhelming.

A Sound Money Non-Partison.

ATTACKED THE WRONG MAN.

Pitched Into a Patron Instead of the Proprietor of the Restaurant.

Patrolman Flynn arrived at Ross' restaurant on Park avenue late Saturday evening just in time to prevent a lively fracas. As it was, a man, under the influence of an over-supply of spirits, insisted in knocking a colored man over a table.

Dory Redan, a colored man of peaceful intent, was enjoying a plate of raw oysters when John Fillmore, considerably the worse for wear and whiskey, came in and wanted to own the place. The proprietor put him ont and then his peaceful customer wanted to go out. The door was opened and Fillmore set sail for the colored man. Then the policeman set sail for Fillmore and landed both men in jail.

Fillmore admitted that he had drank so much that he didn't remember anything that happened, and thought may be he was guilty. The Judge thought likewise and gave him his choice between paying $8 or spending twenty days in jail.

Too Drunk to Take Care of Themselves.

They were drunk but they could take care of themselves, they told City Judge DeMeza, and the latter suggested that the officer could take care of them better. At any rate Patrolman Post found Michael Hefferan and John McCarr on Front street in an intoxicated condition, Saturday night, and locked them up. They appeared for trial and the Judge fined Hefferan, who has been there before. Sentence was suspended on McKerr.

—A business meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church will be held on Friday night. An informal social will follow.

A KITTIE WORTH $5,000

TO BE ON EXHIBITION AT THE POULTRY AND PET STOCK SHOW.

The Affair Will Open Wednesday Morning—A Large Number of Valuable Entries From All Over the Country.

The second annual exhibition of the Garden State Poultry and Pigeon Association will open at the Cycle Academy Wednesday, at 10 a. m., and will continue until Saturday, 10 p. m.

The exhibits in all the classes are above the average and competition is very close among the leading exhibitions.

There are Bantams, fine, fluffy little fellows, which can be carried in the coat pocket and which have won prizes in this country at Boston, New York, Washington, D. C., etc., and also at the Crystal Palace, London, England, and which cost as high as $100 each.

The Messrs. Havemeyer Bros. Mahwah, N. J., make the largest display of pigeons, and among them being a fan-tan that cost them $100, and which has won at all the leading shows, both in this country and England. Dr. White, of Baltimore, and M. B. Blouch, Lebanon, Pa., and George Feather, Boston, Mass., are among the exhibitors. There are a number of exhibitions from Plainfield, both in pigeons, chickens and pet stock.

The cats, of which there are a large variety, are something unique, and which will be worth seeing, there being over fifty exhibits, which embrace all the different varieties.

Mrs. E. W. Barker, Newburg, N. Y., shows a number of imported and prize winners. H. T. Draper, of New York, also has a fine and large exhibit. Others come from Boston, Mass., and Long Island and among them being a Persian cat valued at $5,000.

There will also be incubators hatching young chicks and ducks each day which will prove very interesting to the little ones especially, as also will the rabbits, guinea pigs, etc.

There are offered as special premiums, several hundred dollars worth of silver cups, which will be on exhibit also.

JUNIORS FAIR A SUCCESS.

The Event Closed After a Run of a Week.

The J. O. U. A. M. fair closed Saturday evening after a very successful run of one week. The attendance throughout the week has been good, and most everything was disposed of. Perhaps the greatest interest has been manifested in the bowling contests. As was stated, Charles E. Vail won the turkey Thanksgiving eve, with a score of 236, and after an enthusiastic contest J. C. Young captured the silk umbrella with the highest score for the week, which was 221. The alleys were crowded Saturday evening with bowlers who were anxious to beat the score but no one was so fortunate.

A feature of the fair was the dancing, music for which was furnished by LaVere's orchestra.

The women, whose names have been mentioned in The Daily Press, deserve great praise for their efforts to make the fair a success. Miss Hartpence won the ring contest, she having collected nearly $15.

The object of the fair was to secure money to purchase new suits for the initiatory team and the members will no doubt realize a goodly sum for their work in holding the fair.

Clocks Burned Out.

The Western Union telegraph clocks in the city, regulated by Washington time, were all burnt out Saturday by the current from an electric light wire which become crossed with the wire running to the clocks. The clock in VanFleet's store on West Front street was set on fire and blazed away for several minutes.

The White Plugs.

A great many people have asked why one plug on each fire hydrant has been painted white, and for the benefit of those who don't know, it might be well to say that this is done so that the firemen may know that it is an open plug. The other plugs are regulated by shut offs.

A Quiet Marriage.

Tne marriage of Mrs. Blake, formerly an assistant at Muhlenberg Hospital, and W. W. Hall, was celebrated Saturday night at the home of the groom 456 West Fifth street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, pastor of Hope Chapel, and only the nearest friends of the contracting parties were present. An informal reception followed the ceremony after which a wedding supper was served.

—Car No. 3, of the Street Railway, was disabled this morning by burning out an armature. It was taken off duty for repair.

BLEW OPEN THE SAFE.

BURGLARS VISIT A SCOTCH PLAINS BUSINESS MAN.

The Identity of the Thieves is Unknown, But They Must Have Been Professionals—No Valuable Booty Secured.

The butcher shop of John R. Marsh, at Scotch Plains, was entered by burglars some time Sunday morning, presumably about 3 o'clock, and robbed, but the booty did not pay the robbers for their trouble. The safe was a staunch one and the door was drilled and opened by the use of dynamite or giant powder. The tools left behind were a bracing bit, a chisel and three punches. The door of the safe was blown across the room, some twelve feet, and striking the wall on the opposite side made an indention in the wall.

Yesterday morning Mr. Marsh had the door of the safe carried into the street where it was viewed by many persons. The robbers were evidently professionals for they had stolen three blankets, one from William Stansbury's barn and the other two from "Ben" Elliott's blacksmith shop. These were wrapped around the safe to deaden the sound when it went off. The only things missing were the account books.

Mr. Marsh heard the explosion, but he thought it was the drilling going on in the mountain, so he paid no particular attention to the noise.

Mr. Marsh went to his shop about 6 a. m. in the morning and found the safe wide open, and the door laying on the floor.

Wilbur Miller, who lives near the Plains, came up from Plainfield Saturday night on the 11:34 train and saw two suspicious looking characters alight from a coal train. He followed them for a ways and then being alone and without firearms started away without seeing where they went.

DANCED IN HONOR OF GUESTS.

Miss Mary E. Collier Tenders a Pleasant Social Affair.

An informal, but very delightful, dance was given by Miss Mary Collier, of East Sixth street, in the Olympia, Saturday night, in honor of her guests, the Misses Kate and Julia Ketcham, of Brooklyn. Although the night was a stormy and unpleasant one, quite a number of Miss Collier's friends gathered there and passed the evening in a very enjoyable manner. Miss Helen A. Hasbronck presided at the piano. Refreshments were served soon after eleven o'clock and the gay party broke up shortly before the loud toned bell of the town clock rang out the midnight hour.

Among those present were the Misses Ketchem, of Brooklyn, Miss Lizzie Long, of Somerville, Miss Irwin, of New York, the Misses Emma Cutler, Bertha Thorn, Mabelle B. Smith, Clara Long, Olive Newell, Eva Benton, Louise Egan, Katharine Glen, and Lillian T. Glen, and the Messrs Eton, of Elizabeth, Mr. Oliver, of New York, Robert C. Handloser, of New York, Walter B. Rittenhouse, Guernsey Nevius, Charles Davis, Clifford M. Crane, Carl D. Pfender, George Proctor Smith, Allan Taylor, Thomas U. Smith, Sydney R. Titsworth, John DeMeza, Lester Baldwin, Berry Egan, George B. Snediker, Arthur B. Crane, S. Clinton Crane, Wilbur F. Cornwell, Herbert Schutt and Henry W. Brower.

MOUNTAIN CAMP RANSACKED.

Unknown Visitors Break Into Dr. Lewis' Summer Home.

Those who were able to visit Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis' summer camp near Washington Rock during the last season found the place a very delightful one. A party of hunters who recently visited the neighborhood found that there are others of the same opinion. The house, for there is one, has recently been broken into by someone and the place thoroughly ransacked. The visitation had evidently occurred only a few days ago While there was nothing of value left in the camp by the campers when they departed, it is feared that some stray "knights of the road" had made the camp their rendezvous and have been making themselves unpleasantly at home. An investigating party will soon visit the camp and close it up for the winter.

Trinity's Sociable.

The sociable and musical entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church, which was postponed last Friday evening, on account of the illness of the pastor, will be held on Friday evening of this week in the church parlors. An interesting musical programme has been arranged and refreshments will be served. Twenty-five cents admission will be charged and the proceeds will be given toward the support of the church choir.

RUSSIA AND TURKEY

The Former's Policy Is To Make a Vassal of the Sultan.

OTHER POWERS NOT CONSIDERED

The Northern Colossus Will Tolerate No European Interference, Financial or Otherwise, and Will Finally Garrison the Dardanelles' Forts.

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Berlin, Nov. 30.—The very latest advices received here from St. Petersburg through official channels confirm the reports contained in the dispatches of the United Associated Presses of coming changes in the administration of the affairs of the Russian empire and attest the correctness of the appointments mentioned as about to be made. The advices, however, discredit the reports of an Anglo-Russian entente. The view of the situation in Russia most generally taken in official circles here is that the czar has not yet acquired confidence in himself or in any particular minister sufficient to warrant him in venturing upon a change in the foreign policy established by the late minister of foreign affairs, Prince Lobanoff, and that for some time to come the foreign policy in force in Russia must necessarily be tentative. In the meantime the influence of M. Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador to Turkey and an aspirant to the foreign ministry, is dominant, which is regarded here as implying a continuation of Russia's protection of the sultan, her absolute rejection of all schemes for European interference in Turkey, financial or otherwise, and the action of Russia in the capacity of tutor to the sultan until the sultan of the Ottoman empire shall become practically a vassal of the czar. This view is taken as an explanation of the fact that the scheme of M. Hanotaux, French minister of foreign affairs for the adjustment of the Turkish finances has been rejected by Russia.

Russia's Policy in Turkey.

Concerning this scheme the inspired St. Petersburg Viedomosti frankly says: "The French proposal to add a Russian representative to the board of commissioners of the Ottoman debt would be dearly bought by the sacrifice of Russia's present exclusive control of Constantinople. The lead taken by the late Prince Lobanoff has been followed by M. Nelidoff, who has succeeded in wiping out every European influence in Turkey. With England out of it, the dreibund nowhere, and the czar lord paramount at the Yildiz Kiosk, why should Russia do anything except wait, when instead of venturing upon war she will be able to dispose at her pleasure of all of the resources of Turkey and ultimately garrison the forts of the Dardanelles at will and use the name of the sultan as caliph in operating upon the Moslems in Egypt and Turkey." The Novoe Vremya, another inspired St. Petersburg journal, in an article expressing similar views, says: "The policy of Russia is not to support the action of the other powers, but to enforce her own will. No matter what massacres of Armenians or other Christians may occur, the isolated action of Russia is a practical reality." The Berlin government is fully aware that this is the policy of Russia and is holding aloo while awaiting developments, Ger many well knowing that Austria is ready to strike at an opportune moment to check the ascendancy of Russia in Turkey. The sum of the present position is that the porte, backed by Russia, will continue to play its old game of delusive reforms with impunity.

Exportation of Artificial Wines.

Commenting upon the enormous exports from Germany to the United States of artificially prepared wines and inferior spirits and beers, the Berlin Neueste Nachrichten says that since the passage of the wine act by the reichstag in April, 1892, in regard to the adulteration of wines and alcoholic beverages immense quantities of liquors have been brought into the market under the name of wines at such low prices as to prove it impossible that they could have been prepared in accordance with the law. "A certain Rhenish firm," the paper says, "sells annually thousands of casks of wine in the composition of which there cannot possibly be anything beyond a merely nominal percentage of grape wine, and other instances of the production of absolutely artificial wines might be given to the exhaustion of the capacity of our columns." The Nachrichten demands the enactment of some remedial legislation immediately and suggests the passage of a law imposing a heavy tax upon wine manufacturers."

Iron Companies Start Up.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 30.—The Ohio Steel company started its large plant this morning. It is said that an order has been received by the company for 15,000 tons of steel billets which will be used in making wire nails. The Brown-Bonnell company and the Mahoning Valley Iron company will have nearly all their mills in operation during the coming week.

Seventeen Sailors Brought to New York.

New York, Nov. 30.—On board the steamer Orinoco, from Bermuda, were seventeen members of the crew of the British steamer Tyrian, which was towed into Bermuda in a badly damaged condition. It is understood that the vessel will be sold at auction at Bermuda.

Mrs. Garret A. Hobart Recovering.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Garret A. Hobart, who has been confined to her home for several days with a mild attack of grip, is very much improved and is rapidly recovering her usual good health.

NEW LOCK COMBINATION.

Connecticut, Pennsylvania and New Jersey Firms Consolidate.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—The leading lock makers of the country are said to have formed a new combination to regulate the prices of locks in general, but more particularly trunk locks, on which it is claimed prices have been ruinously low during the past two or three years. The manufacturers said to be in the combination and who have organized under the name of the American Trunk Lock association are the Corbin Cabinet Lock company of New Britain, Conn.; the Eagle Lock company of Terryville, Conn.; the Star Lock works of Philadelphia; the Yale & Towne Manufacturing company of Stamford, Conn., and Shrendt & Son of Newark, N. J. All of the firms, except the Yale & Towne company, were in a combination formed in 1891 and which was dissolved in 1893. Prices have been advanced from 25 to 30 per cent. within the past two weeks, and it is thought there is every prospect of a further advance. Provision has been made, it is said, against any dissolution of the present combination for a term of five years by requiring all of the firms interested to make a cash deposit of $500 to be forfeited in case of any cut in prices.

BEHRING SEA COMMISSION.

United States Counsel Object to Two New British Claims.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 30.—At the last settling of the Behring sea claims commission counsel for the United States moved to strike out two of the claims filed by the British side on the ground that they did not come within the terms of the convention which had resulted in the formation of the present commission, not having been included in the summary of the claims referred to the Paris tribunal. These claims were that of the schooner Black Diamond for $7,500 for loss arising from her being ordered out of Behring sea in 1886, and the personal claim of Capt. James Gaudin of the British marine service for $3,000 expenses incurred in connection with the seizure of the schooner Aide. Both claims, the British counsel insisted, were among those which should properly be dealt with and correspondence regarding them clearly showed that it was contemplated to include both. The argument was continued at some length and the decision was reserved.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROADS.

Eighty Out of a Total of 278 Have Paid Dividends.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 30.—The forthcoming report of the bureau of railways in the department of internal affairs of Pennsylvania will show that of the 278 railroad companies eighty have paid dividends amounting to $25,340,859; the others report no dividends. The average dividend was about 5.25 per cent. The aggregate amount of capital stock of steam railrailways reporting for the year ending June 30, 1896, is $985,503,189, indicating an increase during the year of $39,190,238. The great bulk of the capital stock increase is found in the return from the Erie railroad growing out of the reorganization.

Indiana's Natural Gas Supply.

Hartford City, Ind., Nov. 30.—The reports sent out by correspondents from towns outside of the gas belt that recent investigations in all parts of the gas field established the fact that the supply of natural gas is rapidly decreasing are false and misleading. State Natural Gas Inspector Leach says the wells are showing up strongly and giving promise of satisfactory service the coming winter. This is the eleventh year of natural gas in this state.

A $1,000,000 Dormitory for Columbia.

New York, Nov. 30.—Charles E. Schuyler has sold to the Hamilton Court Building company sixteen lots, having a frontage of 200 feet and a depth of 200 feet. The price paid was about $200,000. The company is composed of friends of Columbia university, and they propose to erect on the plot, at a cost of $1,000,000, one of the finest dormitory buildings in the country. It will have accommodations for about 900 students.

Premier Laurier Going to England.

London, Nov. 30.—The Canadian premier, Mr. Laurier, is expected in London, accompanied by Sir Richard Cartwright, minister of finance, next spring. The questions of assisted emigration, a fast mail service and imperial aid towards enlarging the defense works on the Pacific and Atlantic coasts of the Dominion will be the leading topics discussed between the Canadian ministers and Mr. Chamberlain.

Dr. Jameson Very Ill.

London, Nov. 30.—The physicians of Halloway jail have pronounced the health of Dr. L. S. Jameson, the leader of the Transvaal raid, who is undergoing a sentence of fifteen months' imprisonment, to be in a very precarious state. The physicians have previously reported that Dr. Jameson's health was being greatly impaired by his confinement, but have not heretofore admitted that he was in a critical condition.

To Pay Argentina's National Loan.

New York, Nov. 30.—A special cable dispatch to the Herald from Buenos Ayres, Argentina, says: It is reported on semi-official authority that congress will pass a law next year providing for the payment of the national loan. The measure known as the unification law will be repealed.

Plimmer and Kelly To Fight March 2.

London, Nov. 30.—Billy Plimmer and Sammy Kelly have been matched to fight before the Olympic Sporting club, Birmingham, on March 2 next for $1,000 a side and a purse of $2,000

MAKING MEN BEGGARS.

Women in London Crowding Out the Sterner Sex.

"I have before me," says Walter Besant in a recent issue of the London Queen, "the thirty-seventh annual report of the Society for Promoting the Employment of Women. I am sorry to learn from this report that the demand for women clerks and bookkeepers is on the increase.

"At the same time I am informed in other quarters that thousands of men clerks are tramping the streets of London, wearing out shoe leather in going up and down stairs in the weary work of trying to find places.

"They find, instead, women doing the work, which should keep them and their wives, for half the pay. One has no objection to women doing men's work if they get men's pay. They may even keep the men in idleness, if they please, like the laundresses.

"How shall we make these promoters understand the cut-throat policy of pushing women in everywhere, at half or quarter the pay, and driving the men abroad? However, there are other and more satisfactory features about this report.

"In the lower walks something has been done by the society in getting places for women as hair-dressers—will they ever become such admirable artists in this walk as the men?—in finding cooks and waitresses, and in getting temporary work of all kinds for women.

"But the numbers and figures given demonstrate that the work of the society is but a drop in the ocean. We have 40,000,000 of people, with 20,000,000 of women and girls, and all who are past the age of 15, with an insignificant minority of about 500,000, are clamoring for work."

GAMBLING WOMEN.

Conspicuous at Ostend, Which Is Fast Outstripping Monte Carlo.

A very noticeable and unpleasant feature of the Ostend kursaal is the number of women who are to be seen gambling there, says the New York Journal. English women take the lead as heavy players. The nightly scenes at the kursaal are of a startling nature. A correspondent writes from Ostend to an English newspaper:

"At Monte Carlo the maximum stake is nine napoleons on a roulette number. Here at the Ostend kursaal, one can go up to 300 francs, and it is calculated that 300,000 francs can be won at a stroke. At trente et quarante the maximum is 12,000 francs, but the croupiers often permit a supplementary stake of 6,000 francs. It should be added that while at Monte Carlo you can only play with gold, at Ostend counters are allowed up to a value of 6,000 francs, and certain well-known persons obtain almost unlimited credit from the bank. I remember seeing four players at once who put the maximum of 12,000 francs at each turn, and this went on for hours, nobody putting himself out in the least, while at Monte Carlo the fact of a player risking the maximum is always publicly announced. Unfortunately, it is the fair sex which chiefly cultivates the taste for gambling this year. The English ladies take the lead and are closely followed by the Germans. It is a scandal which it is high time should be stopped."

Steady Work.

Mr. Styles—What did you say you wanted, my man?

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Scrofula

sores. We had three different doctors Pieces of bone came out of the sores. The last doctor said the leg would have to be cut open and the bone scraped, before he could get well. Howard became so low that he would eat nothing, and one doctor said there was no chance for him.

"One day, a newspaper recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla was left at our door. We decided to try this medicine. Howard commenced taking it the last of February, after having been sick for a year and a

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half. He hadn't taken it a week before I saw that his appetite began to improve, and then he gained rapidly. I gave him five bottles, when the sores were all healed and they never broke out again. The crutches he had used for four years were laid aside, as he had no further use for them. I give all the credit to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. ADA L. MOODY, Fay Street, Lynn, Mass.

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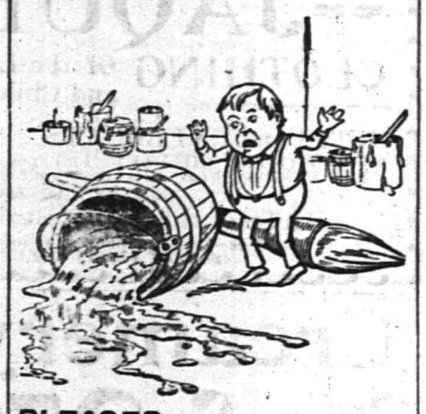

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20th Day of December

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4th Tuesday in November

next, the 24th, and sit from 2 o'clock p. m. until 5 o'clock p. m., or longer, if found necessary, to dispose of all cases submitted to them for consideration.

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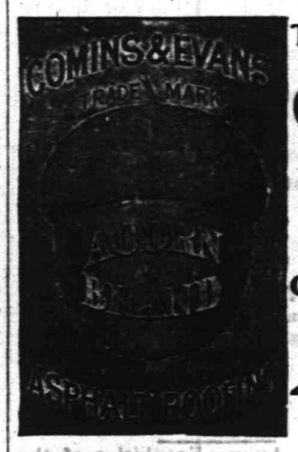

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"TYPHUSANTITOXINE."

Experiments Made by German Bacteriologists with Typhus Germs.

Washington, Nov. 30.—United States consul George Sawter at Glanchau, Germany, sends to the department of state the following account of a report soon to be published in a German medical journal by Prof. Pfeipper and Dr. Kalle, two well known bacteriologists of Berlin, giving the effects of a number of experiments they have made with "typhusantitoxine." "If their hopes are confirmed," says the consul, "the science of therapeutics in infectious diseases will have received another most valuable accession in this new discovery. The two experimenters believe that exemption from typhus germs, like immunity from cholera germs and other contagious diseases of like character, may be traced back to existence in the blood of anti-typhoid substances, and from this standpoint the very successful results of the investigation have been gained. That this theory is most important and practical is realized when the vitality of the typhus bacillus, as discovered by Koch, Eberth, and Klebs, is given consideration. The typhus bacillus is known to exist largely in well and spring water, and the fact that they are frequently the direct cause of infection is widely recognized by authorities on bacterology. Consequently this latest important discovery is to be greeted with joy, as it may prove in the future the means of preserving numberless lives from untimely demise, particularly as man is susceptible to attack from these bacilla during the best years of his development—20 to 25 years. The inoculations of 'typhusantitoxine' can be easily and quickly executed, and will prove of great value and benefit, especially in times of epidemic, when the need for a prompt and efficacious life-saving remedy is most urgent. The entire fruits of the experiments will soon be published for the benefit of the entire medical world."

WHOLE FAMILY PERISHED.

Five Persons Burned to Death in Their Home Near Perry, N. Y.

Perry, N. Y., Nov. 30.—A whole family perished in flames and smoke Sunday in the tenement house on the Irving Thompson farm situated about four miles northeast of this village, where resided the family of Luther Greenman, consisting of husband, aged 40; Mrs. Greenman, aged 37; Aime, aged 6; Lottie, aged 3, and Arthur, a baby 11 months old. The house was discovered in flames by Mr. Thompson. He rushed for the building and knocked open the front door, but was driven back for a moment by the flames which seemed to be in possession of the whole interior. Grouping his way to the bedroom he found the body of Mr. Greenman burned almost to a crisp, and it was all he could do to drag out the corpse. He was then compelled to flee from the house, the flames becoming so fierce. The house quickly burned to the ground. Coroner Watson arrived and the horribly charred remains of the family were taken from the smouldering ruins. An inquest will be held today. The fire was undoubtedly the result of a defective pipe.

DELAGOA BAY RAILROAD.

Official Denial That England Is Negotiating for Its Purchase.

Lisbon, Nov. 30.—The communications which have passed between the Berlin and Lisbon governments in regard to the report that Great Britain is negotiating with Portugal with a view to obtaining control of the Delagoa Bay railway have resulted in a denial on the part of the Portuguese government that any step is being taken in that direction and the discovery that the reports originated in Pretoria, the capital of the Transvaal republic.

Twenty-nine Killed in a Panic.

Bombay, Nov. 30.—After a reception last night to the Earl of Eagan, viceroy of India, in the public park at Baroda, the crowd, in attempting to leave, got jammed between the narrow gates and a panic ensued. When order was restored it was found that twenty-nine persons had lost their lives and thirty-five others seriously injured.

Martinelli Returns to Washington.

New York, Nov. 30.—The Most Reverened Sebastian Martinelli, papal delegate to the United States, who spent yesterday as the guest of the Rev. Thomas F. Gregg, pastor of the Church of St. Augustine, Morrisana, will return to Washington this afternoon.

12 Below Zero at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 30.—The thermometer registered 12 degrees below zero at 5 o'clock this morning.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat—Spot held higher, checking trade. Dec., 90¼c.; May, 89⅝c.

Corn—Spot is steady, but quiet. Dec., 29⅝c.; May, 33⅜c.

Oats—Prices weak; trade inactive. Dec., 23⅜c.; May, 26⅝c.

Eggs—The market is about steady. State and Pennsylvania, fresh, 22@26c.; ice house, 16@18c.; western, fresh, 22@24c.; limed, 15½@16; southern, 21@23.

Butter—Perfect quality very scarce. Creamery western extras, 22⅝c.; state and Pennsylvania, extras, 20½@21c.; creamery, western seconds, 14c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fall made extras, 17@18c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 10½@14c.; western factory, firsts to extras, 9@10½c.

Cheese—Quiet and firm. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10½c.; large, common to choice, part skims, 3½@6½c.

Potatoes—Slow and barely steady. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, $1.25@1.37; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel $1.00@1.12.

M'KINLEY'S ADVISERS

Speculation as to His Cabinet Growing More Animated.

ALGER MAY BE SECRETARY OF WAR

Senator Allison Prominently Mentioned for the State Portfolio---Chicago Lays Claim to the Secretaryship of Agriculture---Platt To Visit Canton.

Canton, O., Nov. 30.—Cabinet gossip is becoming more animated as the days go by. There is a renewal of the talk anent Gen. R. A. Alger for secretary of war. Some of his friends have been here within the past week, and it is known that Major McKinley thinks very highly of him. The name of Senator Allison is connected with the position of secretary of state. Andrew D. White of New York is still discussed for the same place. A New York republican who passed through here yesterday is authority for the statement that Thomas C. Platt of New York is thinking of coming to Canton within a few days to have a talk with Major McKinley concerning important affairs in his state.

CABINET GOSSIP.

Said That S. W. Allerton Will Be the Secretary of Agriculture.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—"Samuel W. Allerton will be our next secretary of agriculture, and Chicago has got there again," said C. W. Baker, secretary of the National Livestock exchange, when he returned from a visit to Canton, O. W. H. Thompson, jr., president of the National Livestock exchange; L. R. Doud, president of the National Livestock bank; C. A. Mallory and Joseph Adams, commission men at the stock yard, had accompanied him on a visit to the president-elect to advance the interests of Mr. Allerton. "In the discussion of the matter Mr. McKinley expressed opinions as to the general requirements of the head of the department that were in full accord with those of the committee," continued Mr. Baker. "He said he had a long and intimate acquaintance with Mr. Allerton, and spoke highly of him as a gentleman and a financier and business man, and while he did not tell the members of the committee outright that he would make him a member of his cabinet, we feel from the way he treated the matter he would appoint him."

CATHOLICS IN AMERICA.

The Pope To Consider Plans To Improve the Church Here.

Rome, Nov. 30.—It is reported at the vatican that the pope has ordered Cardinal Satolli, late papal delegate to the United States, to make a report on the situation of the clergy in America. According to the report, his holiness charged Cardinal Satolli to propose such measures relative to the subject as he might deem necessary. It is expected that Cardinal Gibbons will come to Rome to discuss the question under advisement and to further enlighten the pope as to the best means of improving the situation of the American clergy. After all the data is at hand and digested it is probable that the pope will issue an encyclical on the subject.

Redemption of New York City Debt.

New York, Nov. 30.—City Chamberlain McCook will begin on December 1 to retire $280,141.50 of the old 7-per cent. bonds, issued during the war of the rebellion. There are $800,000 more of these bonds out. On the same day he will begin to retire $8,000,000 worth of bonds due on that day. The money to pay off these bonds, save $1,000,000 which comes from the sinking fund, was part of that realized at the recent bond sale.

St. Albans a Port of Entry.

Washington, Nov. 30.—By an order just issued from the department of agriculture St. Albans, Vt., has been added to the list of ports at which cattle and sheep from the Dominion of Canada for export from the United States many be entered in bond for Portland, Me., and Boston, for export from the two last mentioned ports only in accordance with the regulations in the order of February 11, 1889.

Death of Dr. Pinckney W. Ellsworth.

Hartford, Nov. 30.—Dr. Pinckney Webster Ellsworth, one of the best known physicians of the city and a son of ex-Gov. William W. Ellsworth, is dead at his home here. Dr. Ellsworth was born in this city December 5, 1814, and for the last twenty years had practiced medicine. His grandfather, Oliver Ellsworth, was at one time chief justice of the United States supreme court.

Killed in a Street Fight.

Chambly Canton, Que., Nov. 30.—During a street fight here between the Italians employed on the public works and the townspeople, two of the latter were stabbed. One, Frederick Mark, was instantly killed and another, Dube, is not expected to live. The Montreal police have been notified but it is feard the murderers have escaped.

Killed with an Axe.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 30.—At the reformatory, a few miles above this city, Edward Tinsley, a guard, had several of the boys out splitting logs, when one of them, Charles Fourshee, struck Tinsley with an axe inflicting a wound that proved fatal. No one saw the blow struck, but Fourshee admits that the blow was intentional.

Dead at the Age of 101 Years.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Sarah Annis is dead at the age of 101 years, 5 months and 23 days. She was born in Cowell's Manor, Canada, and until eight years ago lived in Peru, N. Y. She was believed to be the oldest person in this vicinity.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Furnished by Weather Observer Neagle.

Snow Tonight With Threatening Weather; Probably Clearing Tuesday; Continued Cold Weather.

At 2 o'Clock Leggett's Thermometer Registered 37 Degrees.

NOMINATIONS.

REPUBLICAN.	DEMOCRATIC.
For Mayor—	For Mayor—
Charles J. Fisk	James E. Martine
For Collector—	For Collector—
Elias H. Bird	William E. Gardner
For Treasurer—	For Treasurer—
Alexander Titsworth	
For School Trustee—	For School Trustee—
Fred C. Lounsbury	John Cory.
For Councilmen—	For Councilmen—
First Ward.	First Ward.
Charles J. Newman	Edward P. Thorn
Second Ward.	Second Ward.
William N. Runyon	John Ross
Third Ward.	Third Ward.
John T. Baker	Richard Harding
Fourth Ward.	Fourth Ward.
Isaac S. Randolph	Arthur T. Gallup
For Com's of Appeal—	For Com's of Appeal—
Joseph B. Coward	Augustus Saltzman
Edward C. Mulford	Jeremiah Manning

SOCIALIST-LABOR.

Mayor, Charles Burns: City Collector, Arthur Scott: City Treasurer, Charles Grieb; School Trustee, James Bell: Commissioners of Appeal, Max Otto, Wm. C. VanNorden: Councilmen, Third Ward, Claus B. Wallander: Fourth ward, Geo. Gould, Jr.

THE MAYORALITY CONTEST.

All interest in city election tomorrow centers in the Mayorality contest. Mr. Martine, the Democratic nominee, and Mr. Fisk, the Republican standard bearer, are both popular in their respective parties and so far as ability goes, are both equal to the duties of the positions to which they aspire. But the question at issue is the methods and ideas which they will invoke and promote in the performance of their official duties, if elected. In another column of today's Press Mr. Martine states his position briefly and to the point over his own signature; a supporter of Mr. Fisk, doubtless writing with authority, also explains the position of the Republican candidate. The rest is left for the voters. No city election in several years has created the interest that the present one has, and undoubted a heavy vote will be polled.

Poor man! Still there is something to live for. For years untold he has paid his good money to see things of beauty, but somehow he has never got what he paid for. And all because of the milliners' art and fad of stylish women to don voluptuous headgear. Now, however, the men—the backers, the promoters, the managers, the ones that "do it all"—have been stirred to a sense of pity and justice to their fellow creatures, and are demanding the ladies to take off their hats in public places of amusement. The movement for the emancipation of man from misery while in a theatre or other place where there are things to see beside the wings, plumes and heads of the martyred feathered tribe, is but in its infancy, but we all say amen to it.

Early to bed, early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise.—An Old Saw.

A Belleville man thinks so, for yesterday he got out of bed before daylight, and just in time to escape the force of a large area of the ceiling, which fell with force enough to destroy furniture and other articles in the room. Had Morpheus pursued his seductive charms longer the man might have been seriously hurt; and, at the least, he would have been mad. And this would not have been wise for Sunday.

The school census shows that in Union county there are 20,929 children between 5 and 18 years of age; an increase of 1,377 over last year. In the state the total number of children of school age is 438,960, an increase of 14,010 over 1895. Of this number 45,021 attend private schools and 89,201 do not attend any school at all. There are in the state 1,581 children over ten years of age who are unable to read. Of the children who have not yet reached their fifteenth year there are 5,560 at work in stores, mines and factories.

The New York State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has decided that while a School Board may employ members of a Roman Catholic sisterhood as teachers, these should not, while teaching, wear their peculiar garb, nor should they be addressed by their religious title, "Sister." The decision is based not on specific law but on the general policy of the department as to sectarian associations in schools.

No less a great personage than President Cleveland has confirmed the idea that New Jersey is "the" place to live in, for the chief executive has purchased a residence at Princeton and there will make his home after he retires from the White House.

In justice to William Newcorn it can be stated that the political communication published in Saturday night's Press, signed "Justus Newcom," was not written by Mr. Newcorn.

JOINTS OF THE ARMOUR

REV. C. E. HERRING PREACHES ON THE WEAKNESSES OF YOUTH.

A Few of the Vulnerable Points of a Young Life Which May Strand the Character on the Sands of Failure

By request, Rev. Chas. E. Herring preached a sermon last evening on the subject "The Joints of the Armour." It was an able discourse and was thoroughly interesting. Mr. Herring spoke as follows:

"In Second Chronicles, 18, 33:34, it is said that the King of Israel was wounded in the joints of his armour. That upon which he relied for protection did not save him, for an arrow found a place of entrance between the joints of the armour. Achilles was invulnerable except in the heel, and was slain there. Hagar slew Seigfried where the lime leaf touched his back, his only vulnerable place. Every man has some vulnerable place. It was only of Christ that it could be said: 'The Prince of this world cometh and findeth nothing in Me.' Temptation in life comes along the line of least resistance. Life is resistance. As James Hentor said: 'Life is the sum total of the forces that resist death. Evil assaults me where resistance is weak—in the joints of my spiritual armour.'

"Youth has these weak places. The joints in his armour are: First, Lack of will, and lack of individuality. Youth bites often at the bare hook. Is not careful in the choice of companions is another weakness. Second, A love of pleasure. Excess in pleasure is wearesome. Xerxes offered a reward for the invention of a new pleasure. Third. Conceit is another weakness. A little success is apt to render youth top heavy—wiser than seven grown up men who can render a reason. The Earl of Buchan's manuscript was refused because the compositor did not have capital I's sufficient to set it up. Fourth, Rashness is another joint in the armour. He relies upon his feelings to guide him rather than his judgment.

"Youth needs to guard himself against these vulnerable joints in his armour. God will grant him protection. Lavater, the physiognomist, analyzed the face of Socrates and found there the lines of baseness, in his eye he saw deceit, but with it all he saw clearly marked upon that countenance prodigious self-government. You have a shield of faith in God for the weak spots in your armour. Youth is the time for faith. Joel says: Your young men shall see visions; your old men shall dream dreams. It is better to see visions—indicates a clearer revelation; old men become Christians with difficulty. Youth is tender to receive impressions Faith in God thus is the shield to protect you and no weapon then that is formed against thee shall do thee harm."

Hope Chapel Pastimes.

A public entertainment will be given in Hope Chapel this evening, under the auspices of the Men's Mutual Improvement Society. An excellent programme will be rendered. An invitation is extended to all those interested in the work of the chapel. Service will commence at 8 p. m. prompt. The following ladies and gentlemen will take part: Addresses by Rev. W. R. Richards and Rev. G. K. Newell, songs, recitations and music by Miss Raybert, Mrs. S. R. Struthers, Mr. Belcher, George Leighs and others.

Of Interest to Sportsmen.

A joint meeting of the Union, Somerset and Middlesex county members of the Plainfield Branch of the Game Propogating Association will be held in the old Democratic Association rooms on West Front street, tomorrow evening, and all the members are requested to be present. The members are making preparations to "plant" five hundred rabbits early in February, and they will also liberate twenty five dozen young quail on their reserve at an early date.

A Scholarly Sermon.

Rev. Henry G. Simpson, of Saratoga Springs, N.Y., who preached in Trinity Reformed church yesterday, was thoroughly enjoyed by those who braved the disagreeable storm to listen to his scholarly sermons. His text at the morning service was First Corinthians, 1-18 In the evening he spoke from the text, "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled."—Matthew, 5 6.

Scott's Against Potter's.

The fall and winter schedule of bowling games is now being made up, and next Thursday evening will be the opening game between the Scott and Potter Press Works teams. They will contest for supremacy on the Manhattan alleys in North Plainfield, and the game promises to be a very exciting and warmly contested one. The usual number of "rooters" will undoubtedly be present.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

J. Harvey Doane, of LaGrande avenue, is kept at home by illness.

Miss Nora Rockwell has been home from boarding school at Sing Sing.

Dr. D. M. Stearns, of Philadelphia, will teach his Bible class this evening.

C. T. Pond of Washington avenue, left for California on a business trip, Saturday.

James Middledith, of Park avenue, has gone back to college at Lehigh University.

Miss Alice Barker, of Grove street, has returned from a visit with Brooklyn friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Voorhees, of East Front street, spent Sunday with Raritan friends.

Miss Laura Sindenhan, of Craig place, spent Sunday with friends in New York city.

Miss Phœbe Lovell, of Crescent avenue, has been home from Vassar College for a few days.

Miss Carrie Potter, of Rahway, has been the guest of Miss Nellie Rockfellow, of Park avenue.

Miss Alita Marcelles, of Newark, has been visiting her friend, Miss VanNest, of Park avenue.

Miss Emma Tantum, of Craig place, has been spending her Thanksgiving vacation at Asbury Park.

Mrs. A. E. Hall, of Plainfield avenue, is entertaining her father who lives in Washington, N. Y.

Fullerton Weaver, of Cornwall on-the-Hudson, is a guest at the home of Samuel Milliken, of Central avenue.

Miss Libbie Golder, of Poughkeepsie, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend, of Codington avenue.

Raymond Carpenter, of the borough, returns to Rutgers' College today after spending a few days at his home.

Miss Hattie Currie, of Arlington avenue, who has been the guest of New York friends has returned home.

Wilbur F. Cornwell, of Waynewood place, has gone back to his duties at the New York Homœopathic College.

Henry V. Rider, of East Front street, returned to Yale on Saturday after spending the week in Plainfield.

Edward Fitzgerald, of Brooklyn, is visiting his son-in-law, J. H. Gracely, of the Manhattan Hotel, on Somerset street.

Mrs. Charles C. Graves, of Liberty street, is stopping with her parents in New York where she is under treatment for illness.

Superintendent A. D. Warde, of the North Plainfield High School, has returned from a visit with his mother at Syracuse, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams, of Madison avenue, have been entertaining their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Petrey, of Paterson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Randolph, of Park avenue, attended the funeral of Mr. Randolph's uncle which was held in Newark yesterday.

Clifford Braider, of the borough, conducted the Christian Endeavor service at the Scotch Plains Baptist Church last evening.

William Boyd and George Voorhees, of New Brunswick, were the guests last week of William Morrison, of Mountain avenue.

John Burke, formerly of this city, but now employed by the Dock Department in New York, spent several days among friends here.

Harry L. McGee, of Orchard place, Washington Park, has been home from Stevens Institute for a few days. He went back this morning.

Miss Josephine Jansen, of Craig place, has returned from Washington, N. J., where she has been spending her Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Harris, Mrs. Ward and Messrs. Smith and Holmes rendered a pleasing vocal selection at the First Baptist Church yesterday morning.

Arthur H. Serrell, of Lehigh University, returned this morning after spending the Thanksgiving holidays at his home on Plainfield avenue.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, returned last evening to Bethlehem and his studies at Lehigh University after spending his vacation at home.

Ralph Campbell, of Netherwood avenue, returned to his studies at the University of New York this morning after spending a few days in Plainfield.

Miss Adelaide Hillhouse, of New York, returned home this morning after spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Alys Chandor, of East Fifth street.

Arthur H. Serrell, of Plainfield avenue, has been spending his Thanksgiving vacation at home. His College chum from Lehigh University was his guest.

John V. Beekman, Jr., of West Eighth street, has been home from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on his Thanksgiving vacation. He returned this morning.

To cure all old sores, to heal and indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front st.

THE WISE BACHELOR.

Men and Women as They Appear to His Observing Eyes.

Happiness is a state of mind.

Blessed are the [illegible]—for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

When a man asks a woman in the innermost corner of his heart, she pokes around in it and says, "Is that all?"

When you ask a woman's hair, she thinks you are hunting around for a watch guard made of it.

No matter how astonished a girl feels the first time she kisses a man, it never occurs to her that the man may feel that way too.

When a girl has a grudge against a man, she gives a chafing dish party and makes him hold the handle while she splashes the dirt all over his clothes.

A girl who doesn't like a kiss ought to be treated for it.

Most men could bear it better if they weren't expected to grin.

A woman can never sit in the dusk with her husband without trying to get romantic.

Life's "apartments" often turn out to be a hall bedroom.

The deepest thing in the heart of an old maid is an ache for a little child.

When a rich girl has kinky, black hair, it is called "rippling midnight."

One of the queerest things is that a nagging woman often loves her husband.

Some women's idea of taking care of men is by fussing with them when they sit in a draft.

Some men don't discover that they are fond of their wives till their wives have got through being fond of them.

If all memory of the past could be blotted out every night, married folk would be a good deal happier.

Some time before she is 20 every girl determines either to be a foreign missionary or to spend her life washing dirty babies.

When all the women callers insist that his first baby is the perfect image of himself, a man sneaks up in the garret and looks in a looking glass.—New York Press.

An Apology.

Visitor—Ah, that's an old master, surely?

Mrs. Veneer (apologetically)—Yes; but the frame is new.—Punch

The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

Joseph and Louis Thomas, have returned to Princeton after spending their vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Roe, of New York, have been spending a few days at the home of Thomas Thomas.

The Misses Hunt, of Front street, who are acknowledged musicians, were present at the organ recital at Bound Brook, Friday evening, and they pronounce the recital a grand success.

Saturday night it was frightfully dark about the street railway terminus at this end of the line, and aside from a few lights in the windows of houses there was not a ray of light to guide the weary passengers to and from their way to the street cars.

Station Agent Charles English is ever on the alert, especially when on duty. Saturday night, when it was raining the hardest, he donned his gossamer and hip-high boots and went out on the track, lantern in hand, and signalled each incoming and outgoing train.

After many complaints and communications the Green Brook Electric Light company is now giving a decidedly better service. Whereas the lights have not been turned on until an hour or two after sunset, they are now burning at 4:30 p.m. This change is more particularly beneficial to the merchants, who, these short days, must either light up their lamps or remain in partial darkness until the electricity is turned on.

Chief of Police Warden has been exerting himself to free the post office stoop and entrance from loungers during the past few weeks and he now declares that if the practice is continued he will make an example of a few of the loungers and ask them to appear in court in New Brunswick. Over-grown boys, it is alleged, congregate there and stand for hours at a time, much to the detriment and disgust of the general public. Chief Warden has had many complaints of this same nature within the past few weeks and he says he is determined to put a stop to the nuisance or die in the attempt.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Bliss entertained her mother from Cortlandt, N. Y., over Sunday.

Miss Cotton, a former teacher in the public school, spent Sunday in town with friends.

The rain yesterday put a damper on the proposed sport of several fishermen from here, who anticipated a day's outing along the banks of the Passaic.

W. S. Emery's town pump is again in good working order. So is the stride of the townspeople who have been in the habit of getting water there for half a century or more past.

The residents hereabouts have given up all hope or expectations of seeing the trolley line extended through here before spring at any rate. And the whole difficulty, it is said, lays with a few chronic property owners, who evidently do not care to increase the valuation of their own property and in consequence prove a detriment to their neighbors and the travelling puplic.

After the numerous depredations committed in this locality within the past three or four months, first the Fanwood club-house, then a private house, and on Saturday night George Marsh's butcher shop, it would, or rather should, appear to the taxpayers that a paid detective or an ordinary patrolman would be a necessary acquisition to the town's scant protection. At the present time everyone takes their own life in their hand when on the street at night, and there is not even an authorized bluecoat or a man wearing a badge on the street to protect the people, let alone the houses. Thieves visited Emery's Hotel, Saturday night, but they didn't get much, except a couple of incandescent lamps hanging under the horse sheds, and they are worthless to the thieves except to some one who would purchase them for gain.

Hats Off, Please.

The management of "Caste" to be given in the Casino Thursday evening, desire to inform the ladies who attend that they will be requested to remove their hats during the performance.

The old way of delivering messages by postboys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. L. W. Randolph, 143 East Front st.

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SNOW USHERS WINTER IN

UNDER JACK FROST'S TOUCH THE EARTH IS ROBED IN WHITE.

Four Inches of "The Beautiful" Fell Last Night to Give the First Real Taste of Winter—Traffic Was Not Impeded.

November is dying and the end is near at hand. Little December peeped in at the door ready to occupy the throne which is soon to be vacant, when Jack Frost appeared. Under his magic touch, the earth was robed in a shroud of glistening white for the dying king. Yesterday morning a drizzling rain set in as a continuation of Saturday's storm. At noon, the clouds appeared to be breaking and the sun came out rather feebly. Clearing and cold had said the weather prophets.

At about 3 o'clock, a little rain set in; that soon changed to hail, and as soon as the air grew rapidly colder the first real snow storm of the season was at hand. All night it snowed light feathery flakes, that at first melted as soon as they reached the ground, but soon clung to whatever they touched, and houses, trees and even the few pedestrians that happened out were all robed in a mantle of white, Jack Frost's shroud for the dying month of November.

It was a moist, adhesive snow, and, as the blinking Plainfielder climbed from his warm couch early this morning, he found the city in possession of Winter, who had bedecked everything in ideal fashion. The snow was light and measured about four inches on the level. At Dunellen six inches of snow was reported. The snow was too light to impede traffic on the street railway and cars ran on schedule time. So much snow accumulated on the top of the gas reservoir that it was considered unsafe, and a force of men were put to work cleaning it off.

On the Jersey Central Railroad cars and locomotives alike had assumed a very wintry appearance, but ran on time. The platforms were slippery and the commuters seemed to realize that, for there were very few who attempted to jump on moving trains.

LOOKING FOR HIS SON.

Freight Car Prisoner Might Been the Right One, But He Wasn't.

A middle aged man named May came out to Plainfield from Brooklyn, yesterday, in search of a long lost son, who had been missing from home he said, for the past seven weeks. The man met Charles McGinley at the depot early in the day and said he had read an account of a man in a freight car at Plainfield, and from the description given in the paper he was under the impression that it must be his son. Roundsman Mattox was notified and he directed the crestfallen father to Mr. Loizeaux's house and then to the Liberty Street Mission where he was holding service, but from the description of the man found in the car and a photograph which Mr. May carried of his son, there seemed to be no resemblance, so the father returned to Brooklyn, without having gained any particulars concerning his lost son.

Mr. May said his son had the scarlet fever when he was quite young and that his mind was somewhat unbalanced. Unnoticed he had left home some time ago, and nothing had since been heard from him.

Sweet Melodies.

The special musical service at the First Baptist church last evening was attended by a large and appreciative audience. There were solos by Miss Luella C. Harris, soprano; Mrs. T. M. Ward, contralto; and Wm. Holmes, basso. Tho solo and chorus work was exceedingly fine. Dr. Yerkes, the pastor, gave a talk appropriate to Thanksgiving, which was in harmony with the musical part of the service.

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The ladies of the Woman's Auxillary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital desire to thank the donors for their very generous contributions to the Hospital on Thanksgiving Day.

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ALL OVER THE TOWN

NEWS IN SHORT PARAGRAPHS THAT INTEREST ALL PLAINFIELDERS.

Gathered by Enterprising Press Reporters From Both Sides of the Brook and Tersely Served for Your Perusal.

—The Plainfield Camera Club will hold a meeting tomorrow night.

—The Womans Relief Corps received three propositions for membership.

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps will meet for practice tomorrow evening.

—A meeting of Ivanhoe Council, No. 1074, A. L. of H., will be held tomorrow night.

—Robert Clark, Jr., of Washingtonville, has purchased a new house from Adam Fritz.

—A regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association, will be held in their rooms tonight.

—The Board of Governors of Muhlenberg Hospital will meet in regular session this evening.

—This is good oyster weather and the best oysters at the most reasonable prices are at Roger's sea food market.

—George Leland has been awarded the tinning and leader work on the Schoonmaker house on Central avenue.

—The ordinance of baptism was administered to one person at the First Baptist Church yesterday morning

—Two applications for membership were received at the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, Knights of Pythias, on Friday.

—The Sunday School at the Park Avenue Baptist Church, is at present in charge of Miss Alice Spangenberg, who is vice-president.

—Mrs. Wills, of Westfield, will address the Women's Association of the Congregational church on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The Boy's Brigade of the First Baptist Church has disbanded, which action was considered best owing to the existing circumstance.

—Paul, the missionary, will be studied in Mr. Murray's Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. building on Tuesday evening. All men are invited.

—John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will be inspected tomorrow evening. The election of officers will follow the inspection. A full attendance is requested.

—The Sunday-school scholars of the Mount Olive Baptist church rehearsed their Christmas music yesterday afternoon under the direction of L. H. Bigelow, Jr., of the First Baptist church.

—Alex Kane has a force of 25 men at work making sewer connections in various parts of the city, and this number, he says, he will necessarily have to employ during the winter in order to keep up with his work.

—A social will be given by the Christian Endeavor in the Crescent Avenue church parlors at eight o'clock tonight. Entertainment will be furnished by an instrumental quartette from the University of the City of New York.

—A team of horses belonging to a North Plainfield liquor dealer run away on South Second street near the Pond Machine Tool Company's Works Saturday afternoon and collided with a rig owned by William Willis. The latter's rig was badly damaged, but no one was hurt.

—Another of those admirable Saturday night hops, under the auspices of the Skandia Society of this city, was given in their hall Saturday evening, and some fifty couples were present and danced until midnight. These dances will be continued throughout the winter months.

—Thirty-two new members it is said, have recently been taken into membership in the Plainfield Game and Fish Propogating Association with solicitation. The association is doing more than has been done in a long time, and it is the intention of the association to do all in its power to stop the shooting of game out of season.

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W. W. Pierson, of Liberty street, is confined at home with illeess

Mr. and Mrs Clarence Demarest, of Park avenue, have returned from a visit in New Brunswick.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of Willow avenue, returned to his studies at the New York Military Academy this morning.

The Misses Ketcham, of Brooklyn, who have been visiting Miss Mary E. Collier, of East Sixth street, have returned home.

Arthur Crane, of Philadelphia, has been spending his Thanksgiving vacation at the home of his father, U. B. Crane, of Fifth street.

Edward French, of West Seventh street, has rented one of the house in the brick row on the lower part of Grove street, which he will soon occupy.

Walter B. Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, returned to Stevens Institute this morning accompanied by his college chum, Robert C. Handloser, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays with him.

Walter E. Probasco, of East Front street, and Arthur B. Crane, of East Second street, returned to their duties at University of Pennsylvania this morning after spending their Thanksgiving vacation in Plainfield.

THEATRICAL.

Miss Kittie Rhoades and her company of artists will open their week's engagement in Stillman Music Hall tonight in the beautiful domestic comedy drama. "May Blossom." The dresses to be worn by Miss Rhoades during the week are marvels of beauty, and are from her own original designs. Special scenery, electrical and calcium effects are used in all the productions. All the pieces are staged with the greatest of care, and during the week some of the latest successes will be produced which have never before been seen at popular prices. There will be a grand family matinee tomorrow afternoon, at which time the prices will be 10 and 20 cents to all parts of the house.

—The Board of Governors of the Crescent Wheelmen will hold a meeting on Wednesday evening.

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THE MISTRESS of the Mine.

or A Woman Intervenes.

By Robert Barr

Author of "The Face and The Mask".

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Then there was silence. The engines had stopped, and the vessel heeled distinctly over to the port side. When Edith Longworth began to realize the situation, she found herself very close to Kenyon, clasping his arm with both hands.

"What—what is it!" she cried, in alarm.

"Something is wrong," said Kenyon, "Nothing serious, I hope. Will you wait here a moment while I go and see?"

"Certainly," she answered, releasing his arm. "It is stupid of me, but I feel very much frightened."

"Perhaps you would rather not be left alone?"

"Oh, no, it is all over now; but when the first of those terrible shocks came it seemed to me we had struck a rock."

"There are no rocks here," said Kenyon. "The day is perfectly clear, and we are evidently not out of our course. Something has gone wrong with the machinery, I imagine. Just wait a moment, and I will find out!" As Kenyon rushed toward the companionway he met a sailor, hurrying in the other direction.

"What is the matter?" cried Kenyon.

The sailor gave no answer.

On entering the companionway door, Kenyon found the place full of steam, and he ran against the officer.

"What is wrong? Is anything the matter?"

"How should I know?" was the answer, very curtly given. "Please do not ask any questions. Everything will be attended to."

This was scant encouragement. People began crowding up the companionway, coughing and wheezing in the steam; and soon the deck, that a moment before had been almost without an occupant, was crowded with excited human beings in all states of dress and undress.

"What is wrong?" was the question on every lip, to which, as yet, there was no answer. The officers who hurried to and fro were mute, or gave short and unsatisfactory replies to the inquiries which poured in upon them. People did not pause to reflect that even an officer could hardly be expected to know offhand what was the cause of the sudden stoppage of the engine. By and by the captain appeared, smiling and bland. He told them there was no danger. Something had gone wrong with the machinery; exactly what he could not at the moment tell; but there was no necessity for being panic-stricken: everything would be all right in a short time if they merely remained calm. These and a lot of other nautical lies which are always told on such occasions served to calm the fears of the crowd; and, by and by, one after another went down to their staterooms on finding the vessel was not going to sink immediately. They all appeared some time afterward in more suitable apparel. The steam which had filled the saloon soon disappeared, leaving the furniture dripping with warm moisture. Finally the loud clang of the breakfast gong sounded as if nothing had happened, and this did more, perhaps, than anything else to allay the fears of the passengers. If breakfast was about to be served, then, of course, things were not serious. Still, a great many people that morning had a very poor appetite for the breakfast served to them. The one blessing, as everybody said, was that the weather was so fine and the sea so calm. The majority of the passengers, however, did not notice it. After breakfast people came up on deck. There was a wonderful avoidance of hurry alike by officers and sailors. Orders were given calmly and quietly, and as calmly and quietly obeyed. Officers were still upon the bridge, although there were no commands to give to the man at the wheel and no screw turning. The helmsman stood at the wheel as if he expected at any time the order to turn it port or starboard. All this absence of rush had a very calming effect on the passengers, many of whom wanted only a slight excuse to become hysterical. As the day wore on, however, a general feeling of security seemed to have come upon all on board. Then one and all congratulated themselves on the fact that they had all behaved in a most exemplary manner considering the somewhat alarming circumstances. Nevertheless, those who watched the captain saw that he swept the long line of the horizon through his glass every now and then with a good deal of anxiety, and they noticed on looking at the long level line where sea and sky met that not a sail was visible around the complete circle. Up from the engine-room came the clank of hammers, and the opinion was general that whatever was amiss with the engine was capable of being repaired. One thing had become certain, there was nothing wrong with the shafts. The damage, whatever it was, had been to the engine alone. All of the passengers found themselves more or less affected by the peculiar sensation of the steamer being at rest—the awe-inspiring and helpless consciousness of complete silence—after the steady throb they had become so accustomed to all the way across. That night at dinner the captain took his place at the head of the table, bland and smiling and polite as ever, just as if nothing had happened; and the people who, notwithstanding their outward calmness, were in a state of peculiar tension, noticed this with gratified feelings.

"What—what is it?" she cried in alarm.

"What is the matter?" asked a passenger of the captain; "and what is the extent of the accident?"

The captain looked down at the long table.

"I am afraid," said he, "that if I went into technical details you would not understand them. There was a flaw in one of the rods, connected with the engine. That rod broke, and, in breaking, it damaged other parts of the machinery. Doubtless you heard the three thuds which it gave before the engine was stopped. At present, it is impossible to tell how long it will take to repair the damage. However, even if the accident were serious, we are right in the track of vessels, and there is no danger."

This was reassuring but those who lay awake that night heard the ominous sound of the pumps, and the swishing of water splashing down into the ocean.

CHAPTER IX.

Most of the passengers awoke next morning with a bewildering feeling of vague apprehension. The absence of all motion in the ship, the unusual and intense silence, had a depressing effect. The engines had not yet started; that at least was evident. Kenyon was one of the first on deck. He noticed that the pumps were still working at their full speed, and that the steamer had still the ominous list to port. Happily the weather continued good, so far as the quietness of the sea was concerned. A slight drizzle of rain had set in, and the horizon was not many miles from the ship. There would not be much chance of sighting another liner while such weather continued.

Before Kenyon had been many minutes on deck Edith Longworth came up the companionway. She approached him with a smile on her face.

"Well," he said, "you, at least, do not seem to be suffering any anxiety because of our situation."

"Really," she replied, "I was not thinking of that at all, but about something else. Can you not guess what it is?"

"No," he answered, hesitatingly. "What is it?"

"Have you forgotten that this is Sunday morning?"

"Is it? Of course it is. So far as I am concerned, time seemed to stop when the engines broke down. But I do not understand why Sunday means anything in particular."

"Don't you? Well, for a person who has been thinking for the last two or three days very earnestly on one particular subject, I am astonished at you. Sunday morning, and no land in sight! Reflect for a moment."

Kenyon's face brightened.

"Ah," he cried, "I see what you mean now. Miss Brewster's cable message will not appear in this morning's New York Argus."

"Of course it will not; and don't you see, also, that when we do arrive you will have an equal chance in the race. If we get in before next Sunday, your telegram to the London people will go as quickly as her cable dispatches to New York; thus you will be saved the humiliation of seeing the substance of your report in the London papers before the directors see the report itself. It is not much, to be sure, but still it puts you on equal terms, while if we had got into Queenstown last night that would have been impossible."

Kenyon laughed.

"Well," he said, "for such a result the cause is rather tremendous, isn't it? It is something like burning down the house to roast the pig!"

Shortly after ten o'clock the atmosphere cleared and showed in the distance a steamer, westward bound. It evidently belonged to one of the great ocean lines. The moment it was sighted there fluttered up in the masthead a number of signal flags, and people crowded to the side of the ship to watch the effect on the outgoing vessel. Minute after minute passed, but there was no response from the other liner. People watched her with breathless anxiety, as though their fate depended on their noticing their signals. Of course everybody thought that she must see them, but still she steamed westward. A cloud of black smoke came out of her funnel and then a long, dark trail, like the tail of a comet, floated out behind her, but no notice was taken of the fluttering flags at the masthead. For more than an hour the steamer was in sight; then she gradually faded away into the west, and finally disappeared.

This incident had a very depressing effect on the passengers of the disabled ship. Although every officer had maintained there was no danger, yet the floating away of that steamer seemed somehow to leave them alone, and people, after gazing toward the west, until not a vestige of her remained in the horizon, went back to their deck chairs, feeling more despondent than ever.

Fleming, however, claimed that if people were to drown, it was just as well to drown jolly as mournful, and so he invited everybody to take a drink at his expense; a generous offer, which all the habitues of the smoking-room took advantage of.

"My idea is this," said Fleming, as he sipped the cocktail which was brought to him; "if anything happens let it happen; if nothing happens, why then let nothing happen. There is no use worrying about anything, especially something we cannot help. Here we are on the ocean in a disabled vessel; very good; we cannot do anything about it, and, so long as the bar remains open, gentlemen, here's to you!"

And with this cheerful philosophy the New York politician swallowed down the liquor he had paid for.

Still the swish of water from the pumps could be heard, but the metallic clanking of steel on steel no longer came up from the engine room. This in itself was ominous to those who knew. It showed that the engineer had given up all hope of repairing the damage, whatever it was, and the real cause of the disaster was as much a mystery as ever. Shortly before lunch it became evident to the people on board the ship that something was about to be done. The sailors undid the fastenings of one of the large boats, and swung it out on the davits until it hung over the sea.

Gradually rumor took form, and it became known that one of the officers and some of the crew were about to make an attempt to reach the coast of Ireland and telegraph to Queenstown for tugs to bring the steamer in. The captain still maintained that there was no danger whatever, and it was only to prevent delay that this expedient was about to be tried.

"Do you know what they are going to do?" cried Edith Longworth, in a state of great excitement, to John Kenyon.

Kenyon had been walking the deck with Wentworth, who now had gone below.

"I have heard," said Kenyon," "that they intend trying to reach the coast."

"Exactly. Now, why should you not send a telegram to your people in London, and have the reports forwarded at once? The chances are that Miss Brewster will never think of sending her cablegram with the officer who is going to make the trip; then you will be a clear day or two ahead of her, and everything will be all right. In fact, when she understands what has been done, she probably will not send her message at all."

"By George!" cried Kenyon, "that is a good idea. I will see the mate at once and find out whether he will take the telegram."

He went accordingly and spoke to the mate about sending a message with him. The officer said that any passenger who wished to send a telegraphic message would be at liberty to do so. He would take charge of the telegrams very gladly. Kenyon went down to his stateroom and told Wentworth what was going to be done. For the first time in days George Wentworth exhibited something like energy. He went to the steward and bought the stamps to put on the telegram while John Kenyon wrote it.

The message was given to the man, who put it into his inside pocket, and then Kenyon thought all was safe, but Miss Longworth was not so sure of that. Jennie Brewster sat in her deck chair, calmly reading her usual paper-covered novel. She apparently knew nothing of what was going on, and Edith Longworth, nervous with suppressed excitement, sat near her watching her narrowly while preparations for launching the boat were being completed. Suddenly, to her horror, the deck steward appeared, and in a loud voice cried: "Ladies and gentlemen, anyone wishing to send telegrams to friends have a few minutes now to write them. The mate will take them ashore with him, and will send them from the first office that he reaches. No letters can be taken, only telegrams."

Miss Brewster looked up languidly from her book during the first part of this recital. Then she sprang suddenly to her feet and threw the book on the deck.

"Who is it that will take the telegrams?" she asked the steward.

"The mate, miss. There he is standing yonder, miss."

She made her way quickly to that official.

"Will you take a cable dispatch to be sent to New York?"

"Yes, miss. Is it a long one?" he asked.

"Yes, it is a very long one."

"Well, miss," was the answer, "you haven't much time to write it. We leave now in a few minutes."

"It is all written out; I have only to add a few words to it." Miss Brewster at once flew to her stateroom. The telegram about the mine was soon before her with the words counted, and the silver and gold that were to pay for it piled on the table. She resolved to run no risk of delay by having the message sent "to collect." Then she dashed off, as quickly as she could, a brief and very graphic account of the disaster which had overtaken the Saloric. If this account was slightly

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

HOW IT FEELS TO DIE

A Suicide Describes the Sensation of Laudanum Poisoning.

HE WROTE UNTIL UNCONSCIOUS

Able To Describe His Feelings for Twenty Minutes After Taking the Drug, When His Writing Became Illegible.

Chicago, Nov. 30.—After destroying all maks on his clothing which could in any way lead to his identification, a well dressed man about 30 years of age committed suicide at the Hotel Kimball on South Clark street Saturday night by taking laudanum. He described the effects of the drug in writing until his hand could no longer hold the pencil. The body was not found until late last evening, death having resulted some time previously. In his effort to destroy all clues which might lead to his identification, the suicide forgot two things which indicate that he was an easterner. A small mirror found in his hand bears the stamp of a firm in Rochester, N. Y., and the memorandum book in which he described the manner of his death contains the trade mark of A. W. McCloy & Co., 443 Wood street, Pittsburg, Pa. He registered at the hotel as E. L. Byran. When found the body was lying diagonally across the bed and the memorandum book and pencil were near by, having evidently fallen from his hand. Before taking the drug he wrote a letter to the hotel proprietor and another to the press, in which he gave no cause for his act other than that his life had terminated in failure. In both these letters he made some humerous remarks. He continued his description of the effect of the drug until all his strength had failed him, and some of the last of it could not be deciphered. As much of it as could be made out is as follows:

His Feelings While Dying.

"To M. D.—Drank one ounce of laudanum. After five minutes feel little or no pain. Heart action now pronounced. A slight pain in stomach. (Note. My stomach is very weak, having suffered for years with acute dyspepsia. Ten minutes—Condition about the same. Pulse rapid and pain in wrist and slight pain in region of heart. Hand trembles. A feeling of dullness, with more pain in all parts of the body. (Note. Will keep up this description of effects as long as possible. Hope it will be of use to medical science.) Eyes show change. A feeling of drowsiness coming on. Sort of a feeling of intoxication, accompanied by slight fever. Twenty minutes—Pain increasing. A slight perspiration started. Am getting sleey. Have a sort of numb feeling and no pain." The last few sentences were scarcely legible, so unsteady had the writer's hand become, and although he tempted to write a few more lines th could not be made out.

WEYLER'S MOVEMENTS.

Said To Be Pushing His Way into the Hills Looking for Maceo.

Havana, Nov. 30.—The latest reports from the province of Pinar del Rio locate Captain General Weyler in the vicinity of San Cristobal. He was marching westward towards the hills seeking the forces of Maceo. No mention is made of any engagement having taken place. While a military train was passing along the central trocha, which extends from Moron to to Jucaro in the province of Puerto Principe, a dynamite bomb, which had been placed on the rails by rebels, exploded. Several of the cars were wrecked. As soon as the explosion occurred the rebels, who had been in ambush, made an attack on the armored car attached to the train. This car was defended by twenty-five officers and men. They resisted the insurgents until assistance reached them from the troops stationed along the trocha near the scene of the explosion. The rebels were then driven off with a loss of eight killed. The Spanish loss was two killed and an officer and five wounded.

Texas Cowboys To Aid Cuba.

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 30.—It is reported here that an expedition of over 200 Texas cowboys is about ready to depart from Point Isabel, on the lower gulf coast near the Mexican line, for Cuba. The expedition was organized by an agent of the Cuban insurgents, who has been in this part of the state for several weeks. A large qaantity of arms and ammunition will be taken by the party.

Killed by a Fall from a Window.

Waterbury, Conn., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Mary McNulty, widow of John McNulty, aged 65 years, fell out of a third-story window of her home yesterday, sustaining injuries from which she soon died. She had an attack of heart trouble and went to the window to obtain fresh air.

Eastern Baseball League.

New York, Nov. 30.—The annual meeting of the Eastern League of professional Baseball clubs will be held at the Fifth Avenue hotel on Wednesday at noon. The board of directors will meet on the same day and at the same place at 10 o'clock in the morning.

William Steinway's Condition Critical.

New York, Nov. 30.—William Steinway, who was thought to have been on the high road to recovery from his recent attack of typhoid fever, suffered a relapse last night and is said to be in a critical condition this morning.

Big Blaze at York, Pa.

York, Pa., Nov. 30.—The Queen street shops of the Martin Carriage works were destroyed by fire yesterday entailing a loss of nearly $50,000.

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Leave New York, Foot Liberty St., at 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00, 11 45, a m; 1 10, 1 30, 2 20, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45, p m; 12 15, 1 00, night. Sunday 4 30, 7 45, 9 00, 9 15, a m; 12 00 m; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 9 00, 10 00, p m; 12 15 night, 1 00 a m

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 28, 6 29, 6 59, 7 50, 8 00, 8 32, 8 48, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, 11 10, a m; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 51, 4 48, 5 22, 5 54, 6 40, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 p m. Sunday 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a m; 12 33, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 36, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 10 17 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 35, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35, a m; 1 15, 1 35, 2 35, 3 25, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 42, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 25, p. m. Sunday 7 30, 9 05, 9 30, 11 25 a m; 1 10, 1 35, 3 50, 4 05, 5 40, 7 20, 9 20, 10 2 Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 00 a m; 12 46, 2 11, 2 32, 3 35, 4 36, 5 08, 5 15, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 15, 6 38, 7 12, 7 24, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 28, 9 55, a m; 2 05, 3 43, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 p m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 20, 7 35, 7 45, 8 19, 9 05, 9 48, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 43, 2 05, 3 20, 4 05, 5 23, 6 08, 6 35, 8 07, 8 50, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a m; 12 08, 1 20, 5 10, 6 35, 7 51, 8 05, 9 40 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 45, 8 16, 9 54 a m, 12 46, 2 11, 4 56, 6 15, 6 38, 8 21 p. m Sunday at 5 45, 8 28, a m; 2 05, 6 35 p m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 54, a m; 12 32, 4 04, 7 05, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 10 32 a m; 6 30, 7 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield at 9 54 a. m; 5 05, 5 15 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 45 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke, and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 11 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m., way for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

4 56 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown Mauch Chunk Scranton, Wilkesbarre Tamaqua, Shamokin. (buffet parlor car to Scranton.)

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 55 a. m. Sundays—For Easton.

2 05 p. m. Sundays—High Bridge Branch for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 14 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

9 55 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 13, 9 32, 10 27 a. m. 1 15, 2 51, 5 32, 5 54, 7 05, p. m., Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10 27, a. m.; 1 15 51, 5 32 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 17, 2 32*, 5 36*, 6 45, 8 21, 9 37* 1 17 night. Sundays—8 17, 5 45, 9 55 10 44 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14* p. m. 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 5 45, 8 44, 9 46, a. m, 12 46, 2 17, 2 32*, 5 36*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 17 night. Sundays 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m., 2 25, 4 55, 5 14*, p. m. 1 17 night.

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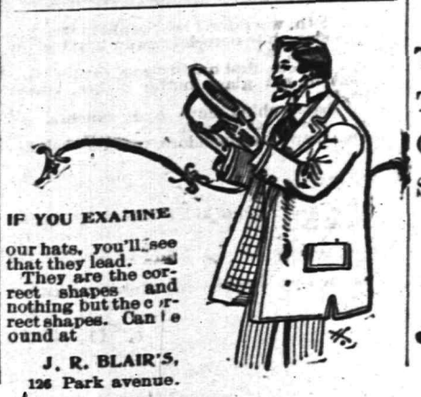

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THEIR EYES ON US

Ex-Secretary Foster Says the Hawaiians Want Annexation.

WILL APPEAL TO PRESIDENT M'KINLEY

The Islanders Fearful of Being Gobbled Up by Some European Power---Fighting Factions in the Republic Render Self-Government Difficult.

Pittsburg, Nov. 30.—Ex-secretary of state John W. Foster and wife, who are on their way to Washington from Hawaii, stopped over in Pittsburg Sunday. They went to the home of Rev. Dr. Kumler, in the east end. Dr. Kumler was the old pastor of the Foster's in Evansville, Ind., and they again heard him preach at the morning service in the East Liberty Presbyterian church. Mr. and Mrs. Foster spent a little more than two weeks on the island and Mr. Foster's observations confirmed the belief which he promulgated as premier of Mr. Harrison's cabinet that annexation by the United States is the duty of this government. "The present Hawaiian administration is awaiting the inauguration of President McKinley to make another effort to have the islands annexed," said Mr. Foster. "The constitution under which the people of the islands are living at present has annexation as one of the main things to be striven for. The islands were never in a more prosperous condition than at present. They are prospering in a business way, because the last sugar crop was an exceptionally good one and the administration of President Dole is the best the people ever had. It is recognized that the ultimate fate of the islands, if they are not annexed by the United States, will be annexed by some other of the great powers. It will be impossible for the islanders to govern themselves successfully for any great length of time by the reason of the clash between the different elements, republicans and royalists, and natives and foreigners. One thing is settled and that is that the queen will never rule again or the monarchy be restored. So it remains for the United States to act without delay, or some other nation will assume power in the Hawaiian islands."

SIXTY GUESTS POISONED.

Arsenic in the Chicken Salad at a Silver Wedding Anniversary Banquet.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Nov. 30.—The number of guests who were poisoned at the silver wedding anniversary banquet at the home of A. B. Stewart in Frankstown township Saturday has been increased from forty to sixty. The Stewart residence has been converted into a hospital for thirty-two guests, who are too ill to be removed to their own homes. To-day the victims are reported to be slowly recovering. The presence of arsenical substances in the chicken salad has been detected, and a portion of the salad has been sent to Dr. C. B. Dudley, president of the American Chemical society, for analysis.

The Vanderbilt Statue in Tennessee.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 30.—The unveiling of the statue of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, designed and executed for Vanderbilt university, will occur with appropriate ceremonies at the Tennessee centennial exposition on May 27, 1897, the anniversary of the commodore's birth. The orator chosen for the occasion is Chauncey M. Depew. The statue, which is of bronze, is ten feet high, and is the work of Moretti. It is mounted on a granite pedestal and represents the commodore in the attitude so familiar to the public.

Revolution Expected in Chili.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 30.—The officers of the British sloop of war Wild Swan, in port from South America, amidst that serious trouble was threatened in Chili by the revolutionists at the time of the departure of the cruiser. Duels and personal encounters between Balmacedists and followers of Errazuriz were of frequent occurrence while the Wild Swan was at Iquique.

Baron Savile Dead.

London, Nov. 30.—The death is announced of Baron Savile, who for many years held high diplomatic appointments. He was British minister to Saxony, to the Swiss confederation, to Belgium and to Italy. He was born in 1819, and was created a baron in 1888, with special remainder in default of male issue to John Savile-Lumley.

Short in His Accounts.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 30.—H. L. Humphrey, superintendent of the Builders & Traders' exchange in Clinton street, is accused of embezzling the funds of the exchange. Thus far the shortage has reached $1,000, and his books are still under examination. Humphrey is ill and under surveillance at his home here.

Hamburg Dock Strike.

Hamburg, Nov. 30.—The strike of the dock hands and others employed in the shipping trade continues, and both masters and men express themselves as confident of success. There is no sign of a break in the ranks of the strikers, notwithstanding the importation of foreign labor.

Secretary Roosevelt Better.

London, Nov. 30.—James R. Roosevelt, first secretary of the United States embassy, who has been confined to his bed for several days with nervous prostration, was able to drive out yesterday, but he is still very weak.

Another Anglo-American Alliance.

London, Nov. 30.—The Post this morning announces the engagement of Miss Emilia, daughter of Mr. McAdam of Sherborne, Dorsetshire, to Walter McCreery, son of A. B. McCreery of San Francisco.

SPORTS

Sun Rises: 7:04 a. m.
Sun sets: 4:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be Lighted at 5:34 p. m.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

CENTRAL BOWLING LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.
Park Club	3	1
Elizabeth A. C.	3	3
Westfield	2	2
Roselle Casino	2	2
Cranford Country Club	2	2
New Jersey A. C.	1	1
Bayonne R. and A. A.	1	3

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The case against John Mocraft or non-support of his wife was adjourned in the city court this morning until Saturday.

—Night Watchman Frank Hull, of the borough, found a pawnbrokers ticket on Grove street Saturday night which the owner can have by calling on Mr. Hull and proving property.

—The Advance Circle, Kings' Daughters, of the First Presbyterian church, will give a turkey supper in the old post office building on Thursday evening next.

—The Advance Circle of King's Daughters will hold a hot turkey add oyster supper and bazaar in the old postoffice building, East Front street, Thursday from 5 to 10 p. m.

—After giving the wrong person credit twice, it is now stated that it was Micheal Kennedy, the hackman, who found and returned the money to Mrs. Rafferty, of Willow avenue, and was rewarded for his honesty.

—Blood is life and upon the purity and vitality of the blood depends the health of the whole system. Experience proves Hood's Sarsaparilla to be the best blood purifier.

Hood's Pills act easily anp promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hyde, of Titusville, Pa., returned home today after spending few days in town with relatives.

Miss Newman, of the Trenton Normal School, who has been spending a week with her parents on West Third street, returned to her duties today.

Miss Toffey, the soprano, of Jersey City, who has been secured to take the place of Mrs. Emily Banter Brooke, at the Crescent Avenue church, will sing next Sunday for the first time.

SARGENT OF UINTAH.

Give me guns an ammunition! Stand aside,
for I am hot!
I am Sargent of Uintah, an I am a patriot.
I'm a citizen elector, an I'm gentle, meek an
mild
Till I'm treated with injustice. Then you bet
that I am riled!

Sixty miles of mountain travel—sixty miles
I've come to vote—
For this precinct is commojus an my resi-
dence remote;
Sixty miles of mountain ridin, an I rode it
good an fast.
Now you say I've sp'iled my ballot, an the
same cannot be cast.

Sp'iled this here newfangled ballot, an, in
doin of the same,
Throwed my cards down on the table an de-
parted from the game!
So you say; but, mister, listen: I have rode in
sixty miles,
An I vote in this election if the whole election
spiles!

You have fashioned up a paper that is twelve
feet long an broad
To assist you in your vileness an perpetuate
your fraud.
Do you think that in Wyoming the Uintah
voter rides
With a blamed amanuensis an a vally at his
sides?

I am Sargent of Uintah, an I've rode from
Marymere
For a chance to vote my feelin's, an I vote
them feelin's here!
I ain't here as an accountant or a bookkeeper
or such—
None the less I'll cast my ticket, or I'm errin
very much.

I have sp'iled it, do you tell me? I've used up
my time, you say?
Mister, I am Henry Sargent, an this is my
votin day.
I ain't askin no assistance from no one across
the sea,
An the people in Australyie ain't got any
strings on me.

Stand aside an give me action! Darn your
furrin votin styles!
I am Sargent of Uintah, an I've traveled sixty
miles
Jest to vote for Hank for sheriff, an you'll
count this vote, or I
An the angel Death will have to close pro-
ceedin's siney die!

—Chicago Record.

Cause of the Trouble.

The society editor was explaining the matter.

"Mrs. Gadabout does not feel very friendly to us now," she said.

"Why not?"

"Well, she gave quite an elaborate dinner recently and asked me not to mention it in the paper."

"And you ignored her wishes?"

"Yes; I ignored her wishes. I didn't mention it."—Chicago Post.

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HER DREADFUL SIRE.

The Lover and the Strange Reception That He Received.

The young man had called on the father of the loved one to ask his consent.

"I came to see you on a matter of business," said the young man.

"What business?" inquired the father.

"I love your daughter, sir," banged away the young man, though he wasn't half ready.

"Ah!" smiled the father.

"Yes, sir," said the young man.

"Indeed?" continued the father.

"Yes, sir," repeated the young man.

"Is that so, really?" went on the father.

"Yes, sir," still insisted the young man.

The father remained silent so long that the young chap thought he would explode if the old one didn't say something pretty soon.

"Um—er!" began the old gent. "Did I understand you to say you love my daughter?"

"Yes, sir," blurted out the young man emphatically.

"Ah!"

"Yes, sir."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, sir."

"Is that so, really?"

"Yes, sir."

The young man wondered how long this kind of thing would continue.

"Um—er!" hesitated the old gentleman. "So you love my daughter?"

"Yes"— began the young man and stopped. "I beg your pardon, sir, but I have told you that before."

"Told me what?" said the father as sweetly as an angel might talk.

"Told you that I love your daughter."

"Ah!" exclaimed the old gentleman softly.

"Yes, sir."

"Indeed?"

The young man saw what was coming and got hot in the gills.

"No, sir," he said sharply.

The old gentleman looked at him in pained surprise.

"I thought you said you did," he said.

"Did what?" asked the young man, not exactly knowing what he was saying.

"Loved my daughter."

"I do, sir," quickly put in the youth.

"Ah!" smiled the father.

"Yes, sir."

"Indeed?" followed the father as before.

It was too much for the poor young man.

"I beg your pardon, sir," he said, "but I think you are cruel, sir," and he backed out and left, while the old gentleman settled back in his easy chair and snorted a loud and emotional snort of triumph, short lived though it may be.—Washington Star.

Two Freaks, Perhaps.

This is not the famous two headed museum freak, but the Whizzer sisters on a tandem.—Wheel.

How it Failed.

"And you four brothers were named Edmund, Edgar, Edward and Edwin, were you? What could have been your parents object in that?"

"They wanted to keep us from ever being nicknamed."

"Did it have that effect?"

"Not exactly. We've always been called Chuck, Snorkey, Flipps and Pilgarlic."—Chicago Tribune.

A Financial Term.

"Oh, Henry," exclaimed his little wife as she threw her arms rapturously around his neck, "I do love you so! Don't forget to leave me $20 when you go in town this morning. Will you, dear?"

"And this," muttered Henry, softly disengaging himself from her fond embrace, "this is what you might call being hard pressed for money."—Somerville Journal.

Ambitious Boy.

"I heard you gave your readin last night," said the little boy. "I wisht I could read like you."

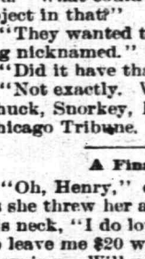
"I am delighted to hear you say so," replied the eminent elocutionist.

"Yes, sir, I wisht that when I came to the hard words I could just chew 'em up like you do, 'stead of havin to pronounce 'em."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Wider Field Ahead.

"You are charged here," said the justice, "with voting twice in the primary?"

"Yes, jedge. But I had de rheumatism dat day en des couldn't do any better. But you des wait 'twell I hits de state election, den you'll heah somepin drap! I'm well now, I is!"—Atlanta Constitution.



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A Lurking Foe.

Policeman—Yez move an now—
Van Bibbler—I would (hic), but thersh feller roundsh (hic) corner layin for me with an ax!—Up to Date.

The Hour.

Jack—Why do the churches always begin at 11, grandpa?

Grandpapa—Ah, the eleventh hour, my boy!—Punch.

The Sentry Who Would Fish.

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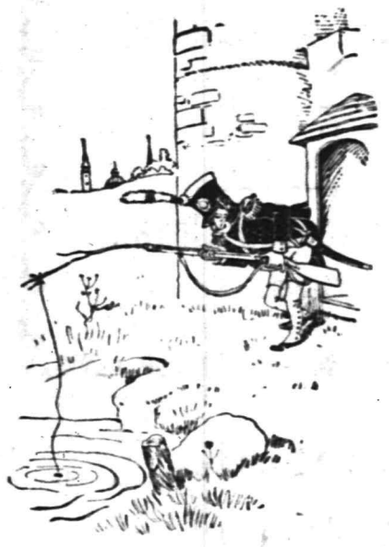

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—Fliegende Blatter.

Editorial Comment.

Rejection of material does not imply lack of merit.—Truth.

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[Fancy Sporting Sketch—Old Style.]

—Punch.

Pure Jealousy.

Effigene O'Flarity (the tall lady to the right)—Say, girls, it's a ill wind wot don't blow nobody no good. Dere goes Liz Murphy. Her little sister Maggie was buried yesterday, and Liz swiped the white crape an ribbon off de doornob an sneaked some o' the flowers, an today she's wearin 'em an ketchin all de beaus she wants an t'rowin on lugs because she had a det in de fambly. But I don't care. My Aunt Biddy is in der hospital wit' consumpshun, an when she dies just see if I don't knock Liz Murphy silly!—New York Sunday World.

A Coming Champion.

Big Un—No back talk, I tell yer, or I'll knock yer head off?

Little Un—You knock my head off? You? Why you'd just be pie for me. If I on'y struck yer wunst, yer back teeth'd bend an you'd have ter wear red flannen round yer neck for the rest of yer mis'er'ble life!—Truth.

Making a Payment.

Penniman—Do I owe you anything, sir?

Stocks—Yes, sir. You owe me $10 and an apology for not having paid it before.

Penniman—Ah, well, in these times a man has to be cautious in making payments, so I'll just pay you the apology and let the rest stand.—Boston Courier.

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Boys' Watches Free.

Boys, we certainly have a great "Snap" for you in our enlarged Boys' Department, where you will find the newest, nobbiest and cheapest Suits, Reefers, Overcoats, Ulsters, etc., and a Genuine Fine Watch Free with a purchase of $5 or over in the department, including Clothing and Underwear and Furnishings. Our new "CORNING" Watch, a reliable timepiece, stem winder, patent lever movement, dust proof, nickel case, 18 line-watch. Beats anything ever placed on the market. Retail price is $1.75. Boys, you want to be wide-awake and get one of these fine watches. They are not a clock. We sell Knee Pants from 21c and up. Full Suits from 79c and up.

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We can mention only a few items: 12 piece Embossed English Toilet set, with Jar, in pink, blue and brown, in poppy designs, $2.35 the set. 56 piece Tea set, known as our "Leighton Special," in gray only, open stock, $3.25 the set. Thin Blown Tumblers, blown from crystal glass, 2 1-2c each. Ash Sifters, 12x12, well made from stout wire, with 3-8 inch mesh at only 6c. Bedroom or Library Lamps, decorated in pink, green, yellow, 10 inch dome shade, brass base, only $1.59. Large size, first quality, 3-sewed Brooms, 20c. You pay for same elsewhere, 30c. Glass Hand Lamps, complete 9c. Oak Frame Mirrors, 8x10, beaded or plain frames. You can duplicate them elsewhere for 30c. Our price is only 18c. Jardinieres, 8 inches, in 6 varieties of colors, embossed in gold, a handsome article for 10c. Bissel Carpet Sweeper, 98c. Plain Tumblers, made from crystal glass, with pressed buttons, 2c each.

The Big Sale is Still On

and the way we have sold Laces the last week, the people must think "they are all right." You are especially invited to come in and see our Elegant New Goods of all kinds. Don't fail to visit our Big Basement. It's just brimfull of new and pretty things; awfully cheap too You know we are selling Fine New attractive goods cheaper than any other house, and it will pay you well to trade at

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Steel kitchen knives and forks, red handles, at 5c each.
Shelf cloth, warranted best quality, at 5c yd.
Large size white porcelain ewers and basins, fancy shapes, 65c.
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Imitation cut glass butter dishes, round shape, 10c.
Gold band china cups and saucers, all strictly perfect, at 6c each.
15c earthenware cuspidors, various designs, at 10c.

Gloves.

Ladies' heavy piqué kid, 4-button length, in colors, at 75c.

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The newest designs in winter neckwear at 25c.

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